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Preliminary note

Some years ago, whilst walking thru our local park on a sunny day I recognized lots of bees and other insects hunting for nectar. Of course, I've seen this before, but that day I started to take pictures of it. Some pictures had been waste, whilst others looked really great to me. I went from flower to flower to discover insects and to take photos. And did it again and again when walking with my family or friends somewhere in the nature.

Some time ago, I decided to share these wonderful pictures with you and started to create this book. As a preliminary summit, I spend a big amount to by a better camera with various objectives. Unless I don't sell thousand copies of this book I won't get this money back. ;-)

I hope that you enjoy the photos as much as I do.

Michael Müller

Brühl, Germany, September 2016

Cover image

The cover image shows a humblebee (I guess it is one - I'm neither a biologist nor a botanic) full with pollen hunting for more nectar. This is a photo of my first series, which I've taken in the park of the Brühl palace.

Acknowledgements

To my wife Claudia and my kids:

I hope, I did not drive you crazy when you had to wait for me again and again because I wanted to take these snapshots.

And, thank you for your patience during night-writing and other long sessions.

A special thank to our youngest daughter Eva, who helped me to decide which photos were worth to be included in this book.

I love you.

To you, my dear reader:

Thank you for interest in this book. I hope you enjoy this book.

About the Author

Michael Müller is an IT professional with more than 30 years of experience including about 25 years in the healthcare sector. During this time, he has worked in different areas, especially project and product management, consulting, and software development. During a couple of Software development project, he also could gain intensive international experience.



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He frequently writes technical papers, which are mostly published in German-printed magazines and on his website at it-rezension.de². Besides that, he irregular blogs about software development at blog.mueller-bruehl.de³.

To all people who do not understand the technical gibberish above:

Michael Müller is an IT professional. He wrote several technical books and lot of technical articles. That's mostly he can do. He has no professional experience in taking photos.

¹<https://leanpub.com/jsf>

²<http://it-rezension.de>

³<http://blog.mueller-bruehl.de>

About this book

Usually I write an *about this book* section which explains how to use the book. Since this is no technical book, there are no such instructions. Simply page through the book and enjoy the photos.

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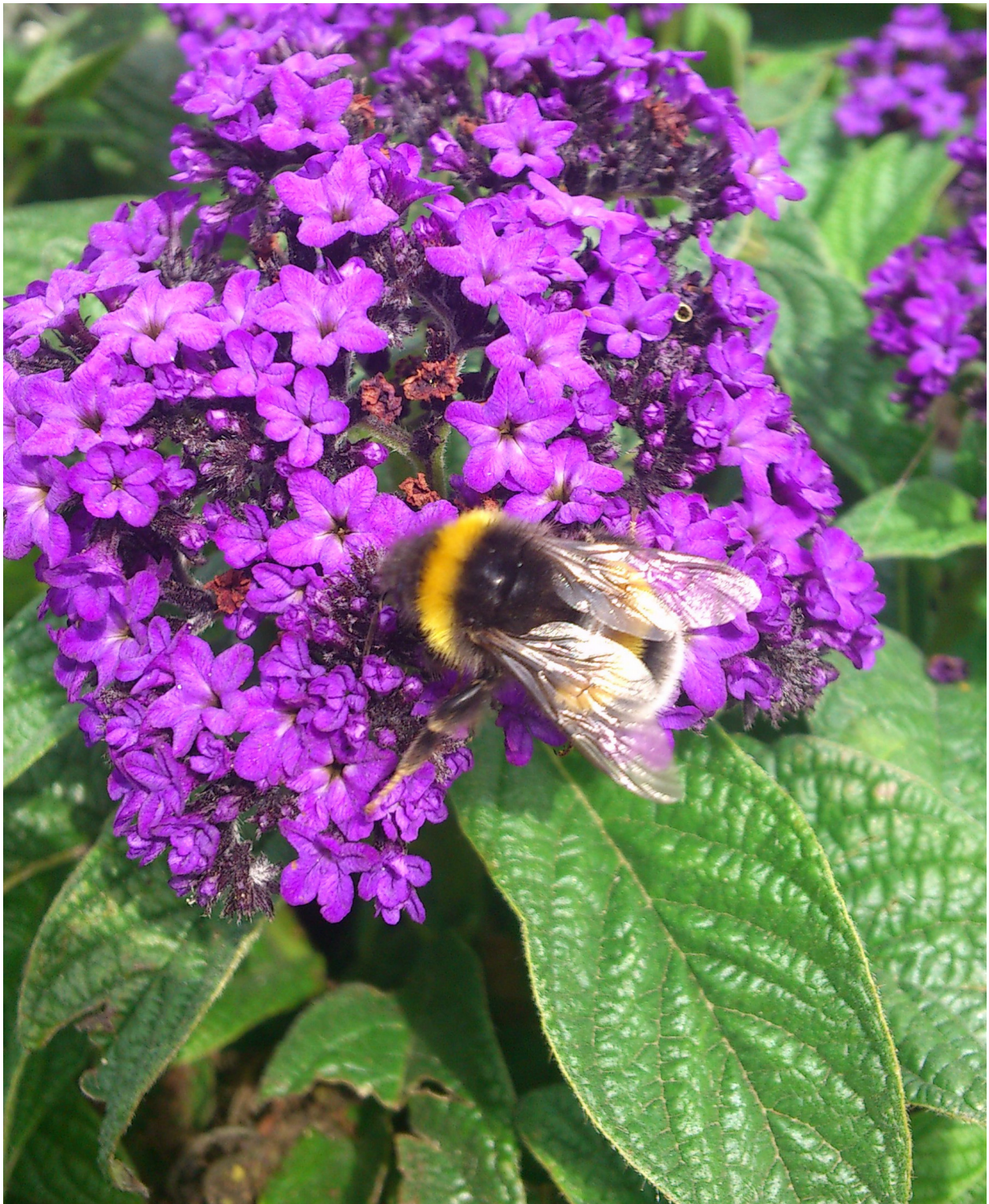
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Pictures

This is a photo book.

I'm neither a biologist nor a botanic. Thus I decided not to explain the photos. Simply enjoy the beauty.

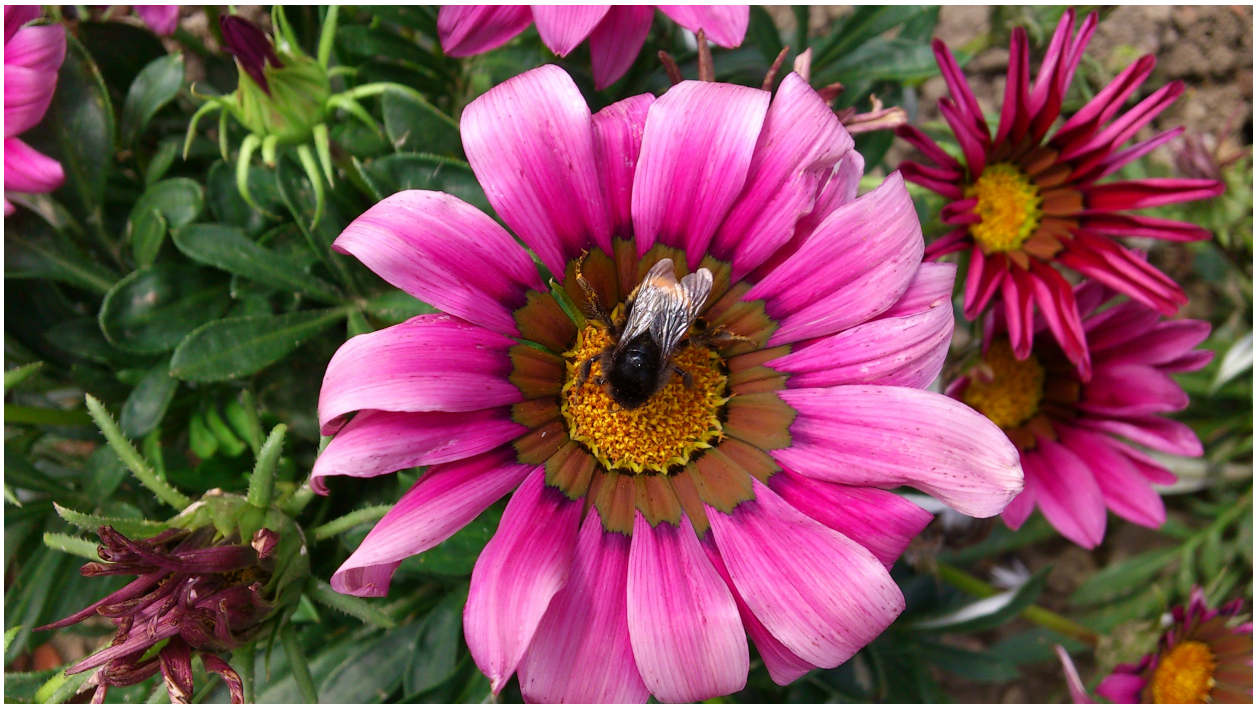
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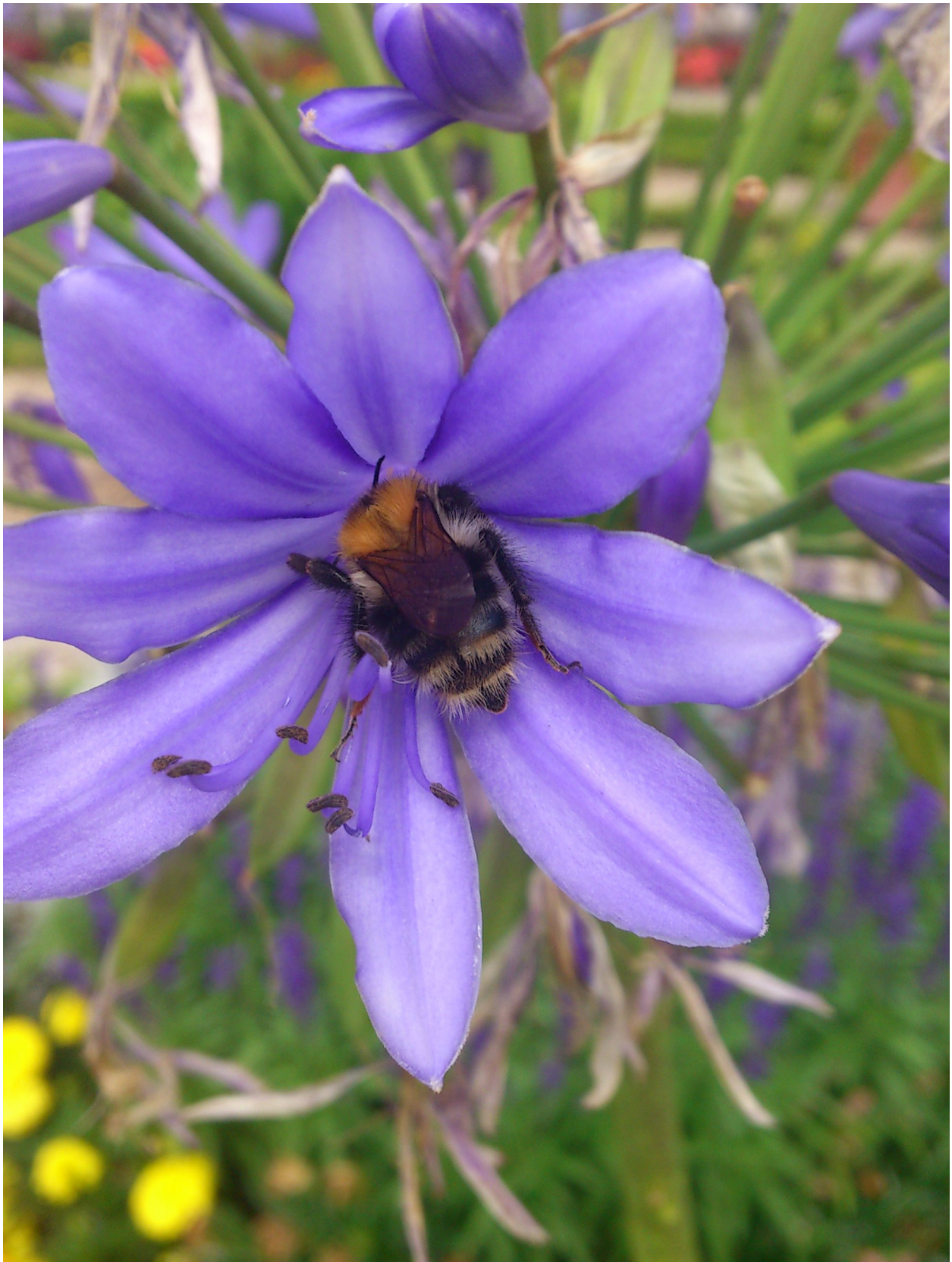
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DSC_0131.JPG Hard to imaging whether it is possible to fly with such short wings.



DSC_0197.JPG A fly...



DSC_0210.JPG ...and a fly in disguise.



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