



Auten Peonies

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Cultivar	Form	Color 1	Color 2	Originator	Date	Group	Reference	Registered	Description
Alaska	J	red	wine red	Auten	1925	Lactiflora	1925-025:25	Rg	Japanese, wine red.
Alstead	J	pink	deep pink	Auten	1939	Lactiflora	1940-080:41	Rg	Deep pink Jap with all yellow center, on fine plant. Offered first under name "Peter Pan" which belongs to an earlier variety.
Andy	S-D	red	dark red	Auten	1936	Lactiflora	1936-065:30	Rg	A very rich dark red semi-double, early mid-season trim bloom, nearly full petalled. Honorable mention, Des Moines 1932.
Angelus	S	white	white	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:32	Rg	A white single, opening creamy flesh. Stiff stems, medium height. Very distinct.
Arapahoe	J	red	black-red	Auten	1945	Lactiflora	1976-K:005		Japanese - Red - Midseason. A rich black red, the center holds. Center is red, heavily edged and tipped light yellow. Has shown exceptional keeping qualities as a cut flower. Distinct and outstanding. Auten's letter, 1955, Auten catalog.
Arcturus	S	red	dark red	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:32	Rg	A large, dark red single, brilliant and enduring. Stiff stems. Will rate among the very best.
Arrow Maker	S	red	deep crimson	Auten / Wild & Son	1968	Herb. Hybrid	1968-190:27	Rg	Early. Single. 25" tall; 4-5" flower. Deep crimson, smaller and darker than 2776, named RED ROMANCE. Not too heavy a bloomer. Good stock. Seedling # 2745.
Auten's Pride	D	pink	light pink	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:33	Rg	Just about as near perfection as it is possible for a peony to be. Very large, full double light pink, with flesh and lavender shades, rose fragrant, fine substance. Stiff stems just above medium height. Late, and a very sure opener.
Auten's Red	D	red	dark red	Auten	1951	Herb. Hybrid	1953-129:31		Double, dark red.

Avelyn	B	red	dark red	Auten	1943	Herb. Hybrid	1943-Cat-Auten:15		Officinalis Hybrid. A magnificent clear dark red bomb, loose pettaled and opening easily. Early. Sets an entirely new standard of quality in Hybrid doubles. Only four clumps in existence. No description can do it justice. \$50.00
Beacon Hill	S	red	dark red	Auten	1937	Herb. Hybrid	1937-069:36	Rg	Officinalis X Chinensis Hybrid. Large dark red single on tall stiff stems. My earliest hybrid to bloom.
Belle Chinoise	D	white	white	Auten	1935	Lactiflora	1935-061:27	Rg	Double. White. This exquisite bloom has stiff stems of medium height. It is immaculate white, double with loose petalage and is rose fragrant.
Betsey Ross	D	white	white	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:57	Rg	Late white double, petals incurved; fragrant. Occasional red splashes. Tall, slender stiff stems. A magnificent peony.
Big Ben	B	red	dark red	Auten	1943	Lactiflora	1943-B091:05		Double. Tall dark red bomb. Fragrant. Good cut flower.
Black Gold	S-D	red	dark red	Auten	1946	Herb. Hybrid	1976-K:009		Semi-double - Dark Red. Probably the darkest of Auten's hybrids. Glossy, with a very few yellow markings. Medium size, very distinct. Officinalis x albiflora. List in Bulletin 129.
Black Hawk	S	red	dark red	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:32	Rg	A very distinct and fine dark single red, early, and the bloom lasts a long time. Black red stems, medium height.
Black Magic	S	red	black-red	Auten	1929	Lactiflora	1929-039:42	Rg	A "black" red single, with carpels greenish white. Holds color exceptionally well in hot sun. Medium height.
Blaze of Fire	D	red	scarlet red	Auten / Wild & Son	1965	Herb. Hybrid	1965-179:24	Rg	Early midseason. Double. A beautiful scarlet red hybrid! The one row of large petals surround a bomb center of finely cut petals. The color of BLAZE OF FIRE is similar to DIANNA PARKS; form is similar to ANGELO COBB FREEBORN. Heavy stems. Seedling # 1841.
Blazing Star	S-D	red	dark red	Auten	1937	Lactiflora	1937-069:36	Rg	Very brilliant dark red semi-double which holds its color. Medium sized bloom sure to open.
Bo-Peep	J	red	cherry red	Auten	1944	Lactiflora	1944-Cat-Auten:12		A cheerful little Jap, near cherry red flushed to almost white in the center. Petals held cupped and erect for some time. Good plant. A distinct novelty. Looks like a single. \$1.50

Bonfire	B	red	dark red	Auten	1956	Lactiflora	1976-K:010		Very early. Tall. Dark red bomb showing some of the color of one of its parents, Radiant Red. Trim bloom on tall, stiff stems. Letter from Mr. Auten, April, 1956. Auten's 1956 catalog.
Bright Eyes	D	red	red	Auten	1950	Herb. Hybrid	1976-K:011		Double - Red. A very bright red, with contrasting yellow markings. As snappy as the name implies. Officinalis x albiflora. List in Bulletin 129.
Bright Eyes	D	red	bright red	Auten	1950	Herb. Hybrid	1953-129:31		Double, bright red with Jap markings.
Burst of Joy	S	red	red	Auten / Wild & Son	1968	Herb. Hybrid	1968-190:27	Rg	Good red single hybrid. Early. Seedling # Auten's 2723.
Calumet	S	red	red	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:57	Rg	Early brilliant red single, tall, stiff stems.
Campfire	B	red	red	Auten	1956	Lactiflora	1976-K:012		Midseason. Dwarf plant. Fragrant. Brilliant red bomb. Medium size on dwarf plant with stiff stems. A seedling of old Edulis Superba, which evidently responded to a fortunate cross pollenization. Outstanding for garden effect. Letter from Mr. Auten. April, 1956. Auten 1956 Catalog.
Captain Kidd	S-D	red	dark red	Auten	1934	Lactiflora	1934-058:43	Rg	A large, tall semi-double, very rich dark red.
Carnival	B	red	dark red	Auten	1962	Lactiflora	1962-B165:33		dark red bomb, late, stiff stems.
Carolina Moon	B	white	white	Auten	1940	Lactiflora	1940-080:41	Rg	Bomb type. Yellow center with white guards. Fine stem. Earlier than other yellow centered doubles.
Cathie Ann	D	pink	rose pink	Auten	1942	Lactiflora	1943-Cat-Auten:15		A deep rose pink double, no stamens nor seed pods. Rose fragrant, 40 inches tall, leaves start near the ground. A stiff stem. Bloom 15 inches above the foliage. Heavy substance, good out of cold storage. Late midseason. My best seedling for commercial pink out of many thousands during 27 years of Peony breeding. \$1, 2 or 3, \$20.00 each; 5 for \$75.00; 10 for \$100.00
Chaminade	J	pink	light pink	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:32	Rg	Light pink Jap with all yellow center. Tall stiff stems, good substance. Any musician will appreciate the appropriateness of the name.

Chief Justice	S-D	red	red	Auten	1941	Herb. Hybrid	1941-Cat-Auten:06		Officinals Hybrid. New introduction 1941. Rich red semi-double, of good, size, on stiff stems. One of latest hybrids. \$6.00
Chieftan	D	red	red	Auten	1956	Lactiflora	1976-K:015		Double - Red - Very Early. A very rich dark red bomb, on a good plant. Letter from Mr. Auten, April 1956. Auten's 1956 catalog.
China Boy	S	red	brilliant red	Auten	1942	Herb. Hybrid	1942-Cat-Auten:05		A brilliant red single, almost scarlet, on a dwarf plant. Two rows of petals, nicely rounded, making a trim bloom on a shapely plant. Very distinct and fine. \$10.00
Chocolate Soldier			questionable	Auten	1939	Herb. Hybrid	1940-080:40	Rg	Officinalis hybrid. "Black" red Jappy bomb type, with some yellow dots on center petals. Color unusually rich, and free from purple suggestion.
Christine	J	white	white	Auten	1945	Lactiflora	1976-K:015		Jap. - White - Early. Tall. Large bloom, narrow thread-like filaments. Very vigorous plant, stiffly erect. Auten's letter, 1955. Auten catalog.
Circus Clown	D	red	orange-red	Auten / Wild & Son	1965	Herb. Hybrid	1965-179:24	Rg	Red. Height 12-15 inches. Early. Full double hybrid. Well packed blooms of orange-red. Seedling # Auten 2560.
Citation			no info	Auten			1976-K:123		
Cleopatra	D	red	dark red	Auten	1939	Lactiflora	1940-080:41	Rg	Dark red double, very late, opens well. Some fragrance.
Clorinda	C	blush	blush white	Auten	1926	Lactiflora	1926-028:31	Rg	A rose fragrant, delicate blush white, crown or low bomb type; good keeper, no stamens. A refined bloom.
Cloud Castle	D	pink	silvery pink	Auten	1945	Lactiflora	1962-W:074		Double. With silvery pink shades, fragrant, blooms well. The 32" stems are willowy and so they sometimes fall. Blooms rather late.
Cordova	J	white	white	Auten	1946	Lactiflora	1976-K:017		Jap - White. A very large bloom, white with light yellow center. Fine plant. Outstanding. Auten's catalog.
Corinne	S	pink	blush pink	Auten	1926	Lactiflora	1938-W&D:106		Single. Medium size, blush pink, midseason. Carpels hairy, with dark pink tips; disk distinct, light pink. Plant large, compact; flowers numerous and showing well above the foliage.
Country Dance	S	white	opens blush	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:57	Rg	White single, opening blush white, early, green carpels. Tall stiff stems.

Creve Coeur	A	red	dark red	Auten	1929	Lactiflora	1929-039:42	Rg	A brilliant dark red anemone Jap. Center at first darker than guards. Later changes to same color, and a distinct narrow white line appears on the outside of the petaloids, running from the base along the center for about two-thirds length, the stripe widening and irregular at its upper end. Medium sized blooms, rose fragrant, carried on tall, stiff slender stems. A very distinct and beautiful variety.
Dakota	S	red	orange scarlet tones	Auten	1941	Herb. Hybrid	1943-B091:34		Single. Lacti x officinalis. Brilliant medium red with orange scarlet tone.
Dance Caprice	S-D	flesh	fades white	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:33	Rg	Fine flesh, semi-double, fading white, best described as a much refined Lady Alexandra Duff. Tall, stiff stems, medium size blooms, good substance, very trim, fine finished bloom. Very distinct and pleasing.
Dancing Nymph	S	pink	pearly pink	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:32	Rg	A late pearly pink single, crinkled, color stays good as it fades lighter. Stem and carriage extra good.
Dandy Dan	S-D	red	dark red	Auten	1946	Herb. Hybrid	1976-K:018		Semi-Double - Dark Red - Hybrid. Tall. A brilliant red bloom with some stamens showing. Beautiful form, on tall stiff stems. Color very fine. Officinalis x albiflora. List in Bulletin 129.
Daniel Boone	?	red	dark red	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:57	Rg	Large, high-built dark red, stamens nearly hidden, on tall, straight, stiff stems. Very distinct and outstanding. A real addition to the list of high class reds.
Day Dream	J	pink	pink	Auten, R.W. / Auten, E. Jr.	1939	Lactiflora	1940-080:41	Rg	Pink and yellow Jap, medium sized bloom carried gracefully on stiff slender stems above the foliage.
Dazzler	S	red	black-red	Auten	1956	Herb. Hybrid	1976-K:019		Single --Red - Early - Hybrid. Medium to low height. A single, with two rows of petals. Very rich black red, filaments pink. Stiff stems. Officinalis x albiflora. Letter from Mr. Auten, April, 1956. Mr. Auten's 1956 catalog.
Dearborn	D	red	dark red	Auten	1929	Lactiflora	1929-039:43	Rg	A brilliant medium dark red semi-rose double, with stamens well hidden. Late mid-season, medium height. Color holds exceptionally well in hot sun.

Detroit	B	red	red	Auten	1948	Lactiflora	1976-K:020		Double - Red - Early. Medium height. A very large red bomb, fairly early. Auten catalog, 1955.
Do Tell	J	pink	pink	Auten	1946	Lactiflora	1976-K:021		Jap. - Pink. Outer petals very pale orchid pink, narrow center petals much darker, some of them red. A very striking combination, with the color contrast the strongest of any type I (Auten) have seen. Letter from Mr. Auten, 1955. Auten catalog.
Dr Jekyll	J	red	dark red	Auten	1936	Lactiflora	1936-065:30	Rg	Plays a dual role. A late, brilliant dark red Jap, with center flushed distinctly lighter. At the same time there will often be well built semi-double blooms. Plant habit and garden effect extra good.
Dragon's Nest	J-C	red	bright red	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:32	Rg	Very bright red guards, a bright yellow Jap collar and a tuft of red petals in the center, a very bold and striking modified Jap. Hon. Men., Am. Peony Society, 1933.
Dress Parade	J	red	light red	Auten	1937	Lactiflora	1937-069:36	Rg	Light red Jap, lighter center, one of first Japs to bloom.
Drummer Boy	J	red	red	Auten	1952	Lactiflora	1976-K:022		Double - Red - Late. A very brilliant dark red bomb on a stiff-stemmed dwarf plant, the trim foliage, the beautifully formed blooms, carried boldly erect, all combine to make an especially effective display. Auten 1955 catalog - letter.
Dusky Dinah	S	red	black-red	Auten	1946	Herb. Hybrid	1976-K:023		Single - Black Red - Hybrid. Dark winey red, usually with three rows of petals and lovely yellow center. Substance outstanding. Officinalis x albiflora. List in Bulletin 129.
Early Scout	S	red	deep red	Auten	1952	Herb. Hybrid	1962-W:091		(Richard Carvel X single tenuifolia) Single, very early, deep red, good color; dense bush, with distinctive ferny foliage.
El Capitan	S-D	red	light red	Auten	1937	Lactiflora	1937-069:36	Rg	Large light red semi-double. Late midseason, good stem.
Eldorado	B	red	brilliant red	Auten	1956	Herb. Hybrid	1976-K:025		Double - Red - Early - Hybrid. Brilliant red bomb, with some Japanese type petaloids in the full center. Officinalis x albiflora. Letter from Mr. Auten, April, 1956. Auten's 1956 catalog.
Elfin Pink	S	pink	soft pink	Auten	1937	Lactiflora	1937-069:36	Rg	Single. A soft even pink that holds its color unusually well, medium size.

Elfin White	S	white	white	Auten	1941	Lactiflora	1943-B091:06		Single. White.
Elmer J. Wright	S	red	dark red	Auten	1929	Lactiflora	1929-039:43	Rg	A large dark red single carried on a plant of regal bearing, tall stiff stems and leathery foliage. Green carpels.
Eloise	D	pink	cream pink	Auten	1934	Lactiflora	1934-058:43	Rg	A large, late cream pink double, late.
Explorer	J	red	dark red	Auten	1955	Lactiflora	1976-K:028		(Auten, 1955) - Jap. - Red - Midseason. Tall. A large dark red Jap with the usual yellow markings in the center. The side buds are especially brilliant. On tall, stiff stems. Auten catalog. 1955 Letter.
Fair Elaine	J	pink	soft pink	Auten, R.W. / Auten, E. Jr.	1939	Lactiflora	1940-080:41	Rg	Japanese, soft light pink and yellow, larger and lighter than Day Dream, but with same charming carriage of bloom above the foliage.
Fairbanks	J	white	opens blush	Auten	1945	Lactiflora	1976-K:029		(Auten, 1945) - Jap. - White. Very tall. Distinctive in this list because it is the latest to bloom and opens palest pink, fading to white, with the usual yellow center. Vigorous. Date from Mr. Auten's letter. Auten catalog 1955.
Fairy Dance	S	pink	pink	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:57	Rg	Pink single, early, green carpels, tall stiff stems.
Fairy Queen	S	pink	pink	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:57	Rg	Pink single, green carpels, several rows of petals, color similar to Therese, stiff stem, medium height.
Fairy Tale	A	red	dark red	Auten	1962	Lactiflora	1962-B165:33		dark red anemone, almost a bomb.
Fairyland	no info		no info	Auten			1976-K:124		
Fanchon	D	red	black-red	Auten	1945		1976-K:029		(Auten, 1945) - Double - Red - Midseason. Brilliant black red bomb, fiery, unfading and long lasting. Narrow center petals. Just below medium height and very stiff stems. Very unusual, very fine. Date from Mr. Auten's letter; Auten catalog 1955.
Fancy Free	J	red	orange red	Auten	1951	Herb. Hybrid	1976-K:029		(Auten, 1951) - Jap. - Red. - Early - Hybrid. A brilliant orange red, with yellow markings and occasionally a tuft in the center. Officinalis x albiflora. List in Bulletin 129.

Fancy Nancy	J	pink	cerise pink	Auten	1944	Lactiflora	1976-K:029		(Auten, 1944) - Jap. - Pink. A soft cerise pink, almost uniform in color, of exceptional purity and refinement. Mr. Auten's letter. Auten catalog, 1955.
Fantasy	A	pink	deep pink	Auten	1925	Lactiflora	1925-025:25	Rg	Anemone type which gives a Japanese effect. Outer petals deep pink, center yellow. In some blooms one or two tufted petals the same color as the guards rise out of the center. Large size, slight fragrance, green carpels. This resembles the Japanese variety, Queen Alexandra in general effect, but with me has excelled it in every way.
Favorita	S	red	orange red	Auten	1956	Herb. Hybrid	1976-K:029		(Auten, 1956) - Single - Red - Early - Hybrid. Orange red, bright, deep. Single with two rows of petals. The color very fine. Stiff stems. Officinalis x albiflora. Letter from Mr. Auten, April, 1956. Auten's 1956 catalog.
Fiesta	S	red	orange red	Auten	1956	Herb. Hybrid	1976-K:030		(Auten, 1956) - Single - Red - Early - Hybrid. Tall. Orange red. Single with two rows of petals. The color holds. Bloom medium size, stems tall and stiff. Officinalis x albiflora. Letter from Mr. Auten, April, 1956. Auten's 1956 catalog.
Fire Bird	D	red	black-red	Auten	1956	Herb. Hybrid	1976-K:030		(Auten, 1956) - Double - Red - Early - Hybrid, Black red. Large full double, with some hidden Japanese type marking. Good stems. Officinalis x albiflora. Letter from Mr. Auten, April, 1956. Auten's 1956 catalog.
Fire Chief	J	red	deep red	Auten	1934	Lactiflora	1934-058:43	Rg	novelty Jap. Brilliant deep red and yellow, anemone type center, very bold.
Flower Girl	D	blush	fades white	Auten	1935	Lactiflora	1935-061:26	Rg	Double. Blush. This is a trim, perfect double bloom on a dwarf, stiff-stemmed plant about twenty-five inches high. It is blush fading to white and rose fragrant.
Fortune Teller	S	red	light red	Auten	1936	Lactiflora	1936-065:30	Rg	Light red single, large bloom on good plant.

Galena	D	red	deep rose	Auten	1948	Lactiflora	1976-K:033		(Auten, 1948) - Double - Deep Rose - Late. Tall. Not fragrant. An entirely new shade, mulberry, or maybe very deep rose. Bomb type, on stiff stems, with low foliage; a perfect plant for commercial cut-flowers, much admired by many people. It has exceptional substance. Recommended for the northern half of the peony belt only. Auten catalog, 1955.
Gallant Red	J	red	dark red	Auten	1945		1976-K:033		(Auten, 1945) - Jap. - Dark Red - Earliest. Rich dark red, almost solid color, does not fade. Stiff stems, very vigorous plant. 1945 given as date by Mr. Auten. 1950 by Wild catalog. Wild 1955 catalog.
Garden Glory	D	red	dark red	Auten	1956	Lactiflora	1976-K:033		(Auten, 1956) - Double - Red - Late. Tall. Outstanding for color, a dark red. The color holds. Anemone type, almost a bomb. Stiff stems. Letter from Mr. Auten, April, 1956. Auten's catalog 1956.
Gay Paree	J	pink	deep cerise	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:32	Rg	A most outstanding novelty, entirely distinct. Guards deep cerise, anemone Jap type center with ethereal lights flushing to white. Some blooms have a central tuft. Medium sized bloom, good substance, fine stem and plant.
Goblin	J	red	bright red	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:56	Rg	Bright red Jap, petaloids tipped and streaked lighter; free blooming; tall stiff stems.
Golden Gate	J	pink	deep pink	Auten	1946	Lactiflora	1976-K:036		(Auten, 1946) - Was Gold Standard, changed in 1952. - Jap. - Pink. Tall. A deep pink with trim yellow center. Large bloom, good substance. Auten catalog 1955. Auten's letter.
Good News	S	red	orange red	Auten	1946	Herb. Hybrid	1976-K:036		(Auten, 1946) - Single - Orange Red - Early - Hybrid. Distinct shade of deep orange red, with deep yellow stamens in center. Foliage quite distinct. Officinalis x albiflora. List in Bulletin 129.
Graduation Day	S	white	white	Auten	1939	Lactiflora	1940-080:41	Rg	White single, well finished bloom on good plant.
Habanera	S	red	light red	Auten	1930	Lactiflora	1930-043:28	Rg	An early light red single, edges fade lighter as the flower ages. Good size and plant habit.
Heart of Knox	J	red	red	Auten	1939	Lactiflora	1940-080:41	Rg	Small novelty red Jap, brilliant, odd shade, for table decoration. Tall plant.

Hennepin	S	red	balck red	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:57	Rg	Brilliant black red single, medium size bloom; medium height. Honorable Mention, A. P. S., 1931.
Hi Fi	no info		no info	Auten / Wild & Son			1976-K:125		
High Jinks	A	red	cerise red	Auten	1929	Lactiflora	1929-039:42	Rg	A very deep and brilliant cerise red anemone Jap, narrow center petaloids same color shading to white. Carpels tipped red. Late, tall.
Highlight	D	red	dark red	Auten / Wild & Son	1952	Lactiflora	1952-126:45	Rg	Double. Late midseason. Red. Parentage not given. Dark red of pleasing color, form and good substance. Medium height, good stems. A "highlight" in the garden. Seedling # Auten 930
Hollywood	J	pink	cerise pink	Auten	1937	Lactiflora	1937-069:36	Rg	Novelty Jap. Unusual shade of creamy cerise pink. Large trim blooms on stiff stems of medium height. Late.
Howdy	D	red	dark red	Auten	1962	Lactiflora	1962-B165:33		very brilliant dark red, large, late, stems bend some. (form not specified in this Auten ad, thus double assumed)
Humoresque	?	pink	light pink	Auten	1925	Lactiflora	1925-025:25	Rg	Late blooming, a sure opener, and stands up as well in sudden hot spells. Erect habit, not extra large, recommended for garden effect and where hot weather spoils the late kinds. Rather flat bloom, higher in center, three center petals forming a hollow ball till flower is full blown. Light pink, with unusual markings of red, and unusual form of flower. Honorable Mention, American Peony Society, Des Moines, 1924.
Illini	S	red	black red	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:57	Rg	Black red single, large blooms, tall, stiff stems, extra fine.
Iroquois	J	red	dark red	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:56	Rg	A medium dark red Jap, golden edges on petaloids. Stiff stem.
Janet	B	red	cerise red	Auten	1940	Herb. Hybrid	1940-080:40	Rg	Officinalis hybrid. Large bomb or full double, deep cerise red. Tall. Formerly offered as No. 131. Seedling # 131.
John Harvard	S	red	dark red	Auten	1939	Herb. Hybrid	1940-080:40	Rg	Officinalis hybrid . Dark red single, two or three rows of petals. Early bloomer. Tall stiff stems. Color clear and does not fade.

Joyce	D	pink	pink	Auten	1938	Lactiflora	1938-073:47	Rg	Pink double, trim bloom, rather flat which should open well. Color a clear pink close to that of Milton Hill. A charming bloom. Good stem. Honorable Mention, Shenandoah Show 1938.
Juanita	D	white	flesh white	Auten	1943	Lactiflora	1943-B091:06		Lactiflora. Double. Flesh white of great refinement.
Julia	D	pink	pale pink	Auten	1926	Lactiflora	1927-030:36	Rg	A late, uniform pale pink, full double. A flower of great refinement. Seedling # 1A743.
June Brilliant	D	red	dark red	Auten	1938	Lactiflora	1938-072:56	Rg	Late red full double, medium size, not fragrant, petals much curved or waved, nearly flat across top of bloom. Dark red, flushed deeper in center, extra substance. On tall slender, stiff stems. Very distinct.
June Giant	D	red	dark red	Auten	1941	Lactiflora	1943-B091:06		Lactiflora. Double. Enormous dark red. One of the largest reds.
June Moon	S	white	white	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:57	Rg	White single, opening pale flesh. Good size and substance, green carpels, medium height, stiff stems, fairly late.
Kahokia	S	red	black red	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:57	Rg	Black red single, about medium height, stiff stems.
Kankakee	S	red	red	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:57	Rg	Late brilliant medium dark red single, medium height, stiff stems.
Kaskaskia	S	red	dark red	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:57	Rg	Extra early brilliant dark red single, dwarf.
Kathryn Curran	D	white	white	Auten	1952	Lactiflora	1976-K:048		(Auten, 1952) - Double - White - Late. Rose fragrant. A large pure white of special refinement and charm. A mass of trim foliage starting at the ground level, the blooms carried gracefully about it. Auten catalog - 1955. Date furnished by Mr. Auten.
Keepsake	S	red	orange red	Auten	1955	Herb. Hybrid	1976-K:048		(Auten, 1955) - Single - Red - Early - Hybrid. Tall. A later dark orange red single, the filaments red. Trim petals, stems straight, stiff. Auten catalog 1955.
Kewanee	S	red	dark red	Auten	1930	Lactiflora	1930-043:28	Rg	A distinctive dark red single, tending more towards carmine than crimson. Long season of bloom, and color holds.
Kickapoo	S	red	dark red	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:57	Rg	A late bright dark red single, stiff stems, medium height.

Kiowa	S	red	light red	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:57	Rg	Extra early light red single, good stem and plant. Lasting qualities exceptional. A valuable addition.
La Salle	S	red	dark red	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:57	Rg	Very brilliant medium dark red single, stiff stems, medium height, early.
Lady Jane	A	red	red	Auten	1962	Lactiflora	1962-B165:33		rich red anemone bomb, early, tall, stiff stems.
Linda	D	pink	pink	Auten	1955	Lactiflora	1976-K:054		(Auten, 1955) - Double - Pink - Late. Tall. A large flat pink double. Stiff stems. Auten 1955 catalog.
Louis Joliet	D	red	red	Auten	1929	Lactiflora	1929-039:42	Rg	A very brilliant dark semi-rose type double, with a few stamens. Blooms large, well carried on stems of medium height.
Louisville	S	pink	cerise pink	Auten	1940	Herb. Hybrid	1940-080:40	Rg	Officinalis hybrid. Single, with two rows of petals, very early. A charming shade of clear, deep cerise pink, fading lighter but holding its charm to the last.
Lucky Day	S	pink	deep pink	Auten	1934	Lactiflora	1934-058:43	Rg	A long-keeping deep pink single.
Lucky Star	D	red	dark red	Auten	1938	Lactiflora	1938-073:47	Rg	Dark red, full double. Not fragrant. Very late, high-built bloom, sure to open. A few Jap markings on some of the petals. Distinctive in shape. Less than five inches in diameter borne on tall, slender, stiff stems.
Mad Cap	S	red	flushed white	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:57	Rg	Medium red single, flushed to white, very unusual; late, stiff stem, tall.
Maestro	D	red	dark red	Auten	1955	Lactiflora	1962-W:080		Double. Dark red, with a faint purplish hue, the blooms do not glare and hold their color for some time. Being a double and a deep red, with much good pollen, this variety is fine for breeding. Side blooms may be flatter and more open. Three-foot stout stems seem to produce regular and plentiful blooms which are held well above the main bush. Could go with semi-doubles.
Maid of Honor	D	white	white	Auten	1955	Lactiflora	1976-K:057		(Auten) Double - White - Late. Very large, full double, built higher in the center. Pure white. Very stiff stems. Auten's letter and Catalog, 1955.

Mandarin	B	red	dark red	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:33	Rg	A rich dark red bomb, as early as Richard Carvel, but far superior in substance and durability of color. Fine stem.
Manoah	D	pink	lavender flesh	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:33	Rg	Pearly lavender flesh, full double, stem fair. An exquisite bloom.
Mary Auten	D	white	white	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:33	Rg	A peony without a fault, named for my daughter. White double, opening pale flesh, fragrant. Late, sure opener. Fine stem, good height. A bloom of the utmost refinement.
Maxine	D	pink	light pink	Auten	1941	Lactiflora	1943-B091:06		Lactiflora. Double. High built light pink.
Maytime	S	red	orange-red	Auten	1943	Herb. Hybrid	1943-B091:35		Herbaceous hybrid. Single. Lacti x officinalis. Medium dark red, with orange tone. Dwarf.
Medicine Hat	S	red	dark red	Auten	1936	Lactiflora	1936-065:30	Rg	Very dark red single. Color holds. Medium height, stiff stems, good plant.
Melody	A	pink	pale pink	Auten	1925	Lactiflora	1925-025:25	Rg	Anemone type, though many would call it Japanese, the effect being more like the latter. Outer petals softest pale pink, tending toward lavender, center petals short and pale yellow, a beautiful combination. Delightful rose fragrance, plant habit good.
Mendota	S-D	red	red	Auten	1937	Lactiflora	1937-069:36	Rg	A very large, high built red semi-double on tall stiff stems. Color lasts well, carries a little rich purple.
Meteor	J	red	red	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:32	Rg	Fine red Jap with typical center. . Medium height, stiff stems.
Minstrel Boy	no info		no info	Auten			1976-K:124		
Mischief	S	pink	apple blossom	Auten	1925	Lactiflora	1925-025:25	Rg	Late blooming single (most singles are early) of apple blossom shades of pink, graceful in form and carriage, and does not lose its attractiveness as the bloom ages. Shows Japanese parentage in its plant habit.
Moline	D	pink	light pink	Auten	1943	Lactiflora	1943-B091:07		Lactiflora. Double. Light pink with creamy casts.
Molly Pitcher	D	blush	pale flesh	Auten	1941	Lactiflora	1943-B091:07		Lactiflora. Double. Dwarf plant. Pale flesh of exceptional form.
Molly Stark	D	white	pink & red marks	Auten	1927	Lactiflora	1927-030:36	Rg	A very early tri-color, cream white, pink and red splashes, full double, crown type, on old plants developing a high cone with tuft. Stem and plant habit very good. Seedling # 48.

Monterey	J	red	suggestion of salmon	Auten	1930	Lactiflora	1930-043:29	Rg	A striking Jap, light red, with suggestion of salmon, cerise and golden tints in center.
Monticello	S	white	white	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:57	Rg	White single, large blooms, good substance, green carpels. Blooms gracefully poised on tall, slender, stiff stems. Outstanding.
Moon Dance	J	pink	pink	Auten	1962	Lactiflora	1962-B165:33		pink Jap., yellow center, large.
Moon Magic	A	pink	pink	Auten	1939	Lactiflora	1940-080:41	Rg	Anemone type Jap, petals a soft, warm pink, dotted; with all yellow center.
Moon Mist	S	blush	near white	Auten	1929	Lactiflora	1929-039:42	Rg	Palest pink single, practically white, with minute pink dots, contrasting with the center of yellow stamens. Green carpels, medium height. A flower of innate refinement.
Moon of Nippon	J	white	white	Auten, R.W. / Auten, E. Jr.	1936	Lactiflora	1936-065:30	Rg	A very large white Jap with fine yellow center. Tall stems, very stiff.
Morning Song	S	blush	flesh white	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1943-B091:07		Lactiflora. Single. Flesh white.
Morocco	D	red	red	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:33	Rg	A very early and vigorous full double red, tall stiff stems.
Mount Palomar	J	red	red	Auten	1939	Lactiflora	1940-080:41	Rg	Very dark red Jap, lustrous; with heavy substance. Tall, very stiff stems. Very early for a Jap. Usual yellow markings.
Mr. Moon	D	white	white	Auten	1943	Lactiflora	1943-B091:07		Lactiflora. Double. Very large full white with yellow lights throughout.
Naomi	D	pink	flesh pink	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:33	Rg	A very outstanding Hon. Mention, double, very large, a few hidden stamens, rich creamy flesh pink, beautifully formed.
Nauvoo	D	white	white	Auten	1937	Lactiflora	1937-069:36	Rg	Flesh white double, high built, fragrant. Late.
Nevada	S	red	black red	Auten	1950	Herb. Hybrid	1976-K:072		(Auten, 1950) - Single - Red - Hybrid. Very tall. A very spectacular black red single. The color holds. On a plant exceptional vigor, with stiff stems. Officinalis x albiflora. List in Bulletin 129.

Nippon Beauty	J	red	red	Auten	1927	Lactiflora	1927-033:31	Rg	A deep red Jap, practically free from any objectionable cast. The petals, petaloids and tips of carpels all the same shade. Tips of petaloids flushed and edged yellow. Tips sharply incurved, giving an especial finish to the flower. This is the variety that won the Brand Peony Farms special \$100 prize for a new Japanese variety of special merit and worthy of introduction.
Nippon Brilliant	J	red	red	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:32	Rg	Brilliant rich red Jap, typical center with plenty of yellow. Large bloom on tall stems. Extra fine.
Nippon Chief	J	red	red	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:56	Rg	Large dark red Jap, yellow on center petaloids. Tall, stiff stems; color very fine, one of the latest Japs.
Nippon Gold	J	pink	pink	Auten	1929	Lactiflora	1929-039:42	Rg	A pink Jap with rich golden center, green carpels. Late, tall.
Nippon Maid	J	red	dark red	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:56	Rg	Dark red Jap, very distinct, typical center, medium sized blooms on slender stiff stems of medium to dwarf height. Honorable Mention, A. P. S., 1931.
Nippon Parade	J	red	red	Auten	1935	Lactiflora	1935-061:27	Rg	Japanese. Red. A fine distinct Jap, bright and cheerful, deep red with center flushed lighter. Medium height.
Nippon Princess	J	pink	cerise pink	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:56	Rg	Honorable Mention and winner of American Home Achievement Medal at 1931 National Peony Show for the best new peony at the Show, in competition with over 250 new seedlings. A typical Jap of a most unusual shade of bright cerise pink, the pink and yellow center very unique.
Nippon Red	J	red	red	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:56	Rg	A rich solid red Jap, a few petaloids occasionally tipped yellow. Medium height, good stem and carriage. Honorable Mention, A. P. S., 1931.
Nippon Splendor	J	red	red	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:56	Rg	A glorious deep red Jap, heavy yellow markings in center. Fine, tall plant, First Year Approval, A. P. S., 1926.
Nippon Triumph	J	red	red	Auten	1937	Lactiflora	1937-069:36	Rg	Red Jap, best described as a much improved Mikado. Larger blooms on better stems, better color, lighter than Nippon Brilliant.

Nippon Warrior	J	red	red	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:32	Rg	Fine red Jap, center red tipped yellow. Stiff stems.
Nome	J	white	white	Auten	1945	Lactiflora	1976-K:073		(Auten, 1945) - Jap. - White - Very Early. Probably the earliest, and with the fine points of the others. Date from Auten's letter, 1955. Auten's 1955 catalog.
Northland	D	white	white	Auten	1952	Lactiflora	1976-K:074		(Auten, 1952) - Double - White - Very Early. Tall. Rose fragrant. Very early high built bomb, my earliest white double. Stiff stems, and a strong grower. Fine fur cutting and should prove of great value for commercial flower growers. A standout in the field when in bloom with most other kinds still in green bud. Auten's 1955 catalog and letter.
Old Hundredth	D	white	creamy white	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:33	Rg	Full double rich creamy white. Late, very tall, comparable to Grace Loomis.
Old Main	B	red	red	Auten	1939	Herb. Hybrid	1940-080:41	Rg	Officinalis hybrid. Typical bomb type, very brilliant red showing a little purple, but much better than Felix Crousse in that respect. Tall, stiff stems. Seedling # 1843.
Old Siwash	D	flesh	fades white	Auten	1939	Lactiflora	1940-080:41	Rg	Double, opens flesh, fades white. Fragrant. Held very stiffly erect. Good height.
Orange Glory	S	red	orange tones	Auten	1956	Herb. Hybrid	1976-K:075		(Auten, 1956) - Single - Red - Early - Hybrid. Tall. Orange red. Single with two rows of petals. Carpels white, filaments pink. Color holds. Stiff stems, very vigorous. Officinalis x albiflora. Letter from Mr. Auten, April, 1956. Auten's 1956 catalog.
Pathfinder	D	pink	medium pink	Auten	1939	Lactiflora	1940-080:41	Rg	Full double, medium pink, some fragrance. Midseason. Good stem for cutting. Good substance.
Patience	D	white	creamy white	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:33	Rg	Tall, late cream white double, flat bloom, incurved petals, very chaste. Stem fair.
Patricia	S-D	blush	1	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:57	Rg	Early blush semi-double, large gracefully formed bloom on extra tall stems. Lasts well as cut flower. Received much favorable comment at shows. A world famous hybridizer said it was well worthy of introduction.

Patty	A	pink	near salmon	Auten	1939	Lactiflora	1940-080:41	Rg	Anemone or low bomb type, small bloom, dwarf plant. Unusual shade of pink, near salmon. For cutting.
Paul Revere	D	red	dark red	Auten	1939	Lactiflora	1940-080:41	Rg	Dark red double, late midseason, full high built bloom on good plant. Similar to Harry L. Richardson, but much less purple in it.
Peggy	B	pink	deep pink	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:57	Rg	Bright deep pink bomb, medium height, good stem.
Pelham	D	white	white	Auten	1935	Lactiflora	1935-061:27	Rg	Double. late midseason. White. A white double flushed flesh and pale yellow, with narrow "Jappy" petals in the center. Its stems are tall and stiff. It is rose fragrant and very distinct.
Peoria	S	red	medium red	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:57	Rg	Very brilliant, large, medium red single. Stiff stems, dwarf. Extra fine.
Pere Marquette	S	red	dark red	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:32	Rg	Early rich dark red single. Medium height. Fine.
Peter Piper	B	red	dark red	Auten	1962	Herb. Hybrid	1962-B165:33		hybrid, dark red, large, full, early, stiff stems, moderate rate increase.
Pink Glow	no info		no info	Auten	1945		1976-K:124		
Pink Monarch	D	pink	near CROWN	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:33	Rg	A full double with a collar of yellow petaloids pretty well hidden. Bright pink, color about the same as Souv. de Louis Bigot, but much more refined in petalage. A great novelty.
Pink Salute	D	pink	pink	Auten	1954	Herb. Hybrid	1976-K:079		(Auten, 1954) - Double - Pink - Very Early - Hybrid. Auten's earliest double officinalis hybrid. Bright shade of cerise pink, with darker tints toward the center. Officinalis x albiflora. Auten's 1954 catalog, and 1955 letter.
Pink Solange	D	pink	pink	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:33	Rg	Just exactly what the name implies—same exasperating bud, same form of bloom, fine pink, color of Sarah Bernhardt (no red splashes).
Pink Sprite	S	pink	pink	Auten	1954	Lactiflora	1976-K:079		(Auten, 1954) - Single - Pink - Midseason. Medium size plant. Single pink, in an unusual and ethereal shade. Medium size bloom. Auten's -1954 catalog. 1955 letter.
Pirate Flag	S	red	dark red	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:32	Rg	A very late rich dark red single, brilliant and enduring. Stiff stems. Outstanding.
Pixie	J	red	red	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:56	Rg	Red Jap, with lighter casts in center, small bloom on tall stiff stems. Distinct.

Plymouth	D	white	white	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:57	Rg	Large full double white, fragrant. Center open; stiff stem, medium height.
Polly Prim	D	white	white	Auten	1942	Lactiflora	1943-B091:07		Lactiflora. Double. Pure white miniature. Perfection itself.
Prairie State	S-D	pink	pink	Auten	1943	Lactiflora	1943-B091:07		Lactiflora. Semi-Double. Very large pink deeper in center. Tall.
Presto	S	red	red	Auten	1925	Lactiflora	1925-025:25	Rg	A medium red single, of much better than average substance and keeping qualities. Bloom this year eight inches in diameter. Foliage heavy and dark green, plant making a good effect on the lawn after blooms are gone.
Prudence	D	white	lavender tints	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:33	Rg	A fine lavender flesh white, very chaste, fragrant.
Puritan Maid	S	white	white	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:32	Rg	Fine white single, two rows petals, good size, stiff stems.
Queen of the Dawn	S	pink	creamy-pink	Auten	1950	Herb. Hybrid	1976-K:082		(Auten, 1950) - Single - Pink - Very Early - Hybrid. Large single which stays cupped for a long time. Very light creamy pink, with harmonizing pale yellow filaments and stamens. Officinalis x albiflora. List in Bulletin 129. Auten's 1955 catalog.
Radiant Red	B	red	red	Auten	1943	Lactiflora	1943-B091:07		Lactiflora. Glowing radiant red. Trim bomb. Very distinct.
Raspberry Rose	J	pink	raspberry	Auten	1956	Herb. Hybrid	1976-K:083		(Auten, 1956) - Jap. - Pink - Hybrid. Typical Japanese type. An odd shade as the name suggests. Very striking. Fine plant. Officinalis x albiflora. Letter from Mr. Auten, April, 1956. Auten's 1956 catalog.
Red Beauty	J	red	black red	Auten	1956	Herb. Hybrid	1976-K:083		(Auten, 1956) - Jap. - Red - Early - Hybrid. Dwarf. Black red Japanese type. Narrow center petals same black red, with well marked yellow edges. Stiff stems. Officinalis x albiflora. Letter from Mr. Auten, April, 1956, Auten's 1956 catalog.
Red Comet	D	red	dark red	Auten	1956	Lactiflora	1976-K:083		(Auten, 1956) - Double - Red - Very Early. Tall. Dark red bomb, stiff stems. Fine color from its parent Radiant Red. Letter from Mr. Auten, April, 1956. Auten's 1956 catalog.

Red Crown	J	red	red	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:56	Rg	A rich red Jap, medium sized bloom, center petaloids extra wide, with typical golden edges. Very distinct. Tall stiff stems.
Red Dandy	D	red	red	Auten	1951	Herb. Hybrid	1963-B169:35		A strong medium flamboyant red. A striking red colour not usually seen in peonies. Compact medium sized plants are laden with abundant large blooms and signify the beginning of the peony season. One of the most valuable garden plants in the collection. Flowers 6½" dia. x 3" high. Height 35".
Red Emperor	J	red	light red	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:56	Rg	Typical light red Jap like Mikado. Large bloom, with much fuller center. Stiff stems, medium height, made a gorgeous display in the field.
Red Ensign	S-D	red	black red	Auten	1940	Herb. Hybrid	1940-080:41	Rg	Officinalis hybrid. "Black" red semi-double, brilliant and glossy. Medium to small blooms held gracefully above trim dwarf foliage. One of latest hybrids.
Red Glory	S	red	dark red	Auten	1937	Herb. Hybrid	1937-069:36	Rg	Officinalis X Chinensis hybrid. Under No. 2225 awarded first class certificate, 1937. Very large "five-layered single," rich unfading dark red. Seedling # 2225.
Red Monarch	B	red	red	Auten / Glasscock	1937	Herb. Hybrid	1937-069:36	Rg	Officinalis X Chinensis Hybrid. Under number 5D4 awarded first class certificate, 1937. Large red bomb on tall stiff stems, has some purple in it. Seedling # 5D4.
Red Romance	S	red	crimson	Auten / Wild & Son	1968	Herb. Hybrid	1968-190:27	Rg	E.M. Single. Hybrid. Good heavy stems; good green foliage. Bright crimson with yellow center. Slow grower. 5-6" flowers; pale green carpels with white tips. 25-30" tall. Takes rain. Seedling # Auten's 2776
Red Velvet	S	red	red	Auten	1945		1976-K:084		(Auten, 1945) - Single - Red - Late. Two rows of petals, which stay nicely cupped even in adverse weather. Velvety dark red, color does not fade, stiff stems. A most impressive variety which customers buy on sight. Auten's 1955 catalog and letter.
Renown	D	red	dark red	Auten	1956	Herb. Hybrid	1976-K:085		(Auten, 1956) - Double - Red - Early - Hybrid. Dwarf. Rich velvety dark red, with Japanese markings. Officinalis x albiflora. Letter from Mr. Auten, April, 1956. Auten's 1956 catalog.

Rhapsody	J	pink	pink	Auten	1956	Lactiflora	1976-K:085		(Auten, 1956) - Jap. - Pink - Midseason. A little pink Jap with the narrow center petals yellow flushed pink. Very odd and distinct. Stiff stems. Letter from Mr. Auten, April, 1956. Auten's 1956 catalog.
Robert W. Auten	S-D	red	dark red	Auten	1948	Herb. Hybrid	1976-K:086		(Auten, 1948) - Semi-Double - Red - Hybrid. Tall. A large high built semi-double, with stamens hidden. Very dark red, entirely free from purple; fine substance. Stiff stems. A most outstanding double hybrid and one of unbelievable beauty. Officinalis x albiflora. List in Bulletin 129 - Wild catalog.
Roberta	J	white	white	Auten	1936	Lactiflora	1936-065:30	Rg	White Jap with yellow center. Good plant,
Robin Hood	S-D	red	red	Auten	1939	Lactiflora	1940-080:42	Rg	Distinct semi-double, not much more than a single, medium red, trim and nicely cupped. Carried stiffly erect above low growing mass of foliage.
Rosalie	D	red	red	Auten	1927	Lactiflora	1927-030:36	Rg	A medium red, dwarf plant, small bloom, opening very decidedly like an American Beauty rosebud, the whole bloom, not merely the center. Stems very stiff. Seedling # 69.
Rose Marie	D	red	dark red	Auten / Glasscock	1936	Herb. Hybrid	1936-065:30	Rg	Officinalis x Chinensis hybrid. A full, double dark red, clear brilliant shade, does not fade. Bloom quite suggestive of a rose. First Class Certificate, 1933, under number 5D1. Seedling # 5D1.
Rosedale	S-D	red	dark red	Auten	1936	Herb. Hybrid	1936-065:30	Rg	Officinalis x Chinensis hybrid. A true dwarf, about 19 inches in height. Semi-double bloom with strong resemblance to rose, about 4 inches in diameter. Stiff stems, early. Color fine clear medium dark red.
Roxana	S	red	pink-red	Auten / Lake	1946	Herb. Hybrid	1946-101:37	Rg	Hybrid. Richard Carvel x tenuifolia simplex. Single. Very early, brilliant pink-red. Height below medium. Growth vigorous. Brilliant garden effect. Blossoms larger than those of Smouthii, but similar. Probably fragrant.

Royal Red	S	red	dark red	Auten	1956	Herb. Hybrid	1976-K:088		(Auten, 1956) - Single - Red - Early - Hybrid. A rich dark red single with two rows of petals. The color holds. Trim bloom, nicely cupped, medium size. Officinalis x albiflora. Letter from Mr. Auten, April, 1956. Auten's 1956 catalog.
Rubie Battey	J	red	dark red	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:32	Rg	Named for the daughter of Mr. P. L. Battey of Northbrook Gardens. An extremely rich dark red Jap, the yellow lines and dots on center petaloids very scant. Medium sized bloom on tall stiff stems. Late. Has exceptional substance and lasting quality. Hon. Men., 1933.
Ruby	D	red	dark red	Auten	1927	Lactiflora	1927-030:36	Rg	A very early, brilliant, glossy, medium dark red. Double. Very stiff stems. Seedling # 73.
Salem	D	red	red	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:58	Rg	Full double red, fragrant. Medium size bloom, on good stem. Gives promise of being a valuable commercial cut flower sort.
Salmon Beauty	D	pink	pink	Glasscock / Auten / Interstate Nurseries	1939	Herb. Hybrid	1939-076:73	Rg	Very early. An Officinalis Hybrid, blooming with Officinalis Rubra. Large double bloom with rather narrow center petals approaching the incurved bomb type. The color is a glowing rich pink with a distinct and unusual salmon cast. The plant is a vigorous, healthy grower producing freely the flowers on long strong stems. This new variety, Salmon Beauty, is the first double to show this color, an entirely new color in double peonies. Both in the garden and in the exhibit hall, it is so unusually striking that it stands out among all the others. It will be wanted especially by those who are working with peonies.
Sambo	D	red	red	Auten	1950	Lactiflora	1976-K:089		(Auten, 1950) - Double - Red - Midseason. Just above medium height. Brilliant red, double, an unusual shade. Stiff stems. Mr. Auten 's 1955 letter.
San Diego	J	red	light red	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:56	Rg	Brilliant light red Jap, center with golden salmon tints, occasionally a tuft in center. Odd and distinct.

Sanctuary	D	white	white	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:33	Rg	I have never seen a finer double white bloom than this creamy white gives me at times. Very large, of extra heavy substance, on call good stems. Should be certain every year north of Chicago. Carpels tipped pink, but hidden.
Sans Souci	A	pink	violaceous pink	Auten	1930	Lactiflora	1930-043:29	Rg	Anemone Jap of an unusual light violaceous pink, center same color, flushed to white. Carpels light pink.
Santa Fe	S-D	red	red	Auten	1937	Lactiflora	1937-069:36	Rg	Brilliant red semi-double, unfading, medium sized blooms on very stiff stems.
Satellite	no info		no info	Auten	1957	Lactiflora	1976-K:124		
Scarf Dance	S-D	pink	light pink	Auten	1927	Lactiflora	1927-030:36	Rg	Little more than single, but few stamens, light pink and white, several irregular rows of very long and narrow petals; a flower for the connoisseur. Seedling # 60.
Senorita	J	red	cerise red	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:56	Rg	Deep cerise red Jap, center rich and full. Late; good stem; different.
Sentinel	J	red	red	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:56	Rg	All red Jap, medium sized blooms well above the foliage, tall stiff stems.
Shy Maid	A	pink	pale lavender pink	Auten	1930	Lactiflora	1930-043:29	Rg	An early anemone Jap, guards palest lavender pink, center palest yellow. A flower of great refinement, fading to white if left outdoors.
Signal Station	J	red	red	Auten	1938	Lactiflora	1938-072:56	Rg	A very late red Jap, carried on slender stiff stems 14 inches above the foliage.
Siloam	D	white	white	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:33	Rg	A refined white double, flat; exquisite finish.
Siloam	D	white	near white	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1962-W:087		Double. Shapely, near-white blooms, flat, wide, incurving petals. Unfolds with such later varieties as Baroness Schroeder, Ward Welch and Henry Sass. Dwarf bush is only 23" high and is excellent, for landscape purposes.
Silver King	D	white	white	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:33	Rg	A magnificent very late full double white Hon. Men., Am. Peony Society.
Simple Simon	B	red	dark red	Auten	1962	Herb. Hybrid	1962-B165:33		hybrid, magnificent dark red bomb, small bloom and nlant. very slow increase.
Sinbad	S-D	red	edged silver	Auten	1941	Lactiflora	1943-B091:08		Lactiflora. Semi-Double. Tall high built red edged silver.
Siren	S-D	red	dark red	Auten	1962	Lactiflora	1962-B165:33		very dark red semi-double, stiff stems, late.

Sistie	D	flesh	fades white	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:33	Rg	Easiest described as a high built little Tourangelle, rose fragrant. Fades white. Stem only fair, but the bloom is irresistible.
Sitka	J	white	white	Auten	1945		1976-K:093		(Auten, 1945) - Jap. - White. Tall. Pure white outer petals, center petaloids are broader than in the others and are a very rich yellow. This is carried in stately fashion above low foliage. Auten 1955 catalog and letter.
Sky Pilot	J	pink	deep pink	Auten	1939	Lactiflora	1940-080:42	Rg	Deep pink Jap, with all yellow center slightly flushed pink. Very large bloom, on extra tall stems.
Sky Queen	S	red	dark red	Auten	1956	Herb. Hybrid	1976-K:093		(Auten, 1956) - Single - Red - Early - Hybrid. Tall. A very dark red single. Carpels green tipped red, filaments red. Medium size. Stiff stems. Officinalis x albiflora. Letter from Mr. Auten, 1956. Auten's catalog 1956.
Sleepy Hollow	S	white	white	Auten	1935	Lactiflora	1935-061:27	Rg	Single. Early. Blush. A tall, large, early single white opening blush. Its large flower makes a fine effect and lasts a long time.
Smoky Joe	S-D	red	black red	Auten	1950	Herb. Hybrid	1976-K:093		(Auten, 1950) - Semi-Double - Red - Hybrid. Tall. Black red. An enormous black red on tall stiff stems. Blooms are loose petalled and some are too ragged. Good ones superb and worth waiting for. Officinalis x albiflora. List in Bulletin 129. Auten's 1955 catalog.
Snow Bound	S	white	white	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:57	Rg	White single, large blooms, green carpels tipped white. Very stiff stems.
Snow Cap	D	white	white	Auten	1955	Lactiflora	1976-K:093		(Auten, 1955) - Double - White - Very Early. A very early white double with slight yellow cast, a spotless bloom. Beautiful clean foliage. Auten's 1955 catalog.
Snow Sprite	S	white	white	Auten	1930	Lactiflora	1930-043:28	Rg	An outstanding dwarf white single. Green carpels. Center mass of stamens especially rich and durable golden yellow.
Sooner Beauty	J	red	red	Auten	1961	Lactiflora	1962-B165:33		Jap. Brilliant red, stiff stems, tall, midseason.
Soothsayer	S	pink	cerise pink	Auten	1950	Herb. Hybrid	1976-K:094		(Auten, 1950) - Single - Pink - Hybrid. Deep cerise pink. Officinalis x albiflora. List in Bulletin 129.

Spoon River	D	pink	light pink	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:57	Rg	An unusual name for a fine, full double, rose fragrant peony of unusual coloring; creamy magenta. Decidedly different; medium height, stiff stems.
Spring Glory	D	red	deep red	Auten / Marx	1960	Lactiflora	1960-157:17	Rg	D.E. Red. Parentage not known. Large deep red with a blackish sheen under some lights. Large globular flowers, held upright on strong stems of medium height. The first big red to bloom, being earlier than either Festiva Maxima or Edulis Superba. Splendid grower and the plant is literally covered with flowers. Seedling # 2251.
Spring Song	S-D	white	white	Auten	1955	Lactiflora	1976-K:095		(Auten, 1955) - Semi-Double - White - Midseason. Tall. A large, flat semi-double, showing stamens, and with a few red splashes in center. On tall stiff stems. Auten's 1955 catalog.
Style Show	S	red	dark red	Auten	1945	Herb. Hybrid	1976-K:095		(Auten, 1945) First named BALENCIA. Single - Red -Hybrid. Tall. Dark red single with decided orange cast. Two rows of petals, good size with tall stems. Officinalis x albiflora. List in Bulletin 129. Auten's 1955 catalog.
Sun Dance	J	red	dark red	Auten	1948	Lactiflora	1976-K:096		(Auten, 1948) - Jap. - Dark Red. A dark red Jap. Very brilliant and enduring. Auten's 1954 catalog. Letter in 1955.
Sun Valley	J	pink	creamy pink	Auten	1956	Lactiflora	1976-K:096		(Auten, 1956) - Jap. -Pink - Midseason. A creamy pink Jap with all yellow center. Stiff, slender stems. Letter from Mr. Auten, April, 1956. Auten's 1955 catalog.
Sun-Up	S	red	dark red	Auten	1937	Lactiflora	1937-069:36	Rg	Dark red single., rather late. Color holds, plant and stem good.
Suzanne	D	red	red	Auten	1955	Lactiflora	1976-K:096		(Auten, 1955) - Double - Red - Early. Good height. A bright red bomb, the color holds. Stiff stems. Auten's 1955 catalog.
Sweet Adeline	S	pink	deep pink	Auten	1956	Lactiflora	1976-K:096		(Auten, 1956) - Single - Pink -Midseason. A deep pink single, carried well above the foliage on tall stiff stems. A chance seedling found near Mischief, and an improvement on it. Letter from Mr. Auten, April, 1956. Auten's 1956 catalog.
Sword Dance	J	red	red	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:32	Rg	Another rich red that outclasses Mikado and others. A glorious bloom, stands heat well.

Tango	S	red	orange red	Auten	1956	Herb. Hybrid	1976-K:097		(Auten, 1956) - Single - Red - Early - Hybrid. Tall. ORANGE RED. Single with two rows of petals. The color holds. Trim bloom. Stiff stems. Officinalis x albiflora. Letter from Mr. Auten, April, 1956. Auten's 1955 catalog.
Tar Baby	S-D	red	black red	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:58	Rg	Extremely dark "black" red semi-double, small bloom OH tall stems. ZIP COON. Glossy "black" red semi-double, medium sized bloom on dwarf, stiff stems.
Tarantelle	J	red	light red	Auten	1929	Lactiflora	1929-039:42	Rg	A brilliant light red or deep cerise pink Jap, the tips of the center petals white and incurved. Carpels tipped same color as guards.
Telstar	D	red	dark red	Auten	1963	Lactiflora	1963-171:29	Rg	D.E.R. No seedling No. given, Parentage unknown, but it is pure lactiflora. This double dark unfading red has good stiff stems and is probably the earliest blooming of all double red lactifloras. Resistant to adverse weather conditions.
Tempest	S-D	red	dark red	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:58	Rg	Brilliant dark red semi-double, stamens hidden. Late. Dwarf, stiff stems.
The Baron	J	red	red	Auten	1934	Lactiflora	1934-058:43	Rg	Novelty Jap. Brilliant red and yellow, peculiar shade.
Thunderbird	B	red	dark red	Auten	1961	Lactiflora	1962-B165:33		medium dark red bomb, tall, stiff stems, early midseas.
Tom Tinker	S	red	dark red	Auten	1930	Lactiflora	1930-043:28	Rg	An early, medium sized dark red single, medium height, free bloomer, striking for landscape.
Tonti	S	red	light red	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:32	Rg	Tall, large brilliant light red single. Stiff stems.
Topeka	B	red	light red	Auten	1938	Herb. Hybrid	1938-072:56	Rg	A bright red bomb. Officinalis X Chinensis Hybrid.
Town Crier	S	red	light red	Auten	1939	Lactiflora	1940-080:42	Rg	Large single, shading from light red to near white, on a very fine plant. Striking in the field.
Uncle Remus	S-D	red	black red	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:58	Rg	Very rich velvety "black" red semi-double, medium sized bloom on tall stiff stems.
Uncle Tom	S-D	red	black red	Auten	1951	Lactiflora	1976-K:101		(Auten, 1951) - Semi-Double - Red - Late. Tall. Very high built black-red. Needs cool weather to be at its best; very striking and fine. We think it is a nice red. Wild catalog, 1955.

Valiant	J	red	orange red	Auten	1955	Herb. Hybrid	1976-K:101		(Auten, 1955) - Jap. - Red - Very Early - Hybrid. Tall. A large orange red Jap with typical yellow markings in the center. Auten's 1955 catalog.
Vandalia	D	white	white	Auten	1939	Lactiflora	1940-080:42	Rg	Full double white, late midseason, rose fragrant. Some narrow filamental petals among wider center petals. Still stems.
Veritas	D	red	dark red	Auten	1939	Herb. Hybrid	1940-080:41	Rg	Officinalis hybrid. Double, unusual type, with narrow pointed center petals fastened to the edges of some, also a collar of stamens. Brilliant dark red, like varnished mahogany.
Viking	D	red	dark red	Auten	1936	Lactiflora	1936-065:30	Rg	Full double dark red, extra late, and very brilliant. Has exceptional substance and keeping quality. Stiff stems. Opens best in north half of Peony territory, as petalage is full.
Vincennes	D	white	white	Auten	1939	Lactiflora	1940-080:42	Rg	Full double white, opening flushed pink and yellow, fading to pure white. Fragrant. Early, on tall stiff stems.
Virginia Lee	D	pink	fades near white	Auten	1939	Lactiflora	1940-080:42	Rg	Full double pink, fading near white in field. Very late, sure opener. Medium height, stems good for cutting, a bit weak in field. Large bloom, outstanding for color, with deeper glow in center.
War Hawk	J	red	light red	Auten	1937	Lactiflora	1943-B091:08		Lactiflora. Japanese. Light red. Only one of its color.
Watchman	S	white	white	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:32	Rg	Late tall white single, trim bloom, fine substance.
Wedding Day	S	flesh	flesh	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:32	Rg	Flesh white single, tall, stiff stems.
White Beauty	D	white	white	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:57	Rg	Large double white, immaculate, fragrant. Mid-season. Stem good for cutting, but as plant is of spreading (not sprawling) habit, needs support in wet weather. An exquisite, outstanding peony. Honorable Mention, A. P. S., 1931.
White Cloud	J	white	white	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:56	Rg	Early white Jap, opening pale flesh and straw yellow. Tall, good stem.
White Crane	J	white	white	Auten	1939	Lactiflora	1940-080:42	Rg	White and yellow Jap, medium sized bloom, carried gracefully on tall slender stiff stems.

White Delight	D	white	white	Auten	1935	Lactiflora	1935-061:27	Rg	Double. Early. White. An exquisite, immaculate, white double that is rose fragrant. It has large blooms and tall stems that are fine for cutting, but which might be better for garden effect. The blooms last well when cut. Its high quality and extreme earliness should make it a valuable cut flower variety.
White Moth	S	white	white	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:32	Rg	Flesh white single, tall, stiff stems. Fine.
White Pearl	D	blush	fades white	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:57	Rg	Extra early full double, opening pearly shell-pink with slight lavender cast. Fades to white in full sun. Exquisite form, like Marie Jacquin without stamens.
White Perfection	S	white	white	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:57	Rg	White single, broad petals beautifully cupped, wonderful substance, green carpels; medium height, good stem, fine carriage. Honorable Mention, A. P. S., 1931- Suggests a single Isani Gidui.
Witches' Dance	S	red	dark red	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:58	Rg	Brilliant dark red single, tall, stiff stems.
Wyoming	J	pink	pink	DuMont / Auten		Lactiflora	1939-RL:20		Japanese. Pink.
Xenia	J	pink	fades white	Auten	1955	Lactiflora	1976-K:106		(Auten, 1955) - Jap. - Pink - Midseason. Tall. Outer petals an exquisite delicate pink which fades white in the garden. Center light yellow. Tall with good plant habit. Auten's 1955 catalog.
Yukon	D	white	white	Auten	1937	Lactiflora	1937-069:36	Rg	Late pure white double, fragrant, spotless, charming petalage. Tall stems. Good for cutting.
Zip Coon	S-D	red	black red	Auten	1931	Lactiflora	1931-047:58	Rg	Glossy "black" red semi-double, medium sized bloom on dwarf, stiff stems.
Zulu Bride	S-D	red	black red	Auten	1933	Lactiflora	1933-054:33	Rg	Darkest black red, semi-double.
No. 0768	?	red	light red	Auten		Lactiflora	1938-Cat-Auten:11		Unusual shade of light red with silvery edges. A seedling of Marie Crousse. \$1.00

No. 0772	?	pink	pink	Auten	Lactiflora	1938-Cat-Auten:04	A seedling of 'Marie Crousse', which from recent work seems to be the probable parent of that glorious pink, 'Walter Faxon'. No. 772 is a very fine shade, suggestive of 'Walter Faxon', and a perfect bloom is a beauty. However, it has a very weak stem and some years might not open, so I shall not name it. But it will give a thrill to any one who appreciates fine color.
No. 0854	S-D	white	white	Auten	Lactiflora	1938-Cat-Auten:11	Very large white semi-double, red splashes, very showy. \$1.00
No. 0889	D	white	white	Auten	Lactiflora	1938-Cat-Auten:11	Late pure white double, grand bloom. Stem a bit weak. \$1.00
No. 131 (Hybrid)	D	red	cerise red	Auten	Herb. Hybrid	1938-Cat-Auten:12	Very large full double bloom on a 80-inch stem. Brilliant shade of cerise red which many people like. Needs to be well established to do its best. \$2.00
No. 1718	J	red	dark red	Auten	Lactiflora	1938-Cat-Auten:11	Dark red Jap, some purple, medium size, tall. \$1.00
No. 1739	B	flesh	lavender tints	Auten	Lactiflora	1938-Cat-Auten:11	Late bomb, palest lavender and flesh tints. A beauty and a bargain. \$1.00
No. 1841 (Hybrid)	B	red	red	Auten	Herb. Hybrid	1938-Cat-Auten:12	Another red bomb, brilliant, with pointed petals. Not so large or tall as 1843, but better color. \$4.00
No. 1843 (Hybrid)	B	red	red	Auten	Herb. Hybrid	1938-Cat-Auten:12	Typical bomb, brilliant red, which shows a little purple at times. Reminds one of Felix Crousse. Has extra good stem, tall. Blooms with first of the common peonies, later than most of the hybrids. \$5.00
No. 2031	J	white	white	Auten	Lactiflora	1943-Cat-Auten:15	Very fine white and yellow Jap. Worthy of naming, but won't be as we have at least 25 other white Japs under advanced trial. \$1.50
No. 2032	J	white	white	Auten	Lactiflora	1943-Cat-Auten:15	Tall fine white and yellow Jap; bloom carried above foliage. Worthy of naming, but won't be as we have at least 25 other white Japs under advanced trial. \$1.50
No. 2040	J	blush	fades white	Auten	Lactiflora	1943-Cat-Auten:15	Palest pink (then white) and yellow Jap, high class. Worthy of naming, but won't be as we have at least 25 other white Japs under advanced trial. \$1.50

No. 2054	D	flesh	fades white	Auten	Lactiflora	1943-Cat-Auten:15	Flesh pink double with yellow casts, fading white. Late and very free. \$1.50
No. 2064	S-D	pink	pink	Auten	Lactiflora	1943-Cat-Auten:15	Bright medium sized pink semi-double, nice bloom. Early and charming. \$1.50
No. 2065	S	pink	pink	Auten	Lactiflora	1943-Cat-Auten:15	A beautiful pink single, top notch quality, but so near Elfin Pink I do not want to name it until it has been tested in several places. It may be larger and a bit deeper in color. \$1.50
No. 2202 (Hybrid)	S	red	dark red	Auten	Herb. Hybrid	1941-Cat-Auten:05	Officinalis hybrid. Brilliant medium dark red single, two rows of petals, color holds. \$1.50
No. 2211 (Hybrid)	J	red	dark red	Auten	Herb. Hybrid	1941-Cat-Auten:05	Officinalis hybrid. Brilliant medium dark red Jap, some blooms have tufts. \$1.00
No. 2214 (Hybrid)	S	red	black red	Auten	Herb. Hybrid	1941-Cat-Auten:05	Officinalis hybrid. Black red single, showing some rich purple. Stiff stems. \$1.50
No. 2233 (Hybrid)	S-D	red	black red	Auten	Herb. Hybrid	1941-Cat-Auten:05	Officinalis hybrid. An enormous black red semi-double, heavy tall stems. The blooms are loose petalled, and some are too ragged. The good ones are superb. For cool climate. \$2.00
No. 2235 (Hybrid)	S	red	black red	Auten	Herb. Hybrid	1941-Cat-Auten:05	Officinalis hybrid. Black red single, good in every way. \$2.00
No. 2237 (Hybrid)	S	red	red	Auten	Herb. Hybrid	1941-Cat-Auten:05	Officinalis hybrid. Small red single, on dwarf plant. Color is of highest quality, showing an orange cast. Strong grower, does not have so many blooms per plant, otherwise top notch. \$1.00
No. 2240 (Hybrid)	S	red	black red	Auten	Herb. Hybrid	1941-Cat-Auten:05	Officinalis hybrid. Black red single, color holds, petals a bit short. \$1.00
No. 2241 (Hybrid)	S	red	red	Auten	Herb. Hybrid	1942-Cat-Auten:06	Officinalis hybrid. A trim dark red single on stiff stems, fine. \$1.50
No. 2491	B	pink	pink	Auten	1944 Lactiflora	1944-Cat-Auten:12	Deep pink bomb, full double. Medium size. This seems to have commercial possibilities for cut flowers, but I want it tried out further, hence a low offering price. \$2.00