



Registration Ref.	#109 (8/10/2007)
Cultivar Name	<b><i>P.</i> 'La Morellina'</b>
Originator	Maurizio Vecchia (Italy)
Parentage	<i>P.</i> 'Asterix' (♀) × <i>P.amethystina</i> 'Minas Gerais' (♂)
Description	Stem round; flowers 10cm in diameter, not fragrant; petals purple; sepals ruby red; outer corona filaments dark purple at base, purple/blue, crinkled to apex; peduncle 13cm; petiole 4cm, with 3 pairs of sessile, scattered petiole glands; leaves three-lobed, 8cm x 7cm; bracts ovate with round apex, 2cm long. Flowering period June to October. Minimum temperature 5C. Named after the Tuscany wine 'Morellino di Scansano'. The female parent is a complex hybrid of <i>P.</i> 'Amethyst'.