

PI 554940 to 554941. *Vaccinium hirtum* Thunb. ERICACEAE

**Donated by:** Vorsa, N., Rutgers University, Blueberry and Cranberry Res. Sta., Chatsworth, New Jersey, United States. Received September 06, 1990.

PI 554940 **origin:** USSR. **pedigree:** Collected from the wild in the USSR. **collected:** August 30, 1990. **locality:** Sakhalin Island. **latitude:** 50 deg. N. **longitude:** 142 deg. E. Perennial. Wild. Cutting.

PI 554941 **origin:** USSR. **pedigree:** Collected from the wild in the USSR. **collected:** August 30, 1990. **locality:** Sakhalin Island. **latitude:** 50 deg. N. **longitude:** 142 deg. E. Perennial. Wild. Seed.

PI 554942 to 554943. *Vaccinium hybrid* ERICACEAE Half High Blueberry

**Donated by:** Chandler, Jim, USDA/ARS/NCGR-Corvallis, 33447 Peoria Road, Corvallis, Oregon, United States. Received February 22, 1983.

PI 554942 **origin:** United States. **historical origin:** United States. **origin institute:** University of Minnesota, Dept. Hort. Sci. and Landscape Arch., St. Paul, Minnesota. **cultivar:** Northblue. **pedigree:** Mn-36 x (B-10 x US-3). **other id:** MN 360. **remarks:** Ideal shrub for home gardener in cold winter climates Fruit large, dark blue, good flavor, stores well. Perennial. Cultivar. Plant.

PI 554943 **origin:** United States. **historical origin:** United States. **origin institute:** University of Minnesota, Dept. Hort. Sci. and Landscape Arch., St. Paul, Minnesota. **cultivar:** Northsky. **pedigree:** B-6 x R2P4. **other id:** MN 332. **remarks:** Home garden cultivar in Northern Minnesota and similar areas Fruit medium sized, sky blue, good flavor, stores well. Perennial. Cultivar. Plant.

PI 554944. *Vaccinium hybrid* ERICACEAE Highbush Blueberry

**Donated by:** Ballington, J.R., North Carolina State University, Dept. Horticulture, Raleigh, North Carolina, United States. Received April 03, 1984.

**origin:** United States. **origin institute:** North Carolina State University and, USDA-ARS Fruit Lab, Raleigh, North Carolina. **cultivar:** O'Neal. **pedigree:** Wolcott x Fla. 64-15. **other id:** NC 1688. **remarks:** Good color & quality, susceptible to stem canker and mites, low chilling. Perennial. Cultivar. Plant.