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1928 Wholesale List

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Gladiolus Bulbs

Minnetonka Gladiolus Farms
R. 3, Hopkins, Minnesota

Minnesota grown gladiolus bulbs, like Minnesota grown seed potatoes, have extra strength and vitality and are yearly increasing in favor with critical growers. Southern growers of early potatoes secure their seed stocks from Minnesota, many florists are learning that the soil and climate of Minnesota also produces gladiolus bulbs of exceptional merit. Many growers secure their planting stock here because of unusually high vitality and strength in the smaller size bulbs grown in this locality.

Our gladiolus farms are well suited for the purpose. Sufficient ground is available for proper rotation so that bulbs are not planted in the same fields in successive years. Planting stock is always treated for formaldehyde or organic mercury compounds to prevent disease. Bulbs are planted, cultivated and dug with modern machinery, and all operations are performed with the aim to produce the best possible bulbs at as low a cost as is consistent with quality. Our storage cellars are arranged to control both temperature and humidity so that bulbs are full of life and ready to grow in the spring or winter when planted.

Some varieties and sizes have been omitted from this list because early orders have exhausted the stock. In addition to the varieties listed herein, we have small stocks of about 500 other varieties on which we will be pleased to quote you, if you will send us names and amounts of varieties desired.

Prices quoted are subject to prior sale. No charge for packing. In ordering bulbs sent by parcel post add sufficient for postage. Prices shown on bulbs are per 1,000; on bulblets, per quart. 100 bulbs or more at the 1,000 rate; one pint of bulblets at quart rate. For smaller quantities add 10%. Special prices will be quoted on large quantities. Shipment can be made either from Hopkins, or Minneapolis, Minnesota.

	No. 1					No. 6	
	1 ½ in.	No. 2	No. 3	No. 4	No. 5	under	Bull-
	up	1 ¼-1 ½	1-1 ¼	¾-1	½-¾	½ in.	lets
ADORABLE , early creamy pink prim	25.00	20.00	15.00	10.00	7.50	5.00	2.50
ALBANIA , a wonderful pure white variety, large wide open well placed flowers with beautiful round petals, a very good pro- pogator	25.00	20.00	15.00	10.00	7.50	5.00	2.50
ALICE TIPLADY , bright saffron orange, large open flowers on strong stem. The most popular prim	25.00	20.00	15.00	10.00	7.50	5.00	2.50
AMETHYST	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	6.00	4.00	2.00
ARIZONA , deep rose with deeper markings		12.00	9.00	6.00	4.50	3.00	1.50
ARLON , large wide petals of light salmon, red throat deeper center lines, a conspic- uous prim	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	6.00	4.00	2.00
AUTUMN QUEEN , creamy yellow with large red blotch in throat, late	15.00	12.00	9.00	6.00	4.50	3.00	1.50
BARON JOS. HULOT , deep indigo blue	30.00	24.00	18.00	12.00	9.00	6.00	3.00
BLACKHAWK , a good low priced rich dark red	15.00	12.00	9.00	6.00	4.50	3.00	1.50
BORDEAUX , large, tall, straight stems, wine-purple flowers, desirable florist var- iety	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	6.00	4.00	2.00
BYRON L. SMITH , delicate lavender, shad- ing towards creamy white in center, or- chid-like colorings	30.00	24.00	18.00	12.00	9.00	6.00	3.00
CARMEN SYLVA , tall, well arranged spike of white flowers that resist dry weather	25.00	20.00	15.00	10.00	7.50	5.00	2.50
CHICAGO WHITE , early white, lower petals marked with lavender	15.00	12.00	9.00	6.00	4.50	3.00	1.50
CRIMSON GLOW , large, open, glowing crim- son, shaded deeper in center	40.00	32.00	24.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	4.00
DIANA , large deep glowing crimson. Strong, straight spikes		32.00	24.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	4.00
E. J. SHAYLOR , large tall ruffled rose pink. A very good grower and extremely popular.....	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	6.00	4.00	2.00
EUGENE LE FEBVRE				16.00	12.00	8.00	
EVELYN KIRTLAND , warm rose pink, shad- ing to shell pink in center, tall strong stems, excellent for cutting	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	6.00	4.00	2.00
FAIRY , very early cream with lavender pink mottling	40.00	32.00	24.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	4.00
FIREFLY , early scarlet prim, straight stems.....	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	6.00	4.00	2.00
FLORABELLE , tall creamy yellow, many flowers open at a time, evenly spaced on strong stems	40.00	32.00	24.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	4.00
FLORENCE , large bright lilac with white center	60.00	48.00	36.00	24.00	18.00	12.00	6.00
GAY BUTTERFLY , deep salmon with bright yellow markings	40.00	32.00	24.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	4.00
GOLDEN KING , tall strong deep yellow with red throat blotch	40.00	32.00	24.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	4.00

	No. 1 1 ½ in. up	No. 2 1 ¼-1 ½	No. 3 1-1 ¼	No. 4 ¾-1	No. 5 ½-¾	No. 6 under ½ in.	Bult- lets
GOLDEN WEST , rich orange red with golden flecks	15.00	12.00	9.00	6.00	4.50	3.00	1.50
GOLIATH , best dark purple maroon	40.00	32.00	24.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	4.00
GRECHEN ZANG , beautiful soft pink, shad- ing to geranium pink at the edges	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	6.00	4.00	2.00
HALLEY , early salmon pink with creamy yellow blotch on lower petals. The favorite commercial cut flower	15.00	12.00	9.00	6.00	4.50	3.00	1.50
HERADA , large pure mauve shaded deeper in the center	25.00	20.00	15.00	10.00	7.50	5.00	2.50
JOE COLEMAN , very bright red, attractive ruffled flowers, many open at a time, tall straight stems, good propagator	30.00	24.00	18.00	12.00	9.00	6.00	3.00
Le MARECHAL FOCH , clear light pink, very large wide open flowers on a strong stiff stem, early	15.00	12.00	9.00	6.00	4.50	3.00	1.50
LOUISE , large massive lavender with mar- oon markings. Very strong spikes	30.00	24.00	18.00	12.00	9.00	6.00	3.00
MARY FENNEL , light lavender with blend- ing cream throat		20.00	15.00	10.00	7.50	5.00	2.50
MARY PICKFORD , lovely creamy white with soft yellow throat	30.00	24.00	18.00	12.00	9.00	6.00	3.00
MONA LIZA , pale rose pink, ruffled	25.00	20.00	15.00	10.00	7.50	5.00	2.50
MOONSHINE , pale yellow prim	15.00	12.00	9.00	6.00	4.50	3.00	1.50
MRS. DR. NORTON , large pale pink with creamy blotches in throat	30.00	24.00	18.00	12.00	9.00	6.00	3.00
MRS. FRANCIS KING , light scarlet, tall spikes, favorite with florists	15.00	12.00	9.00	6.00	4.50	3.00	1.50
MRS. FRANK PENDLETON , tall rose pink with dark red blotch in throat	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	6.00	4.00	2.00
MRS. F. C. PETERS , tall, lilac pink with darker markings in throat, large open flowers, vigorous grower	60.00	48.00	36.00	24.00	18.00	12.00	6.00
MRS. H. E. BOTHIN , large, ruffled, geranium pink, scarlet center, strong grower	30.00	24.00	18.00	12.00	9.00	6.00	3.00
MRS. WM. KENT , fawn and rose flecked, mottled throat	40.00	32.00	24.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	4.00
1910 ROSE , pure deep rose pink with white center lines on lower petals	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	6.00	4.00	2.00
ODIN , deep salmon pink with intense car- mine blotch on lower petals, large flowers on strong stems, very early, splendid cut flower	30.00	24.00	18.00	12.00	9.00	6.00	3.00
ORANGE BRILLIANT , early bright orange prim	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	6.00	4.00	2.00
PEACE , large, tall, late white with lavender throat markings	25.00	20.00	15.00	10.00	7.50	5.00	2.50
PEACHBLOSSOM , light pink with deep pink mottlings, excellent for bedding	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	6.00	4.00	2.00
PINK WONDER , immense, wide open pink flowers shading to lighter pink	30.00	24.00	18.00	12.00	9.00	6.00	3.00

	No. 1 1 ½ in. up	No. 2 1 ¼ - 1 ½	No. 3 1 - 1 ¼	No. 4 ¾ - 1	No. 5 ½ - ¾	No. 6 under ½ in.	Bulb- lets
PRESIDENT TAFT , late, tall, strong, spikes of light pink flowers with deep pink flecks	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	6.00	4.00	2.00
PRINCEPINE , brilliant carmine red	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	6.00	4.00	2.00
ROSE PEARL , flesh pink with pearl-like lustre, very early cut flower, forcer	15.00	12.00	9.00	6.00	4.50	3.00	1.50
SCARLANO , bright orange scarlet with bright red throat, finely ruffled	30.00	24.00	18.00	12.00	9.00	6.00	3.00
SCARLET PRINCEPS , large strong pure scarlet, A favorite			24.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	4.00
SCHWABEN , light yellow, bright red stripes on lower petals	15.00	12.00	9.00	6.00	4.50	3.00	1.50
SENTINEL , tall, sturdy, salmon pink with darker feathering, crimson blotch	40.00	32.00	24.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	4.00
SUMMER , lilac lavender, lighter throat, large open flower	25.00	20.00	15.00	10.00	7.50	5.00	2.50
TITANIC , a very large dark magenta. A very strong grower and immensely pop- ular	60.00	48.00	36.00	24.00	18.00	12.00	6.00
TOPAZ , soft salmon colored prim	25.00	20.00	15.00	10.00	7.50	5.00	2.50
VELVET KING , good straight dark red	20.00	16.00	12.00	8.00	6.00	4.00	2.00
W. H. PHIPPS , tall bright pink with many flowers open at a time. One of the best		240.00	180.00	120.00	90.00	60.00	

MIXTURES

MINNETONKA MIXTURE , a supermixture of all colors containing many fine varieties and seedlings	15.00	12.00	9.00	6.00	4.50	3.00	1.50
STANDARD MIXTURE , all colors	10.00	8.00	6.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.00
PRIMULINUS HYBRIDS , mixed	10.00	8.00	6.00	4.00	3.00	2.00	1.00

Among those varieties which we can offer in small quantities are: Ah, Albion, Alethia, Aloha, Anna Eberius, Autumn Glow, Baquet, Blue Jay, Blue Orchid, Buckeye, Bunker Hill, Bubbles, Campfire, Caroline Essberg, Catleya, Chocolate, Cinderella, Dainty Blossom, Distinction, Dr. Van Fleet, Fair Columbian, Fire Pion-
bon, Fr. Junipera Serra, Glendale, Glory of Pembroke, Lavender, Louise, Ming
Toy, Mephistopheles, Mrs. Vanderbilt, Nigrigans, Norma de Child, Oak Park, Or-
ange Glory, Orifire, Ovid, Parma, Pioneer, Primunella, Ragten, Red Copper, Red
Ridinghood, Redwing, Shenandoah, Silver Moon, Early Snowflake, Souvenir, Spar-
ton, Sweet Lavender, Titanic, Tokay, Twinkles, White Butterfly, Wieburtus, Yellow
Jacket. Ask for prices on these in any quantities and size.