

PI 554883 to 554899-continued

PI 554897 **origin:** United States. **origin institute:** New Jersey State University, USDA/ARS, Experiment Station, Whitesbog, New Jersey. **cultivar:** Jersey. **pedigree:** Rubel x Grover. **remarks:** Ripens late with Rubel, vigorous plant, productive. Perennial. Cultivar. Plant.

PI 554898 **origin:** United States. **origin institute:** New Jersey State University, USDA/ARS, Experiment Station, Whitesbog, New Jersey. **cultivar:** Pemberton. **pedigree:** Katherine x Rubel. **other id:** FI-66. **remarks:** Difficult to pick, very productive, mid to late season. Perennial. Cultivar. Plant.

PI 554899 **origin:** United States. **origin institute:** USDA-ARS Fruit Laboratory and, Michigan Blueberry Growers Association, Beltsville, Maryland. **cultivar:** Spartan. **pedigree:** Earliblue x US 11-93. **other id:** E-132. **remarks:** Vigorous, upright, open in growth habit, well adapted to machine harvest. Perennial. Cultivar. Plant.

PI 554900. *Vaccinium crassifolium* Andr. ERICACEAE Ornamental

Donated by: Ballington, J.R., North Carolina State University, Dept. Horticulture, Raleigh, North Carolina, United States. Received January 22, 1986.

origin: United States. **origin institute:** North Carolina State University, Dept. Hort. Sci., Raleigh, North Carolina. **cultivar:** Wells Delight. **pedigree:** Selection of *V. crassifolium* from Moore Co., NC. **local name:** Creeping Blueberry. **remarks:** High vigor and disease tolerance, apparently tolerant to *Phytophthora cinnamomi*. Perennial. Cultivar. Plant.

PI 554901. *Vaccinium cylindraceum* Smith ERICACEAE

Donated by: Rombough, Lon, Ehlen Road, Aurora, Oregon, United States. Received March 31, 1987.

origin: Portugal. **historical origin:** United States. **origin institute:** USDA/ARS/NGR-Corvallis, 33447 Peoria Road, Corvallis, Oregon. **pedigree:** Seedling selection from Portuguese seedlot CVAC 969. **local name:** 'Romano'. Perennial. Breeding Material. Plant.