**BUILDING BLOCK DATA**

 **Species *Oncidium sphacelatum***

**Botanical Varieties (if any):**

**Synonyms*: Cyrtochilum leucochilum***

**Awards:**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Origin | HCC | AM | CCE | CCM | CC |  | Total |
|  | **2** | **4** | **3** | **14** | **4** |  | **17** |
| Years | **1966-1989** | **1990-2011** | **2006-2013** | **1990-1997** | **1945-1965** |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

**Other awards and when given:**

**Outstanding clones of species and reason they are considered outstanding:**

**F-1 Hybrids:**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Before  1940 | 1940-49 | 1950-59 | 1960-69 | 1970-79 | 1980-89 | 1990-99 | After 1999 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **1** | **2** | **3** | **7** | **16** | **22** | **13** | **28** |

**Total Progeny:**

|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Before  1940 | 1940-49 | 1950-59 | 1960-69 | 1970-79 | 1980-89 | 1990-99 | After 1999 |
| **1** | **2** | **3** | **10** | **28** | **41** | **90** | **362** |

**Outstanding progeny and reason they are considered outstanding:**

**Oncostele Catante AM/AOS**

Created in 2002, this grex has been prolific with 44 F-1’s and 53 total progeny in2 generations. It’s Oncidium and Rhynchostele species ancestry is two generations back with *Onc. fuscatum*, *cariniferum*, *leucochilum* and *Rst. uroskinneri*. *Onc. sphacelatum* is 1 generation back. The yellows and rusty browns of sphacelatum are strong.

**Desirable characteristics which can be passed to progeny:**

Vigorous plant with multiple inflorescences per bloom cycle. Great typical Oncidium color.

**Undesirable characteristics which can be passed to progeny:**

*Oncidium sphacelatum* grows like a weed getting too large for a greenhouse bench in no time.

**Other information:**