

Student Practice Sheet

Name of cultivar _____

SCORE REGISTERED CULTIVARS WITH FIGURE 9 IN AHS EX. JUDGES HANDBOOK

(Circle the characteristic which applies to each scape, write in numerical score, then total.)

SCAPE 1

Color : 10 points

True to Cultivar:

clear, lustrous, uniform,
bright, no streaking, rich

Faults:

Not true to cultivar:

Murky, streaked, dull,
faded, irregular markings

Score: _____

Form: 10 points

True to Cultivar:

shape and segment shape
conform to type

Faults:

Not true to cultivar:

Malformed/uneven tepal
spacing or parts, inconsistent
segment shape, incorrect
number of segments

Score: _____

Texture: 10 points

True to Cultivar:

Smooth, creped, ribbed,
waxy, satiny, diamond-
dusted, corduroy, velvety

Faults:

Not true to cultivar:

lifeless, coarse,
slick, unevenly ribbed,
lacking luster

Score: _____

Substance: 10 points

True to Cultivar:

Crisp, fresh, firm

Faults:

Not true to cultivar:

Tissue thinning, wilting,
browning or melting on
segment edges, limp

Score: _____

Size: 10 points

True to Cultivar:

consistent with other
specimens in growing
area

Faults:

Not true to cultivar:

Smaller or larger than
registered

Score: _____

Scape Ht./Strength: 10 pts.

True to Cultivar:

Sturdy, straight, propor-
tional, supports blooms

Faults:

Not true to cultivar:

Too short or tall, weak,
limp, crooked, fasciated

Score: _____

SCAPE 2

Color: 10 points

True to Cultivar:

Clear, lustrous, uniform,
bright, no streaking, rich

Faults:

Not true to cultivar:

Murky, streaked, dull,
faded, irregular markings

Score: _____

Form: 10 points

True to Cultivar:

shape and segment shape
conform to type

Faults:

Not true to cultivar:

Malformed/uneven tepal
spacing or parts, inconsistent
segment shape, incorrect
number of segments

Score: _____

Texture: 10 points

True to Cultivar:

smooth, creped, ribbed,
waxy, satiny, diamond-
dusted, corduroy, velvety

Faults:

Not true to cultivar:

lifeless, coarse,
slick, unevenly ribbed,
lacking luster

Score: _____

Substance: 10 points

True to Cultivar:

Crisp, Fresh, firm

Faults:

Not true to cultivar:

Tissue thinning, wilting,
browning or melting on
segment edges, limp

Score: _____

Size: 10 points

True to Cultivar:

consistent with other
specimens in growing
area

Faults:

Not true to cultivar:

Smaller or larger than
registered

Score: _____

Scape Ht./Strength: 105 pts.

True to Cultivar :

sturdy, straight, propor-
tional, supports blooms

Faults:

Not true to cultivar:

Too short or tall, weak,
limp, crooked, fasciated

Score: _____

SCAPE 3

Color: 10 points

True to Cultivar:

clear, lustrous, uniform,
no streaking, rich

Faults:

Not true to cultivar:

Murky, streaked, dull,
faded, irregular markings

Score: _____

Form: 10 points

True to Cultivar:

shape and segment shape
conform to type

Faults:

Not true to cultivar:

Malformed/uneven tepal
spacing or parts, inconsistent
segment shape, incorrect
number of segments

Score: _____

Texture s: 10 points

True to Cultivar:

smooth, creped, ribbed,
waxy, satiny, diamond-
dusted, corduroy, velvety

Faults:

Not true to cultivar:

lifeless, coarse,
slick, unevenly ribbed,
lacking luster

Score: _____

Substance: 10 points

True to Cultivar:

Crisp, fresh, firm

Faults:

Not true to cultivar:

Tissue thinning, wilting,
browning or melting on
segment edges, limp

Score: _____

Size: 10 points

True to Cultivar:

consistent with other
specimens in growing
area

Faults:

Not true to cultivar:

Smaller or larger than
registered

Score: _____

Scape Ht./Strength: 10 pts.

True to Cultivar:

sturdy, straight, propor-
tional, supports blooms

Faults:

Not true to cultivar:

Too short or tall, weak,
limp, crooked, fasciated

Score: _____

Buds: 10 points
True to Cultivar:
well-spaced, not crowded,
typical or better count
Faults:
Not true to cultivar:
Scant or crowded
Score: _____

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True to Cultivar:
well-spaced, not crowded,
typical or better count
Faults:
Not true to cultivar:
Scant or crowded
Score: _____

Buds: 10 points
True to Cultivar:
well-spaced, not crowded,
typical or better count
Faults:
Not true to cultivar:
Scant or crowded
Score: _____

Branching: 10 Points
True to Cultivar:
well-spaced, multiple,
typical or better
Faults: crowded,
unbalanced or not well-
branched, scant or
inadequate
Score: _____

Branching: 10 Points
True to Cultivar:
well-spaced, multiple,
typical or better
Faults: crowded,
unbalanced or not well-
branched, scant or
inadequate
Score: _____

Branching: 10 Points
True to Cultivar:
well-spaced, multiple.
typical or better
Faults: crowded,
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Score: _____

Condition and Grooming:
15 points

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Merits: fresh, clean, unblemished

Faults:

Place fault numbers on lines provided for each scape:

1. Presence of insects or insect damage
2. Seed pods or blasted buds
3. Spent or faded flowers left
4. Spray residue, dust, dirt, pollen
5. Brown on bracts or bloom scars
6. Water spots
7. Scarred scapes, tears, cracks or breaks in segments
8. Broken or malformed anthers/pistil, removed anthers or pistil
9. Crooked scapes (if they detract from the exhibit)

Condition fault numbers: (e.g. 1, 5,7)

#1 _____
Score : _____

#2 _____
Score : _____

#3 _____
Score : _____

Score from previous page:

Scape #1 _____ Scape #2 _____ Scape #3 _____

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Scape #1 _____ Scape #2 _____ Scape #3 _____

TOTAL (add score from page one and page two to get total)

TOTAL #1Score _____ TOTAL #2 Score _____ TOTAL #3 Score _____