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RESOURCES 101

Of the numerous excellent publications available on the subject, the following books have been chosen as some that may be most useful to novices and non-professionals to aid with identification and information on care and cultivation of cacti and succulents. Also included are websites that may be helpful for identification and/or educational purposes, as well as a few websites of businesses known to have a wide selection of publications on cacti and succulents.

Books

Cacti The Illustrated Dictionary; Rod & Kien Preston-Mafham; Timber Press (ISBN 0-88192-400-8)

Succulents The Illustrated Dictionary; Maurizio Sajea & Mariangela Costanzo; Timber Press (ISBN 0-88192-398-2)

Succulents II The New Illustrated Dictionary; Maurizio Sajea & Mariangela Costanzo; Timber Press (ISBN 0-88192-449-0)

Cacti (Over 1200 species illustrated and identified); Clive Innes & Charles Glass; Portland House (ISBN 0-517-05650-X)

The Complete Guide to Growing Cacti & Succulents; Miles Anderson; Lorenz Books

Simon & Schuster's Guide to Cacti and Succulents; Mariella Pizzetti; Edited by Stanley Schuler

Cactus (The most beautiful varieties and how to keep them healthy); Elisabeth Manke; Barron's

The Garden Succulents Primer (How to identify and grow the most popular drought-tolerant plants); Gideon Smith & Ben-Erik Van Wyk; Timber Press (ISBN-13:978-0-88192-954-6)

Vendors

Amazon: <http://www.amazon.com/>

Rainbow Gardens Bookshop; Tucson, AZ (866-577-7406): www.rainbowgardensbookshop.com

Timber Press: <http://www.timberpress.com>

Information Websites

Cacti identification -- <http://cactiguide.com/>

Cacti and succulent identification -- www.desert-tropicals.com

Major types of cactus -- http://wc.pima.edu/~bfiero/tucsonecology/plants/cactus_types.htm

Common names of cacti -- <http://www.novia.net/~dougmcnD-G.html>

Cactus Museum -- www.cactusmuseum.com

Chihuahuan Desert Plants -- <http://museum2.utep.edu/chih/gardens/list/species.htm>

Central Arizona CSS -- www.centralarizonacactus.org