

Miniature Dwarf Bearded Irises

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Iris Encyclopedia

<https://wiki.irises.org/>

MDBs in the Iris Encyclopedia

<https://wiki.irises.org/Main/Mdb/WebHome>

Judges Handbook - Latest version is 2022

<https://wiki.irises.org/Hist/Info2022AISJudgesHandbook>

AIS Webinars

<https://www.youtube.com/c/TheAmericanIrisSociety>

Dwarf Bearded Irises: the Three Types of MDBs - AIS Webinar #19

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=y9whKofkmyI>

Classes currently recognized by AIS:

**Bearded**

Miniature Dwarf Bearded (MDB) (up to 8")

Standard Dwarf Bearded (SDB) (8-16")

Intermediate Bearded (IB) (16-27.5")

Border Bearded (BB) (16-27.5")

Miniature Tall Bearded (MTB) (16-27.5")

Tall Bearded (TB) (>27.5")

Arilbred (AB)

Aril (AR)

**Beardless**

Japanese (JI)

Siberian (SIB)

Louisiana (LA)

Pacific Coast Natives (PCN)

Spuria (SPU)

Species (SPEC)

Inter-species (SPEC-X) Species Cross

Other categories (from any of the classes): Historic (>30 years), Novelty, Reblooming

Not currently recognized: Bulbous (may be recognized as Species or Species Cross)