

Assessment chart: *Euphorbia pulcherrima*

Assessment criteria for *Euphorbia pulcherrima*

	Assessment criteria
Entry control	✓ Height
	✓ Pot size
	✓ Grading
	✓ Damage
General info	✓ Animal parasites
	✓ Disease
	✓ Ornamental value of foliage
	Continued growth in the vase
Flowering	Roots
	Flowers
	Colour percentage
	Flowering development in the vase
Foliage	Bud/flower desiccation and/or bud/flower drop
	Flowering percentage
	✓ Leaf yellowing
	✓ Leaf spots/tips
	✓ Leaf desiccation
	✓ Leaf fall
Berry	✓ Flaccid leaves
	✓ Cold damage
	✓ Berry drop
	Berry desiccation
	Berry discoloration

Specific information

Grading

Record: number of inflorescences and maturity according to VBN booklet “Maturity and Density of Houseplants”.

Botrytis on leaves/bracts

Description: grey or darkly coloured spots, sometimes fungal weft, appearing on leaves.

Reject: if more than 25% of the total leaf/bract surface displays this symptom.

Ornamental value



ornamental value: 5



ornamental value: 4



ornamental value: 3



ornamental value: 2



ornamental value 1

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