

## DISCLAIMER

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**Exochorda**  
**Simplified standard protocol: SSP/EXH/3.rev**

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Botanical taxon:	Exochorda racemosa (Lindl.) Rehder	
Common Name (when known):	Pearl-bush	
Date of preparation of SSP:	2008	
Date of revision of SSP:	25-09-2020	
SSP revised by:	W.A. Wietsma	
Sample to be examined:	VEGETATIVE	
Number of growing cycles:	1 year	
Closing date for applications:	1/12	
Submission date/period:	1/3 - 31/3	
Seed/Plant Quantity:	8 young plants	
	Able to show all their characteristics in the first year of examination	
Special conditions sample:	None	
Test station address:	Naktuinbouw, Sotaweg 22, 2371 AA, Roelofarendsveen	
Name:	Team Support Variety Testing Department	
E-mail:	<a href="mailto:teamsupport@rasraad.nl">teamsupport@rasraad.nl</a>	
List of grouping characteristics:	NO, (if yes put as annex)	
Minimum number of plants in trial:	Vegetative: 7	Seed: not appl.
Minimum number of plants observed by measuring or counting:	Vegetative: 1	Seed: not appl.
Give description of when observations on the flower should take place:	At full flowering	
Give description of when/where observations on the leaf should take place:	At full flowering	
Give description of when/where the other observations should take place:	At full flowering	
Test will take place:	OUTDOORS	
Uniformity: A population standard of 1% with an acceptance probability of at least 95%. Number of Off-types allowed: one off-type allowed in a sample size of 24		
Table of characteristics:	PRESENT (see annex)	
(if present, please annex the table of characteristics and explanations)		
Literature:	PRESENT	
(when present, please annex to this document)		

**Table of characteristics Exochorda**

Plant: Attitude creeping/upright
Plant: Height
Stem: consistence herbaceous/lignified
Stem: ramification absent/present
Stem: thickness at base
Stem: color
Stem: pubescence
Internodes: length
Leaf: Arrangement
Leaf: Petiole: length
Leaf: Blade: Length
Leaf: Blade: Width
Leaf: Blade: Shape
Leaf: Blade: Color of upper side
Leaf: Blade: Color of lower side
Leaf: Blade: Shape in cross section (concave/flat/convex)
Leaf: Blade: Shape between veins (plicate/flat)
Leaf: Blade: Margin: type of incisions
Leaf: Blade: Shape of apex
Leaf: Blade: Shape of base
Inflorescence: Type
Peduncle: length
Peduncle: width
Flower: pedicel: length
Flower: pedicel: pubescence
Flower: pedicel: color
Flower: pedicel: anthocyanin coloration
Flower: stipulae: length
Flower: width
Flower: color
Flower: single/double
Flower: pubescence
Flower: calyx: number of lobes
Flower: calyx: shape of lobes
Flower: calyx: length
Flower: calyx: width:
Flower: calyx: Color
Flower: calyx: anthocyanin coloration
Flower: calyx: pubescence
Flower: corolla: shape
Flower: corolla: length
Flower: corolla: width
Flower: corolla tube: color of base
Flower: corolla tube: color of top
Flower: corolla tube: pubescence on inner side
Flower: corolla: number of lobes
Corolla lobes: length
Corolla lobes: width
Corolla lobes: shape

Corolla lobes: color
Stamen: number
stamen: length
stamen: color
anther: color
style: length
style: color
stigma: color
Literature: Dictionary of Gardening: The Royal Horticultural Society Hortica: A.B.Graf