Sunnybank Vine Nursery

Complete List of Vine Varieties - Feb 2018

All notes in standard text are by Brian Edwards all notes in italics are updates or additions and observations of Sarah Bell

WHITE GRAPE VARIETIES. In collection.


Ex Wisley = from RHS gardens Wisley. Z.K. = Supplied Zoltan Kordisch.
A.V. = From Alois Vogel. R.S. = From Reschule Schmidt.

ARON D listed on Rebschule H. Smidt as a yellow seeded dessert, disease resistant large bunches of large grapes, vigorous with medium to high yield

ABONDANTE. W. German new variety , not good enough and too late in the U.K.

ADELHEIDTRAUBE.D/W. Ex Wisley, ripens well, fine muscat flavour. Promising.

AIKON. H. W/D. From A.V. 11-07. No detail.

ALBALONGA.W .German, Reisling style, would need a good site.

ALEOSENKENKIN. HT. From Russia, a Madeleine Angevine cross hybrid. By report it is of fine quality, and a big grape, but has no real disease resistance.


ANGELA. D. From A.V. 11-07. Hungarian, commercial in Germany, may be too late.

ASCOT CITRONELLE.D/W. High quality dessert /wine Muscat. Old sort. A small grape.


AUGUSTE LOUISE .D. Ex Wisley .Early, big bunch and berry. Good outdoor dessert. Poor wood ripening hasn’t done well at our site.

Auxerrois. W. Alsace pinot type, marginal ripening.

Bacchus. W. Rather late. Some good wine, some would say fine, but disease prone. Usually modest crops.

Bella Blanca. D. Reported as good but late, large bunches.

Bell. H.D. Early American table grape, on trial.

Bianca. H.D/W. New, Hungarian. Ripens, promising. On trial. Cropping only moderate so far, but good quality. Promise for wine

Bouviertraube. D/W. Austrian table grape, also good wine. Ripens well for me. Some lovely wine from Austria.

Buckland Sweetwater. D. Old greenhouse grape, big crop but disease prone.


Chaouch. D. Early Turkish perfumed greenhouse dessert. Reputed Sultan's favourite grape.

Chardonnay. W. Very late, high acids, needs very best sites only.

Chardonnay Clone 77. Musque. W. Reported powerful muscat flavour, reputedly early. Dubious, probably just Chardonnay.

Charmat. W. Probably Swiss, Chasselas x Chardonnay. On trial.

Chasselas d'Or. D. Late, moderate crops, needs a wall.

Chasselas Musque. D. Bred by Baron Saloman, 19thc. Probably not true to name.

Chasselas Napoleon. D. See Muscat Napoleon.


Chasselas Vibert. D. Ripens fairly well, good crops.


Csabyongye. D. Ultra early muscat, good eating but tiny crops. Poor wood ripening at our site – little or not fruit.
DALKAUER.W/D. Just too late, huge crops of big grapes. Possible indoors.
DANLAS. D. Dabouki x Chasselas. New French dessert. Large berry. Ripens for me.
DANNON. W/D. From Z.K. 11-07. May be Danam. *Not done well on our site.*
DATTIER DE ST.VALLIER. H.D. Too late outside, needs a greenhouse.
DIAMENTRAUBE. D. First class early sweetwater. Big grape, ripened 2006.
DOMINA White. Sent to me by F Lorsheijd, wrongly labelled. May be Rubens.

EDELWEISS.HW/D. Swenson cross, Ontario x(Beta x Witt). Very early, hardy, disease free. Not easy to handle for winemaking.

EGER CSILLAGA. H.W. D. Hungarian, Promising results. Name incomplete..
EHRENFELSER. W. Thought too late, but ripened for me 2005-6.
ELBLING .W. Ancient, Roman, late, high acidity. Seyval B is better.
ESPIRIT.HW.T. Swenson seedling, wine or table, Edelweiss x Villard Blanc.
EXCELSIOR. H.D. Mid season trouble free hybrid, moderate crops.
FABER .W. Mid late, fair crops, disease prone.
FANNI. H. D. A.V. Big bunch and berry, fine flavour by report. Late.
FAIRFIELD WHITE. D. Easy greenhouse sweetwater grape, ex Fairfield school. A Chasselas type.


FINLANDING. W. Supposed Muller Thurgau mutation, earlier, easier vine. Possible promise. Per information, actually Bouviertraube.

FORTA. W. Pleasant, fruity, late ripening. Possible interest.

FOSTERS SEEDLING. D. Well known greenhouse grape but just too late outside.

FREISAMER. W. Late, moderate crops. Probably just too late.

FRONTENAC GRIS. H.W. Planted 11-07. A Frontenac mutation, very good reports.

GELBER MUSCATELLER. W. Not Muscat Blanc a Petits Grains. Big bunch, berry, ripens. Ex Wisley.

GEWURTZTRAMINER. W. Generally, just too late. This clone is early, worth a trial.

GLENORA WHITE. H.D. German, ex R.S. 11-07. By report, most promising early white table grape, tiny seeds.


GM23158B. W. German cross, just too late.

GOLDEN CHAMPION. D. Mid-season, greenhouse.

GOLDREISLING. W. Early Alsace wine grape. Reisling cross, possible promise.

GOLDEN REISLING. D/W. True name unknown. Ex Jackmans nurseries, useful dessert. From Barrington-Brock collection.

GRUNER VELTLINER. W. Good crops but too late.

GUTENBORNER. W. Late, ripens, disease prone but nice wine.

HECKER. H.D/W. Resistant German cultivar, promising. Good first crops.

HIBERNEL. HW. Aka

GM322-58.
HOLDER. W. Reisling x Rulander, Weinsburg. Mid-late, but ripens well, good sugars.


HUXELREBE. W. Difficult disease prone vine. Some good wine, sometimes.


ITALIA. D. Vigorous reputedly late greenhouse muscat. Near ripe 2006 outside.


JUBLIENKA NOVGORODA. H/W. Very early Russian white, fine flavour.

JULIAMSREBE. W.D. Red/pink dual purpose. Possible promise.


JUTIZENKA. W. Polish, SV 12375 x Pinot Blanc. Big pink grape, high sugar 2006, very promising quality.

JUWEL. W. Kerner x Sylvaner 1977. Ripens here, shows promise.

KALINA. H. W? New, on trial.

KANZLER. W/D. Very early, high sugar, quality, definite promise. Very mildew prone – needs full spray programme.


KERNLING. W. Supposed to be a clonal selection of Kerner. I have my doubts. Earlier, red-pink, better sugars. More promising.

KOZMAPALME MUSCATOLY. D.W. Hungarian variety, Italia x Oliver Irsay.
LEVENTHORPE SEYVAL.H.W. Ex G .Bowden, from mixed planting. Probably a Seyve –Villiard variety ,not Seyval, similar. Good sugars, promising.
LIDI. H.D. From A.V.11-07. Early rose, Hungarian. Big grape, high quality by report.
LILLA.HD. New German dessert type, promising, good so far.
MADELEINE ANGEVINE.W/D. Early, good crops ,fine wine. A tough vine, recommended.
MADELEINE ANGEVINE.D(French)Not the same, an early dessert vine.
MADELEINE CELINE .D. Very early ,big bunch, berry, good crops .
MADELEINE SYLVANER.W/D. Very early, fine, needs spraying. Good wood.
MAVO 98-09-02. H/W. New seedling, on trial.
MAVO 01-04-01.H.D. New table grape seedling, pink/red.
MERZLING .H.W ..Seyval B x (Reisling x Rulander).Very promising.
MIREILLE.D. Ripens outdoors, delicious Muscat. More reliable inside.
MORIO MUSCAT. W. Just too late, disease prone.
MOSCATO D’ADDO. WD. On trial.
MULLER THURGAU.W...Once very popular ,good wine, but a difficult vine.
MUSCAT BLANC.D.A mid-season eating grape of fine flavour. Difficult vine.
MUSCAT DE ST VALLIER .H.D. W. French hybrid, good and early. Promising
MUSCAT DE ST.VALLIER .H.D.W. Swiss, seems to be identical. .
MUSCAT ST VALLIER Italian. Yet another variation ,reputedly not identical.
MUSCAT DE SAUMUR .D. Ex Wisley ,early golden muscat.
MUSCAT NAPOLEON. D. Big grape, ripened 2006. Promising.

MUSCAT OF ALEXANDRIA. D. Finest quality, but needs a greenhouse, preferably heated.

MUSCAT OTTONEL. W. Mid-late, easy vine but modest crops.

MUSCAT REINE DES VIGNES. D. Big berry, small bunch, a week before Chasselas.

MUSCAT ROSE PRECOCE. W. French. On trial.

MUSCAT ST LAURENT. D. First class first early greenhouse, may do outdoors.

MUSCAT VALLEE D'AOSTA. W. Ex D. Jenkins. Ripe and good 2005, but not really muscat.


NIAGARA. H.D American hybrid, easy, doubtful quality.

NOBLESSA. W. Madeleine Angevine x Sylvaner. Early and good.

NO 69. W. A gewurtztraminer cross, rather too late.

OLIVE BLANCHE. D. Ripened 2003-6, white dessert of good quality.

OLIVER IRSAY. W/D. Ripens well, fine light Muscat flavour. Wine potential.

ONTARIO H.D. Very Early Strawberry

OPTIMA. W. Mid-early, pleasant, disease prone, especially botrytis.

ORA. D. Large, rich. Cinsault x Perle de Csaba x Cardinal. + 2/3. Very promising, poor wood ripening – as per most Cardinal offspring

ORION. H.W. Does well, promising, big crops, good resistance to disease.

ORTEGA. W. A quality grape but most unreliable.

PALATINA. H.W.D. SV12375 x Queen of the Vineyard. Hungarian. Good results so far.


PARSLEY LEAVED VINE. D. Ornamental Chasselas type. Pleasant, modest crops. Chasselas Ciotat
PERDIN.H.D/W. Early, new, French, small delicious grapes. Possible for wine.

PERLE. W. Early, tough, good flavour. Promising.

PERLE DE CSABA. D. see Csabyongye. Very early outside, poor crops, fine muscat flavour.

PHOENIX.H.W/D .Big crops, some good wine, mid-season. Promising. A good Muscat table grape.

PIED DE PERDRIX D. From France. Promising results, but may be misnamed. Early.

PINK STRAWBERRY 1..H.D. Canadian, cover vine, disease free. Grapes hang late.

PINK STRAWBERRY 2. From Wisley, earlier to ripen but hangs well.

PINK STRAWBERRY 3. From Reads Nursery. Came as Gamay. Very Vigorous. All three are Labrusca hybrids.

PINOT BLANC. W .Late, but ripens, high acid. Disease prone.

PINOT GRIS.W. Ripens late, but good wine from favourable sites.

POLLUX.HW. Riparia x Gamay x Fosters seedling. Ripe 2006.

POLOSKE MUSCAT .H.D .Ripens well, good disease free crops, promising.


PRECOCE DE BOUSQUET. D .Early, big berry, moderate crop, fine muscat flavour but unreliable.

PRECOCE DE MALINGRE. D/W. Early, moderate cropper.

PRIM.H.D/W. Hungarian, SV12375 x Krolova Winnic. Very promising.

PRIMAVIS FRONTIGNAN.D/W .Ripens well though late. Possible promise.

RAUSCHLING.D/W. Ancient, possibly Roman, ripens with M.T. Could be useful.

RAVAT 51.H.W. Just too late, best sites only. Disease free but very high acids.


REFLEX.HW/D. Hungarian, Perle De Csaba x Aurore. Very early, orange flavour, good wine.

REFORM.HW/D. Hungarian, like Bianca but Muscat flavoured. Disease resistant.


REISLING .W. Classic vine. Too late, but does well in tunnel.


REKORD.H. W/D. By report, Large Muscat, Hungarian, disease resistant.

RIBSTON HALL.D. Good dessert grape, ripens well. True name unknown. Ex Ribston Hall school.


ROYAL MUSCADINE.D. Ancient UK wall vine, selection of Chasselas/


SAUVIGNON BLANC. W. Just too late. An early clone would be welcome.

SAVIGNAN .W. Supposed syn Traminer, being tested.

SCHEUREBE. W. High quality but just too late.


SEIBEL 5/279. See Aurore.

SEIBEL 5409.H.W. Promising, but just too late for me.


SENATOR.W. Ripens well, good sugars but weak vines.

SENECA.H.D. Ripens well, decent dessert, seems disease free.

SEPTIMER.W. Gewurtztraminer cross, lovely flavour but modest crops.


SHAKOKA. H.D. American early dessert, good reports.

SIBERA.H/W. German sort, amurensis ancestry. New on trial.

SILCHER. W. Kerner x Sylvaner Mid early in Germany. Suprisingly, promising so far.

SIRIUS .H.W D. Bacchus x SV1237 Promising, ripens well and good quality.

SOLARIS.H.W.D. New, very promising German resistant hybrid. Early, very high sugars.


SPARTAN 2. H.W. Green, seeded, ex USA. Possible wine grape.

STAUFFER. H.W. German, Promising new sort. Bacchus x S.V. 12375.

STOVER.HW. American, early, bred for Florida. On trial.
SUKRIBE.HW. From Latvia, reputedly good and early.

SUPARGA.HW. Latvian, reputed early wine grape.

SUZI. H.D. From A.V./R.S Hungarian, by report large bunch and berry, mid-early.

SYLVANER. W. Too late outside.

THEKLATRAUBE. D. Ex Wisley, Good ripe crops, promising.


THOMPSON’S (False).D .Purchased from France as Thompsons Seedless, an early large seeded grape. Ripens well, useful, but true name unknown.

TOTMUR.HW.Baco2-16.very early, low vigour, high acids. Good grapes.

TRAMINETTE .H.W .Johannes Seyve 23416 x Traminer Very good sugars, crop, flavour 2006..Excellent reputation in USA. One to watch.

TRIOMPHREBE. D/W. ex Wisley. Fine crop, flavour. Early. Promising..

V4904.HW. Vineland cross reputed robust, good wine. On trial.

VARDUVA.H.W. Originally from Lithuania. Early, light Labrusca..


VOSTORG D Russian breeding Vinohradnicky výskumný ústav J.I. Potapenko, Novočerkask, Rusko, early ripening and budding grown in greenhouse currently but so early I will trial outside. Parents: (Zarya severa x Dolores) x Russky rany see website of slovplant.cz

WHITE EDWARDS NO1 H.W/D. Own seedling, Seyval Blanc x Aurora. Early, promising.
WHITE MUSCAT. D. True name unknown needs wall, or greenhouse, superb crops. Looks and tastes like an early Muscat of Alexandria.

WHITE TOKAY. D Ex S. Smith, early dessert indoor.

WURZER. W.A quality grape, but late, Not easy to grow.


ZEFIR. W/D. From Hungary, good sugars and flavour 2006. May be a hybrid.


ES 10 – 18-30. HW. Ultra hardy Swenson hybrid, on trial.


ES12-6-96. HD. High sugars 2006, fine vinifera flavour.

SEEDLESS GRAPES, WHITE.

H = HYBRID. Useful disease resistance. Important outdoors, less so indoors, where mildew is not so common. Outdoors, many sorts are excellent, but probably not a commercial proposition.

BRONX. H. Pink. Good size and heavy crops, fine barely strawberry flavour.

CANNERS. Good flavour, large bunch, but late. Greenhouse only, may need heat.

CASTELMORRIS. H. Ripens well, indoors or out. Mild strawberry flavour.

CENTENNIAL. Fine Muscat quality, large for seedless. Will ripen outside.
DANUTA. New French sort, late, reported good quality. May need heat.

DAWN. Large berries for a seedless, good indoors.

DELIGHT. Early, and of excellent quality. Goes over quickly when ripe. EXALTA. NEW French sort, fine Muscat quality. Possible outdoors.

FIESTA. Indoors only, fine flavour, small berry, hangs well.

HIMROD. H. Thoroughly trialled, very good indoors or out. Good quality and reliable.

INTERLAKEN. H. Early and reliable, tough. Mild strawberry flavour.

KISHMISH KHIMRU. Probably originated in Uzbekistan. Big bunch, fine dessert quality.

KISHMISH LUCSISTUJ. New, from Moldavia, on trial.

KORINKA RUSSKAYA. H. Russian, new. By report, small grapes, early and good.

LAKEMONT. H. This had performed well for me both indoors and out. Fine quality.

NEW YORK SEEDLESS. H. True name unknown. Very large crops outside. Promising.

PERLETTE. Early, good quality indoors, but prone to split. Tender outside.

SULTANINE. On trial. Old sort from Afghanistan.

RAMDAS. H. Austrian, smallish grape but top quality. Early. Will ripen outside.

REMAILLY. H. Good quality and size, but indoors only, may need warmth.

SOMERSET. H. On trial. By report, pink, early, productive.

SPARTAN. H. From USA. medium berry, fine spicy flavour. Should ripen outside.
STOUT. H. Small berry, excellent flavour, hangs well.

SULIMA.H. Good bunch and berry, good flavour. Ripens indoors or out.

THOMPSON'S. Good quality, far better than from supermarkets, but indoors only.

THORNTON. H. Very early, reliable outside. Good sized berries of high quality strawberry flavour.

ES12-9-77. H. New and on trial. Swenson varieties usually perform well.

**SEEDLESS SORTS. BLACK And RED.**

ALVINA – black mostly seedless French origin This variety was produced in 1965 by INRA by crossbreeding Alphonse Lavallée N and Sultanine B, ripens in our polytunnel very productive

BEAUTY. Very early and of good quality. Does well indoors or out. Small but delicious grapes.

BLACK CORINTH. Ancient Greek sort, the currant grape. Small black grapes, fine flavour. Indoors only.

BLACK MONNUKA. Very old sort, by report, large purple berries. May need heat.

CANADICE. H. Red early, indoors or out. Good strawberry/spice flavour.

CENTURY. H. New Canadian sort. On trial.

CONCORD SEEDLESS. H. Rather good just strawberry flavour, a tough vine. Probably no relation to Concord.

CRIMSON. Pinky red, common in supermarkets, but better when ripe. Very large bunch, big berry for seedless, late. May need heat to ripen.

EINSETT. H. Red. Good strawberry flavour. Easy to grow indoors or out.

FANTASY. New. Interesting, large black grapes, but may need heat to ripen. High vigour. Poor wood ripening even in polytunnel.
FLAME. Red. Early and high quality indoors. Too tender and disease prone for outdoors.

GLENORA. H. Early black, small grapes but fine quality. Good indoors or out, good autumn leaf colour. *I think needs good site to set fruit – a S facing wall.*

KINGS RUBY. Old sort, probably needs a warm greenhouse for quality grapes.

KISHMISH MOLDAVSKIJ. New to me. By report, a good late black variety.

KORA KISHMISH. From Uzbekstan, on trial.

MARS. H. Big black grapes on small bunches with a strawberry flavour. Early, does well indoors or out. Hangs well..

RUBY. New to me, promising black grape so far.

SATURN. H. Dark red, good size and quality. Ripens indoors or out.


SUFFOLK. H. Large pinky red grapes, big loose bunches, fine spicy flavour. Ripens well outside, possible commercial potential.

VANESSA. H. Canadian, purple/red. Good quality, early, succeeds indoors or out.

VENUS. H. Big black grape, early, spicy/labrusca flavour. Well liked.

ES 3 22 18. H. Black, early, easy vine good loose bunches, excellent eating.

UNKNOWN. Came unlabelled, probably an American black vinifera. Early and good.

**BLACK AND RED GRAPE VARIETIES.**


ACOLON.W. (Limburger x Dornfelder). Good crops, promising.

AGAT DONSKI.H.W. Big crop, ripe at oe60, big loose bunches, some amurensis flavour.

AGRIA. W. Eger variety. Good wine, crops, popular in Hungary.

AGATHA.H.D. From Z.K. 11-07 On trial.

ALADIN.H.D. New French variety, for me, red, medium bunch and berry. Probably wrongly supplied. Needs a good site.

ALDEN. H.D. Vigorous, dark red, disease free, big berry, good crops, but late. Fine autumn colour.


BACO.I .H.W. Late. Rampant, disease free, good sugars. Possible port style wine.


BATH. HD. Red Labrusca, ripens. Really a juice grape, as berries small.

BLACK ALICANTE. D. Big, historic greenhouse grape, good quality. Hangs well.

BLACK CLUSTER. D. Ex Wisley. Rather earlier than Black Hamburg.


BLACK HAMBURG.D. Ancient greenhouse grape, easy, reliable, many clones. Ripe outside for me in 2006., but normally indoors only.

BLACK JULY. W/D. Very early, promising. May be Fruhburgunder.

BLACK PRINCE.D. Will ripen outside, big loose bunch, decent berry. Promise?

BLACK STRAWBERRY .H.D. Disease free, unknown labrusca variety.
BLAUE SILVANER. W. Mutation, just too late.
BLUE PORTUGUESE.W/D .Late, low sugars, variable crops.
BOLERO. H. From S.H. On trial
BOSKOOPS GLORY .H.D. Reliable mid early , big grape, good crop, flavour. Recommended. Award of Merit, RHS.
BRANT.H.D/W .Easy, disease free, late, but can produce good sugar levels. Fine autumn colour. Pleasant eating, some decent wine. Good cover vine.
BRILLIANT .H. D. American dessert ,on trial, strong strawberry flavour. Pink grapes, a good cover vine.
BUFFALO .H.D/W Large black grapes, with a bare hint of Labrusca flavour. Good dessert. Ripens here and hangs very well promising.
CABERNET CANTOR Seibel70-53 x Merzling) A disease resistant PIWI makes Merlot style wine, intense colour ( tasted single variety sample from Denmark in 2017 )which was very soft like Merlot). Ripens early.

CABERNET CORTIS. H.W. Solaris x Cabernet Sauvignon ripens early, strong tannin structure, wine needs aging or blending, potential for great wine. DM resistant but susceptible to PM in high pressure years. Has strong Cab Sauv flavour even in unprocessed grape.
CAMPBELL’S EARLY. H.D/W. American labrusca type, on trial.
CAPTIVATOR .H/R.T .a Munson variety ,ripens with Himrod, reputed high flavour, disease resistant.
CARDINAL.D .Very large, early red dessert. Wood is very poor. Ripens outside but needs a sheltered site. +1
CASTEL 19637.H.W.Ripens well, disease free, big crop, good sugars. Promising.
CHAMBOURCIN. W. Just too late at present. Easy, disease free, big crops, good wine if ripe. Two clones on trial, one from Wisley.

CHEDDAR PINOT. W. Found by me in a Mendip hedge, wild. A Pinot Meunier type, tough. Ripens well.


CHONTAY H. D.W/. New American, by report, cold hardy and good flavour.

CINSault.D/W. Big bunch and berry. -1. Probably just too late outside.

CONCORD. H.D. Famous American Labrusca variety, ripens in greenhouse. Too late outside.

COSMONAUT. D. Russian table grape, new 2005.

COT PRECOCE DE TOURS.W/. On trial, promising, ripens well.

DALNIVOSTOCK RAMMING. H.W. Early Russian sort, on trial.


D.M.8521-1.H/W. American, Small bunch and berry, good wine, disease resistance.

DM8521-5. H/W. Probably similar to above.

DOBSON. HRW. Probably open pollinated seedling of Delaware, from New Hampshire.

DOLCETTO. W. Italian. Promising.

DON MUSCAT.H.W/D. Early Russian grape. Good sugars, Muscat, promising.

DORNFELDER. W/D. Mid-late, mildew prone, big bunch, berry. Fine wine in Germany, where it is seen as dual purpose.
DUNKELFELDER. W. Early, intense colour ,mildew prone. Useful colouriser.


FESTIVEE.H.D. Canadian, reportedly good, on trial.

FLORENTAL .HW. Bred 1959,Gamay hybrid, syn Burdin 7705..Low vigour. Ripened 2006

FOCH. H.W. Disease free hybrid, similar Triomphe D'Alsace. Very good wine, has won major prizes in the USA.

FRANKENTHALAR. WD. Probably clone, possible seedling, Black Hamburgh.


FRUHBURGUNDER. W. Very ancient, early, P. Noir mutation. Poor crops in Germany, good wood. Planted successfully in the UK. as Pinot Noir, Early clone.


GAMAY NOIR .W. Late, just ripens. Needs a very good site.

GAMAY TIENTURER. W .Late, ripens , just ,an unreliable cropper.


GOLUBEK.HW. Like Rondo “but better” .Fine autumn colour. Saperavi Severnyi x Alibert.(Alicante Bouschet x Cabernet Sauvignon.)Tienturer, ripens.

GRIZZLY FRONTIGNAN. D. Tawny greenhouse muscat, top quality but berries small. Borderline ripening outside.


GUNA. HD. Early Latvian dessert variety. Labrusca flavour.

GWATKINS BLACK. Local variety, true name unknown.

HEGEL. W. Helfensteiner x Heroldrebe. Sister seedling to Dornfelder.

HELFENSTEINER. W. New German wine grape, possible promise.


IVAN. HW From USA, probably Seibel 13053 seedling. Very early and productive. I have two sorts under this name, one probably genuine, the other a good pink dessert Labrusca.

IVAN 2. H. Misnamed, rather good pink labrusca.

JODUPE. HW. Lithuanian. Medium berries, early, disease free. Promising.

JOHN VIOLA. H.D. Early, hardy, Labrusca flavour, but ripens.


KEEWAHDIN. HW. Bred by Byron Johnston, USA, very hardy, vigorous.

KEMPSEY BLACK. H.D. Mid-late, high quality, disease free. Big grape. Promising. Similar to Boskoop’s Glory.

KING OF THE NORTH. HT/W. New early Concord type.

KODRIANKA. D. From Z.K. 11-07. By report, a large early
dessert.
KUIBISHEVSKI .H.D. Very early amurensis hybrid. Nice, but mildew
prone.
KYOHO.HD .Very big black dessert. Probably too late
outside.
LANDOT 244.H.W. Late, variable crops, reputed good wine.
LANDOT 3217.H.W. Ex Wisley. Not in Galet translation. Ripens well, good
sugars.
LEON MILLOT.H..W .very similar to Triomphe D'Alsace. A bit later.
LEMBURGER. W. Syn Blaufrankish. Fine, but too late outside.
-1. Ripe to dessert standard 2005/6, very promising.

LUCY KUHLMAN.HW. Another Kuhlman hybrid, new to UK. Good sugars in
2006.
MADELEINE NOIR. W. Early, good sugars, a small grape though well
flavoured. Probably a selection of Fruhburgunder.

MADRESFIELD COURT.D. Early greenhouse muscat. Fine, but not easy to
crop.
MARSHAL JOFFRE.HW. Very early, disease free. Ideal for poor sites. Good
wine.
MERLOT.W. Classic wine grape, good in tunnel. Too late
outside.
MINNESOTA 78..HT Female, mild labrusca, an excellent parent – many of its
offspring inherit earliness, hardiness, and disease resistance.
MITCHINURETZ. HW. Vitis Amurensis cross.
MITCHINURETZ.H. False, with tiny pink grapes. Oe 105 in 2006. Came to
me mislabelled.
MN1211.H/W. U of Minnesota selection, reputed good. Now named
Marquette.
MOLDAVIA. D. A,V. 11-07. Large blue dessert, probably too
late.
MONARCH. H.W. New, Freiburg, Solaris x Dornfelder. Fine reports.

MOORE'S EARLY.H.D. Promising, but identity uncertain.

MOSCATO D'ADDO.D/W. Breeding is Muscat Hamburg, open pollinated. Muscat Hamburg. Reported large berry. On trial. Ripens early September in Italy, supplier, N. Faugstead, says it ripens in the UK.

MRS PINCE'S BLACK MUSCAT.D .Fine late greenhouse grape, needs no heat.


MUSCAT BLEU.H.D. New continental hybrid, on trial, ripens well, fine flavour, promising, good disease resistance.


MUSCAT HAMBURGH.D. Fine, rather difficult indoor dessert. Comes close to ripening outside for me.

NIEDEROTHER MONSCHREBE.D.W. German, interesting, many tiny bunches of intensely coloured black grapes. May be a wild sort.

NERO.HWD. Hungarian table/wine grape, some amurensis background. Good.

NEW YORK MUSCAT. H.D. Disease resistant, good. Ripens well outside, fine flavour.

NEZNIJ.H.W. By report, early red grape. On trial.

NOIR HATIF DE MARSEILLES .D/W. Early, good Muscat flavour, moderate crops.


OSELLA.H/T. New blue table grape, early and good by report. On trial.

PETIT ROUGE. W. Good wine in N. Italy. On trial, possibilities.

PINOT NOIR.. W. Classic wine grape. Borderline ripener. If used, get an early clone. Best used for sparkling wine. See also Fruhburgunder.
PINOT MEUNIER. W. See Wrotham Pinot., which is an early clone of this sort.

PINOT ST.LAURENT. W. Ancient ,ripens, potential fine wine.


PORTLAND.HD. Concord type but earlier.

PRECOCE NOIR. D/W. Promising sugars, May be a synonym for Fruhburgunder.

PRICE.HD. New 2003. Medium berry, good light Labrusca. Ripens well..

PRIMA. D. Cardinal x Lival .Big berry and bunch ,fine dessert quality.. +1/2.Very promising new dessert variety. Unfortunately, the wood is poor.

PRINCE OF WALES. D. Big berry, fine flavour. A greenhouse variety, but near ripe 2006.


RATHEY.HW. A Blauberger hybrid.

REGENT .HWD .New German hybrid, ripens well. Promising for wine.

REMBRANT .H.D. Mid late, high vigour, good strawberry flavour. Disease free


RIZEMAT. D. From Z.K. 11-07. By report, large but late.

ROESTLER.HW.A Zweigeltrebe hybrid.

ROI DES PRECOCES. D. Unknown origin. small bunches, medium grapes. +1/2.

RONDO.H.W.(GM6494-5)Early, good crops, decent sugars. Good wine .Not mildew free No real disease resistance, no matter what some sellers may tell you..

ROTBERGER.W/D. New German variety, big grape, a bit late for me.

SAPERAVI SEVERNYI. H.W. Amurensis cross, ripens, good sugars.
SCHWARTZREISLING. W. German clone of P. Meunier. Promising.
SCHUYLER. H.D. Mid-late, disease free, big grape, good eating. Promising.
SEIBEL 5455. D.W. Ripens, just. Enormous crops but best sites only.
SEIBEL 7053. H.W. Just too late but huge disease free crops.
SEIBEL 13053. H.W. Midseason, very reliable, good rose or port style wine.

SEVERNYI. H.W. Old Russian female amurensis cross. May be Cabernet Severnyi.

SHAKOKA (false). Black Labrusca, ripens, ex T. Skuriat,
SIRVANTA. H.W. Early Lithuanian grape, makes rose or white wine.
SOLERA. H.D. From both R.S and A.V. 11-07. By report, fine dessert, probably too late.

SPULGA. H.W. Latvian, for whites or light reds.

SWENSON RED. H.D. On trial, ripens, promising.
TERESHKOVA. H.D. Russian mid season, good grapes, autumn colour. On trial.
TIENTURER. W/D. High tannins, really a wine grape, unusual. Used in France for juice. -1.
TRIOMPHE d'ALSACE. H.W. Reliable, disease free. Good sugars, fine wine.


VAN BUREN .H.D. Big coarse Labrusca

VINO NORDICA .HD. Early dessert Labrusca ,from Scandinavia. Very good sugars but sharp slipskin. Smallish berry.


VITIS PURPUREA. W. Purple leaved ornamental, will ripen on wall. Disease prone.

VITIS PURPUREA(SPETCHLEY PARK)H.W. Ripens, disease free, fine autumn colour. Promising.


WROTHAM PINOT. W. Late, ripens .Ancient, tough, ornamental. Good whites.


ZWEIGELTREBE. W .Late, big crops, Austrian. Marginal ripener, some good roses. Fine wine in Austria, and a likely beneficiaryin the U.K. of any global warming.

ES5-3-89. x CASTEL. H/W. On trial.

ES5-8-17.HW. Very early female variety .All cleared by wasps 5/9/06.

ES10-18-50HW, Reported as high vigour

ES10-22-21HWT. Blue, reputedly good eating though a medium cluster and small grape.

ES12-9-32.HW. Very early, small bunch and seeds, high sugars..
VITIS AMURENSIS. Sugar oe 80 2006.
VITIS COGNETEAE. Many small bunches 2006, sugars 95oe, very clean, good flavour A complete surprise..