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The Greenhouse Gardener's Manual





Synopsis

Imagine biting into a fresh, juicy tomato straight from the vine in the middle of winter or growing a collection of succulents and cacti the coldest parts of the world. In The Greenhouse Gardener's Manual, Roger Marshall providesevery tool and technique you need to successfully grow edibles and ornamentals in a well-maintained greenhouse. Marshall offers insight to choose the right greenhouse, create a healthy environment, start seeds and propagate, and maintain your greenhouse. Â

Book Information

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â œThis comprehensive manual boasts illustrations and full-color photos throughout. . . . An excellent resource on the subject.â • â "Booklist â œThis invaluable tool will serve as an inspiring blueprint for gardeners ready to embark on the adventure of gardening for even more months in the year.â • â "Publishers Weekly â œProvides the nuts and bolts of designing and maintaining greenhouses for these purposes without overwhelming readers with technical minutiae.â • â "The American Gardener â œAnyone purchasing a greenhouse should read this book first. Even experienced greenhouse owners will learn valuable ideas to improve their greenhouse growing.â • â "Home Greenhouse Magazine â œMarshallâ ™s 250-page how-to manual includes directions for 70 vegetables and 88 ornamentals, along with maintenance advice and propagation tips. With glossy color photos on every page, from artichokes to aloe, the book also has a handy chart that tells gardeners the optimum container size, bed area, temperature, germination length and planting

date.â • â "The Jamestown Press Â

The ultimate guide to growing inside A greenhouse can bring you spectacular rewardsâ "if you know how to maximize its potential. In this easy-to-use guide, Roger Marshall covers all the basicsâ "how to choose, heat, irrigate, and maintain your greenhouseâ "as well how to grow scores of popular plants, including vegetables, herbs, and fruit; ornamentals for flowers and foliage; and collectorsâ [™] plants such as orchids, bromeliads, cacti, and succulents. Youâ [™]II also learn propagation techniques, the basics of hydroponics and aquaponics, and the most effective ways of controlling pests and diseases. Donâ [™]t let that precious space go to wasteâ "find out how your greenhouse can become a gardenerâ [™]s best friend. Â

I've been greenhouse gardening for several years and used this book as a refresher. It's filled with good information and would be an excellent book for those that are looking to start a greenhouse. Mr. Marshall gives an excellent overview and covers all the bases. All in all, an excellent primer.

A gift for my daughter, who now manages 5 greenhouses on a nearby farm.

Less information than i expected

Enjoyable read and very informative but I made the mistake of ordering it on my kindle and can't read any of the charts and graphs in the book. I wish that I wasn't so anxious and waited to order the book in the mail.

a lot of insights into greenhouse advantages

I was hoping for a book with more detail and more. On house plants but it was informative in a general way

I know the author and will use the book as a reference guide.

Purchased as a gift for my sister. She said it was very informative.

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