

Cytisus, Broom Hybrids (Fabaceae)



"Porlock"

Vigorous semi-deciduous shrub, with tripalmate leaves, 1-2 cm long. Very perfumed yellow flowers blossom nearly always in spring, rarely in winter (unless in mild climate). Also thrives in a pot.

praecox

Deciduous shrub with thin, flexible branches and dense growth. Simple leaves, green, 1-2cm long. Large, sulphur-yellow flowers, similar to pea flowers, strongly scented, from April-May. Requires slightly sandy soil, not calcareous.

praecox "Albus"



White Flowers.

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praecox "Allgold"

Golden Yellow Flowers.

Scoparius (Sarothamnus scoparius)

Native to Western Europe and all over Italy. Deciduous shrub, upright, with numerous thin branches with bright green bark. Lower leaves are green, divided into 3 leaflets, each one 0.50 cm; the upper leaves are simple, almost sessile. Flowers: like pea flowers and a rich yellow, in May-June, followed by fruits which are like flat, black pods. Adapts to most types of soil but soil that is too moist or too calcareous should be avoided.

scoparius "Andreanus"

Dark red and golden yellow flowers.



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scoparius "Boskoop Ruby"

Ruby red flowers.

scoparius "Burkwoodii"

Ochre and red flowers.





scoparius "La Coquette"

Yellow and dark pink flowers

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scoparius "Lena"

Red and light orange flowers.

scoparius "Luna"

Light yellow and bright yellow flowers.





scoparius "Palette"

Pink, red and orange flowers.