

**Styrax japonicus Siebold & Zucc.
Simplified standard protocol: SSP/STJ/2.rev**

Botanical taxon:	Styrax japonicus Siebold & Zucc.
Common Name (if known):	Japanese snowbell
Date of preparation of SSP:	01-11-2015
Date of revision of SSP:	22-02-2021
SSP revised by:	W.A. Wietsma
Sample to be examined:	VEGETATIVE
Number of foreseen growing cycles:	2 year
Closing date for applications:	1/12
Submission date/period:	1/11 – 30/11
Plant quantity/quality:	10 trees (plants) 4 year-old plants, with root balls, able to show all their characteristics in the second year of examination
Special conditions sample:	None
Test station address:	Naktuinbouw, Sotaweg 22, 2371 AA, Roelofarendsveen
Name:	Team Support Variety Testing Department
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List of grouping characteristics:	NO
Minimum number of plants in trial:	Vegetative: 8
Minimum number of plants observed by measuring or counting:	Vegetative: 1
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:	In autumn
Test will take place:	OUTDOOR
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 10
Table of characteristics:	PRESENT (see annex)
(if present, please annex the table of characteristics and explanations)	
Literature:	PRESENT (see annex)
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Table of characteristics *Styrax japonicus*

Plant: attitude		
Plant: height		
Branch: consistence (herbaceous/lignified)		
Branch: colour		
Petiole: length		
Petiole: colour		
Petiole: anthocyanin coloration		
Leaf blade: length		
Leaf blade: width		
Leaf blade: shape		
Leaf blade: colour of upper side	RHS Colour Chart (indicate reference number)	
Leaf blade: colour of lower side		
Leaf blade: degree of bulging		
Leaf blade: plication	absent (1)	present (2)
Leaf blade: margin: type of incisions		
Leaf blade: shape of apex		
Leaf blade: shape of base		
Inflorescence: type		
Pedicel: length		
Pedicel: pubescence	absent (1)	
present (9)		
Pedicel: colour		
Pedicel: anthocyanin coloration	absent (1)	
present (9)		
Flower: width		
Calyx: colour		
Calyx: anthocyanin coloration	absent (1)	
present (9)		
Calyx: pubescence	absent (1)	
present (9)		
Corolla lobe: length		
Corolla lobe: width		
Corolla lobe: shape		
Corolla lobe: colour	RHS Colour Chart (indicate reference number)	
Stamen: length		
Stamen: colour		
Anther: colour		
Style: length		
Style: colour		
Stigma: colour		

Literature: Dictionary of Gardening: The Royal Horticultural Society Hortica: A.B.Graf Atrium Tuinplanten Encyclopedie: C. Brickell