Hydrangea paniculata 'Sparkling' ® Acc 1384

Synonyms: No synonyms found.

Awards: A recommendation at 'Courson Plant Days' in 2013.

Patents: No patents found.

Description:

Height x Width: 1 x 0.8 m *Habit:* Dwarf compact habit.

Stems & leaves: Reddish brown ramified stems and smooth rounded leaves with occa-

sional blunt serrations.

Panicles: Very early flowering, with small flattish panicles, more resembling a Lacecap hydrangea than a paniculata. It has a central cluster of white honey-like fragrant fertile flowers and around 50% cover of large white sterile flowers held upright on long pedicels and turning pink as they mature.

Overall assessment: An attractive and unusual cultivar that flowers very early and has a honey like fragrance. Needs to be viewed from above.

Origins: Jean Paul Davasse (Globe Plantes) 2012

STEMS

Colour 166D Orange-Br

Diameter 3-4

LEAVES

Size 30-35 x 60-70

Q Value 1.7-2

Serr.HxL 1-1.5 x 5.5-10 Col T 138A Mid Green

Col B 138B Pale Green

Tex T Hairy
Tex B Smooth
Veins Hairy T&B

PANICLES

Size 80 x 80
Q Value 1
Internode 10
Shape Flattened
Ratio F:S 10:1
% cover 10

PETIOLE

Length

PEDUNCLE

Length 29

STERILE FL

Diameter 23-25 Bud col 155A White

SEPALS

Number 4 Q Value 1 Overlap 1-3

T col Aug 155A White B col Aug 155A White T col Sep 58B Pink B col Sep 58B Pink Misshape Occational

Spots T Yes Spots B No

FERTILE FL

Bud col 58B Pink Diameter 70

STAMENS

Length 1-3 Any pink No

CARPELS

Number 3

All measurements in mm except for the plant H & W

Q value = Length / Width

Colours = RHS colour chart

All stem data from just below the panicles.









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Hydrangea paniculata 'Sparkling' (Life Size at A4)

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Leaf: Edge



Sterile Flower



Leaf: Top Surface



Fertile Flower



Leaf: Lower Surface



Stem

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