

# Sanguisorba trial results

RATING	SANGUISORBA	HEIGHT	WIDTH	FLOWER COLOR	FLOWER LENGTH	BLOOM PERIOD	FLOWER COVERAGE	FOLIAGE COLOR
NR	S. 'Blackthorn'	52 in.	48 in.	rosy pink and light pink	3 in.	late summer to late fall	excellent	green
NR	S. 'Pacific Pewter'	26 in.	28 in.	purple	3 in.	midsummer to late fall	excellent	blue-green
★★★★	S. 'Pink Tanna'	50 in.	36 in.	pink and white	1¼ in.	midsummer to early fall	excellent	green
NR	S. 'Sweet Caroline'	40 in.	40 in.	light pink	1¼ in.	midsummer to early fall	excellent	green
★★★★	S. 'Tanna'	25 in.	32 in.	dark burgundy	¾ in.	midsummer to early fall	excellent	green
★★★★	<i>S. canadensis</i>	34 in.	34 in.	white	5 in.	midsummer to late fall	excellent	green
NR	<i>S. canadensis</i> 'Candlelight'	26 in.	29 in.	white	2½ in.	late summer to late fall	good	yellow and green
★★★	<i>S. hakusanensis</i>	30 in.	32 in.	purple-pink	4 in.	early summer to midfall	good	gray-green
★★★★	<i>S. hakusanensis</i> 'Lilac Squirrel'	34 in.	24 in.	purple-pink	8 in.	early summer to late fall	excellent	gray-green
★★★	<i>S. menziesii</i>	47 in.	27 in.	dark pink-purple	3 in.	early summer to midsummer	excellent	blue-green
★★★	<i>S. menziesii</i> 'Dali Marble'	45 in.	39 in.	dark red-purple	1½ in.	midsummer to late fall	good	green, white margins
★★	<i>S. minor</i>	19 in.	38 in.	green, red	1 in.	late spring to early summer	excellent	blue-green
NR	<i>S. obtusa</i>	19 in.	38 in.	bright purple-pink	3 in.	midsummer to late fall	good	blue-green
★★★	<i>S. officinalis</i>	60 in.	45 in.	purple-red	½ in.	midsummer to early fall	excellent	green
NR	<i>S. officinalis</i> 'Arnhem'	34 in.	26 in.	raspberry pink	1 in.	early summer to early fall	excellent	green
NR	<i>S. officinalis</i> 'Chocolate Tip'	26 in.	18 in.	did not flower				green
NR	<i>S. officinalis</i> 'Crimson Queen'	36 in.	24 in.	did not flower				green
NR	<i>S. officinalis</i> 'Hime Waremoko'	18 in.	18 in.	dark burgundy	½ in.	midsummer to midfall	excellent	green
★★★	<i>S. officinalis</i> 'Lemon Splash'	40 in.	34 in.	deep red-purple	¾ in.	late summer to late fall	excellent	green, yellow speckled
★★★★	<i>S. officinalis</i> var. <i>microcephala</i> 'Little Angel'	10 in.	22 in.	purple-red	½ in.	midsummer to late summer	excellent	green, white margins
NR	<i>S. officinalis</i> 'Red Thunder'	20 in.	26 in.	purple-red	¾ in.	midsummer to early fall	excellent	green
NR	<i>S. officinalis</i> 'Shiro-Fukurin'	35 in.	42 in.	deep rosy pink	1 in.	early fall to early winter	excellent	light green, creamy margins
★★★	<i>S. tenuifolia</i>	70 in.	28 in.	white	2 in.	midsummer to early fall	good	dark green
★★★	<i>S. tenuifolia</i> 'Pink Elephant'	59 in.	30 in.	pink and maroon	2 in.	midsummer to early fall	excellent	light green
NR	<i>S. tenuifolia</i> var. <i>alba</i>	32 in.	20 in.	white	2½ in.	early summer to midfall	fair	dark green

## RATING KEY |

★★★★★ Excellent  
 ★★★★ Great  
 ★★★ Good

★★ Fair

★ Poor

NR not rated (too new to the trial)

## SOURCES

- Digging Dog Nursery, Albion, CA; 707-937-1130; diggingdog.com
- Far Reaches Farm, Port Townsend, WA; 360-385-5114; farreachesfarm.com
- Edelweiss Perennials, Canby, OR; edelweissperennials.com
- Plant Delights Nursery, Raleigh, NC; 919-772-4794; plantdelights.com