

INTERNATIONAL REGISTRATION OF HOSTA CULTIVARS

Minimum requirements for registration are:

- This form with bold-faced items completed in their entirety
- Three **digital** photographs: one of the entire clump, one close-up showing a representative leaf, and one close-up of the flower. Please supply the photographer's name and do not reduce or compress the original file. Do not send hard-copy prints. Digital photos must be emailed to HostaRegistry@gmail.com
- Written permission from the originator (if other than the registrant)
- \$5 registration fee per cultivar name. Make check(s) payable to "The American Hosta Society"

Optional:

- Additional digital photo(s) showing unique plant characteristics

Mail required items to:

Hosta Registrar
 Gayle Hartley Alley
 33001 E 155th Street
 Pleasant Hill, MO 64080-9365

or email to:

HostaRegistry@gmail.com

Questions can be answered by calling **(816) 697-2007** or emailing GiboshiGayle@gmail.com

Feel free to photocopy this form, or visit <http://www.hostaregistrar.org> for additional copies.

Terms used on this form can be found in *The American Hosta Society Glossary of Terms* at http://www.hostaregistrar.org/hosta_terminology.html

Please Note: Un-established cultivar names submitted for registration do not become established until they are published in the *Registrations* supplement of *The Hosta Journal*, accompanied by their description. However, cultivar names can become established outside this avenue by being published elsewhere prior to the publication date of the *Registrations* supplement (which could potentially negate your registration).

Key A – Flowering period(s)

Key B – Leaf Colors

Northern Hemisphere	Southern Hemisphere
AN = before June 1	AS = before Dec 1
BN = June 1 – July 15	BS = Dec 1 – Jan 15
CN = July 15 – Aug 15	CS = Jan 15 – Feb 15
DN = Aug 15 – Oct 1	DS = Feb 15 – April 1
EN = after Oct 1	ES = after April 1

light green	slightly blue-green
medium green	medium blue-green
dark green	intensely blue-green
greenish-yellow	greenish-white
pale yellow	creamy white
yellow	pure white
golden yellow	
green speckling	white speckling
streaked with _____ (enter color from above)	
mottled with _____ (enter color from above)	

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Registrant Information

CULTIVAR NAME:		Alternate Name:	
Registrant Name:		Phone:	Email:
Street Address:			
City:		State:	ZIP Code:
Enter names below only if different from the "Registrant"			
Introducer:		Originator:	Nominant (Namer):

General Information

All Measurements presented on this application are in: Inches Centimeters (<i>circle one</i>)			
Is the cultivar being grown or sold under a different name or designation? Yes No (<i>circle one</i>) <i>If yes, provide detailed explanation.</i>			
Has this cultivar name ever been published? Yes No (<i>circle one</i>) <i>If yes, provide publication name(s) [catalogs included] and date(s).</i>			
Is the cultivar a Sport? Yes No (<i>circle one</i>) <i>If yes --> Parent Name:</i>			
Is the cultivar a Seedling? Yes No (<i>circle one</i>) <i>If yes enter parentage below.</i>			
Pod Parent:		Pollen Parent:	
The clump described is _____ years old and is (<i>circle all that apply on line below</i>)			
original seedling original sport (<i>enter number -></i>) generation division tissue cultured unknown history			
The clump was obtained from _____ (<i>enter 1, 2, 3 or 4</i>) 1) Yourself 2) A Nursery 3) The Originator (<i>select this <u>only</u> if the Originator is <u>different</u> from the Registrant above</i>) 4) Other Source _____			
The clump described is growing in (<i>city/state/country</i>):			
What diagnostic characteristics make this cultivar unique from other hostas? (<i>describe below</i>)			

Plant Patent or Breeders' Rights

Is (or will) there be a patent, or Breeders Rights, applied for? Yes No (<i>circle one</i>)			
If you circled "Yes" complete any applicable field(s) below.			
Country:	Application #	Date:	
Country:	Pat. Pending	Date:	
Country:	Patent #	Date:	
Country:	Breeders' Rights #	Date:	

Plant Details

Plant Habit:	Upright	Mound	Rhizomatous	(<i>circle one</i>)
Growth Rate:	Slow	Medium	Fast	(<i>circle one</i>)
Plant Width:		Plant Height:		

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Leaf Details

Leaf Color (choose from **Key B** on page 1, or from a recognized color authority such as the Royal Horticultural Society color chart). If leaf is a single color, enter under "Center Color"

Center Color:	Margin Color:
Margin Width:	Is variegation relatively stable? Yes No (<i>circle one</i>)
Seasonal Color Change (<i>describe, if applicable</i>)	

Leaf Width:	Leaf Length:	Number of Vein Pairs (range):
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Unique Petiole [leaf stalk] Characteristics (*describe, if applicable*)

Margin Appearance:	Flat	Slightly Rippled	Heavily Rippled	Serrated	<i>(circle one)</i>
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


Leaf Texture (top surface):	Dull	Slightly Shiny	Very Shiny	Glaucous Bloom	<i>(circle one)</i>
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Leaf Texture (bottom surface):	Dull	Slightly Shiny	Very Shiny	Glaucous Bloom	<i>(circle one)</i>
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Is leaf relatively flat? Yes No (*circle one*) If "No" use one or more modifiers at right to describe **only** the applicable leaf characteristics below.

<input type="checkbox"/> Cupped	<input type="checkbox"/> Twisted	<input type="checkbox"/> Folded	<input type="checkbox"/> Wavy	<input type="checkbox"/> Corrugated
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Leaf Shape:	 Lance	 Elliptic	 Ovate	 Broadly Ovate	 Nearly Round (<i>select one</i>)
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Leaf Base:	 Tapered	 Flat	 Heart-Shaped [cordate]	 Rounded (<i>select one</i>)
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Flower, Scape & Pod Details

Flower Period: AN BN CN DN EN AS BS CS DS ES (*circle one*) (see **Key A** on pg 1 for explanation of codes)

Flower Color: White Near White Pale Lavender Medium Lavender Pale Purple Deep Purple Other _____ (*circle one*)




Scape Height: _____ to _____ (<i>range</i>)	Scape Color:	Flower Length:	Fragrance? Yes No (<i>circle one</i>)
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Unique bracts? (*describe if present*)

Bloom Time Start: ____/____ (<i>month/day</i>)	Bloom Time Peak: ____/____ (<i>month/day</i>)	Bloom Time Finish: ____/____ (<i>month/day</i>)
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Flower Color Patterns (*striping, translucent margins, etc.. Please describe*):

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Flower Shape:	 Tubular	 Bell	 Spider	Closed	Double	Other _____ (<i>select one</i>)
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Does it set seed? Yes No (<i>circle one</i>) If yes -->	Is the seed viable? Yes No (<i>circle one</i>)	Seed Pod Color:
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Registration Received:	Date:
Registered (or Rejected):	Date:
Name Reserved:	Date: