# Primula Auricula

- There are many different types of Auriculas. Easy to grow, they prefer alpine growing conditions, free-draining soil in a cool, airy spot, out of the midday sun.
- They are often grown in theatres, even makeshift theatres, to give plants the cooler outdoor conditions they like, while still providing some shelter from extreme wet and sunshine.





**Alpine varieties:** shading on the flower is usually darker on the inside becoming lighter towards the outside.







Vee Too Tummel

Victoria de Wemyss

#### Alpine varieties continued.







Alicia



Avon Tan



**Avril Hunter** 



Blythe Sprit



Butterwick



Dilly Dilly



Elsie May

#### Alpine varieties continued:



First Lady



Kingfisher



Joy



Larry



Kingcup



Mandarin

#### Alpine varieties continued:



Phyllis Douglas



Rene



Sir Prize



Sophie



St Elmo



Stella South

## **Double varieties:** rose like shape flower



Black Jack



Golden Hind



Lee Paul



Sibsey



Judy Borman



Nymph

#### *Double varieties continued:*



Fred Booley



Pumpkin



Stromboli



Russett Red



Vesuivus



Purple pip

## Show Self varieties: a single uniform colour and a circle of white in the middle



**Prince Charming** 



Belle Zana



Toolyn



Purple Royale



Callender Park



**Taffeta** 

#### Show Self varieties continued







Chaffinch Favourite

## Show edged varieties: flowers edged with green or grey







Nantenan Bob Lancashire

White Wings

## Striped varieties: stripes of farina (white grain-like) on coloured petals



Blush Baby



Mersey Tiger



Pinstripe



Red Wire



Raleigh Stripe

#### Fancy varieties: show auriculas that do not quite fit into other groups.



Adrienne



President George



**Sweet Pastures** 



Trafalgar Square



The Caley

## Border varieties: tough fleshy leaves that are sometimes powdery



Eden Blue Star



Janet Watts



Lucy Locket



Old Clove Red



George Harrison



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