

Dicentra cucullaria

Dutchman's-Breeches

Family: Fumariaceae [Gleason and Cronquist 1991], Papaveraceae [Judd et al. 2007]

Notes: *Dicentra cucullaria* is native in Indiana; *D. canadensis* is visually similar.



Petals 4, 2 outer and 2 smaller inner ones, the outer ones 14–16 mm long, white or pink; sepals 2, usually fallen by flowering; stamens 6; ovary 1, style 1, with 2 wings below the stigma. Blooms Mar 31–May 15, Oct 30.



Inflorescence with some immature flowers.



Bulblets teardrop-shaped, white to pink, 0.3–0.4 cm long.



Leaves 14–16 cm long, arising from the rhizome.



Perennial herb, the inflorescence a scape to 0.4 m. Woods.

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