

Arbuscular Mycorrhizas:

Producing and Applying Arbuscular Mycorrhizal Inoculum

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This is a simplified laboratory guide to making and using inoculum to ensure that crops are adequately colonized by these useful soil fungi. It will be helpful for those in university research laboratories, agricultural research institutes, and commercial laboratories and other enterprises producing crop inoculants. Extension personnel and agriculturists with some basic laboratory training will find it to be an informative guide to the science and techniques of inoculum production.

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