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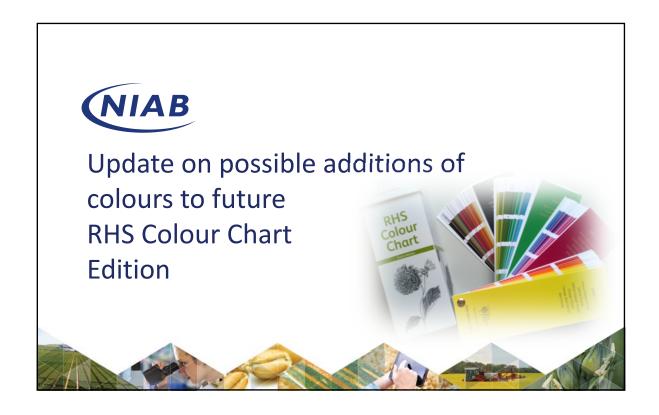
## UPDATE ON POSSIBLE ADDITIONS OF COLOURS TO FUTURE RHS COLOUR CHART EDITION

Document prepared by an expert from the United Kingdom

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The annex to this document contains a copy of a presentation on the "Update on possible additions of colours to future RHS colour chart edition" by an expert from the United Kingdom, to be made at the fifty-first session of the Technical Working Party for Ornamental Plants and Forest Trees (TWO).

[Annex follows]





## Previously.

- The TWO were invited to suggest missing colours from the 6<sup>th</sup> Edition of the RHS Colour Charts based on their practical experience
- The United Kingdom offered to collate information and send to Dr. John David at RHS
- Deadline for comment was 30<sup>th</sup> August 2018



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## Responses

- 6 countries provided information
- 30+ suggestion of where gaps exist
- Mainly in red, purple and shades in between
- Some suggestions in green range
- Responses were checked to look for overlapping suggestions
- Following proposal put forward

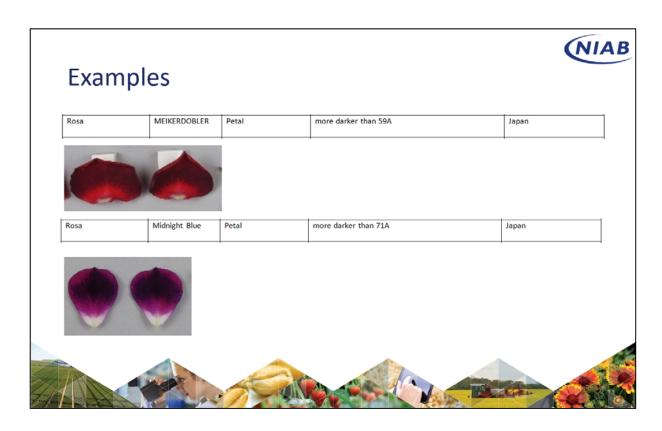


	Cultivar Name or denomination	Plant part	Nearest RHS colour chart match (6th Ed)	Country supplying information	(NIAB
Begonia x semperflorens- cultorum	DOUBPIN	Leaf upper side	between N189A and N200A	Japan	
Callistephus chinensis	SAKAST049	Inner ray floret: main color of inner side	nearest 83A JHS <u>Color</u> chart has more similar colour (JHSCC 8609)	Japan	
Clematis	Gypsy Queen	Sepal	Darker and more blue than Violet 86A	United Kingdom	
Clematis	Evio024	Sepal	darker and more purple than Violet 83A	United Kingdom	
Echinacea	Apecssoir	Ray floret	brighter and more orange than Orange-Red N34A	United Kingdom	
Echinacea	Balsomador	Ray floret	Brighter and more orange that Greyed-Orange 169A	United Kingdom	
Hedera L.	Goldheart	Leaf	more darker than NN137A	Japan	
Hemerocallis sp.	Piros Óriás	Tepal	much darker than the N34A, and not so brownish like 185A	Hungary	
Impatiens New Guinea	SAKIMP 047	Petal	between N66 A and N 74 A	Germany	
Impatiens New Guinea	SAKIMP 041	Petal	N 74C, more bluish	Germany	
Lagerstromea	Petit' Canaille Rose	main color on upper side of petal	close to 68 A/B	France	
Lagerstromea	Rosea Nova	main color on upper side of petal	close to 68 A/B	France	
Petunia	Sunsurf Akatora	Petal	redder than RHS 45B	New Zealand	
Rosa	Mattling	Petal	darker than RHS 45B	New Zealand	
Rosa	MEIKERDOBLER	Petal	more darker than 59A	Japan	
Rosa	Midnight Blue	Petal	more darker than 71A	Japan	
	FRANTASIA	Petal	more darker than 77A	Japan	









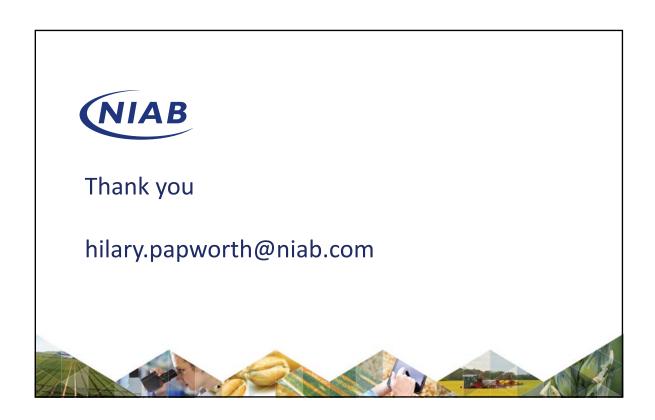




## Feed Back from RHS

- Very happy not to have received just request for more green!
- Unforeseen difficulties with next edition of RHS Colour Charts
- Next issue of RHS colour chart will be reprint of the 6<sup>th</sup> Edition with no new colours added
- Likely to appear either in late 2019 or early 2020
- Remain committed to a future new edition (7<sup>th</sup> Edition)
- Additional colours will be included and take into account the recommendations from the UPOV working party
- Need to be in touch with the countries that requested additional colours as some of the cultivars cited as examples may not be available in the United Kingdom
- Thanks to the Working Party for their helpful feedback.





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