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Synopsis

The latest techniques for propagating crops with terminal, stem, and leaf/stem cuttings are the focus of this horticulture handbook. All the bases are covered—propagation basics, stock plant management, media, temperature, light, nutrition, plant growth regulators, insect and disease management, equipment, and postharvest handling. From these general subjects, the editors focus in on specifics for scores of specialty bedding plants, perennials, specialty cut flowers, and foliage plants. Then they zoom in even closer, covering more than 60 important floriculture crops in detail so propagators and growers can provide high-quality cuttings and young plants to the market.

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A must have if you produce plants in the greenhouse. A great reference for all: the beginner, novice

or expert.

CUTTING PROPAGATION: A GUIDE TO PROPAGATING AND PRODUCING FLORICULTURE

CROPS is for the serious college-level horticulture collection: it covers vegetatively propagated varieties and provides the latest information on cutting and rooting for optimum results. From stock plant management and nutrition to insect management, equipment and postharvest, CUTTING PROPAGATION's chapters hold all the technical specs the full-time serious grower needs.Diane C. DonovanCalifornia Bookwatch

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