

## DISCLAIMER

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**Coprosma**  
**Simplified standard protocol: SSP/CPM/2**

Examination office	Naktuinbouw	
Reference of the protocol	SSP/CPM/2	
Date of preparation of the protocol	02/10/2023	
Date of entry into force of the protocol	01/03/2023	
Botanical taxon:	Coprosma repens A. Rich.	
Common Name (when known):	Looking-glass-bush	
Way of propagation of the plants to be examined	Self or cross pollinated seed propagated <input type="checkbox"/> Vegetatively propagated <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Number of growing cycles:	1 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> specify	
List of grouping characteristics	Yes <input type="checkbox"/> if yes put as annex No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Minimum number of plants in trial	Vegetative:20	Seed: -
Minimum number of plants observed by measuring or counting:	Vegetative:1	Seed: -
Give description of when observations should take place	see: EXPLANATIONS ON THE TABLE OF CHARACTERISTICS	
<p>Uniformity:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- For the assessment of uniformity of vegetatively propagated, self-pollinated seed propagated varieties or F1-hybrids, a population standard of 1% and an acceptance probability of at least 95% should be applied. In the case of a sample size of 24 plants, 1 off-types are allowed.</li> <li>- For the assessment of uniformity for cross-pollinated varieties, the recommendations for cross-pollinated varieties in the General introduction of UPOV should be applied. The variability within the variety should not exceed the variability of comparable varieties already known.</li> </ul>		
Table of characteristics	Present <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Not available <input type="checkbox"/>	

Literature (when present, please annex to this document)	Present <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Absent <input type="checkbox"/>
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**TABLE OF CHARACTERISTICS**

<b>N°</b>	<b>Stage</b>	<b>Characteristics</b>
1.	(a)	Plant: growth habit
2.	(a)	Plant: height
3.	(a)	Plant: width
4.	(a)	Plant: density
5.	(a)	Leaf blade: length
6.	(a)	Leaf blade: width
7.	(a)	Leaf blade: shape
8.	(a)	Leaf blade: undulation of margin
9.	(a)	Leaf blade: pubescence of upper side
10.	(a)	Leaf blade: glossiness
11.	(a)	Leaf blade: main color in summer RHS Colour Chart (indicate reference number)
12.	(a)	Leaf blade: distribution of main color in summer
13.	(a)	Leaf blade: total area of main color in summer
14.	(a)	Leaf blade: secondary color in summer RHS Colour Chart (indicate reference number)
15.	(a)	Leaf blade: distribution of secondary color in summer
16.	(a)	Leaf blade: total area of secondary color in summer
17.	(a)	Leaf blade: tertiary color in summer RHS Colour Chart (indicate reference number)
18.	(a)	Leaf blade: distribution of tertiary color in summer
19.	(a)	Leaf blade: total area of tertiary color in summer
20.	(b)	Leaf blade: main color in winter RHS Colour Chart (indicate reference number)
21.	(b)	Leaf blade: distribution of main color in winter
22.	(b)	Leaf blade: total area of main color in winter
23.	(b)	Leaf blade: secondary color in winter RHS Colour Chart (indicate reference number)
24.	(b)	Leaf blade: distribution of secondary color in winter
25.	(b)	Leaf blade: total area of secondary color in winter

<b>N°</b>	<b>Stage</b>	<b>Characteristics</b>
<b>26.</b>	<b>(b)</b>	Leaf blade: tertiary color in winter RHS Colour Chart (indicate reference number)
<b>27.</b>	<b>(b)</b>	Leaf blade: distribution of tertiary color in winter
<b>28.</b>	<b>(b)</b>	Leaf blade: total area of tertiary color in winter

## **EXPLANATIONS ON THE TABLE OF CHARACTERISTICS**

### **Explanations covering several characteristics**

- (a) Observations on the plant and leaf blade should be made in summer
- (b) Observations on the leaf blade should be made in winter

## **LITERATURE**

The Cambridge Illustrated Glossary of Botanical Terms: by Michael Hickey and Clive King

Name that flower: by Ian Clarke and Heleen Lee

Botanisch woordenboek: by Henk Eggelte