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comprehensive, detailed coverage of crop production issues in the US. It provides the "how and why" things are the way they are, and recognizes the business of crop production. Other coverage includes the

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emphasis has been given on principles, methods and practices in plant breeding, biotechnology in crop improvement and seed production of field crops. The book has been written for all

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sections of learners, educators and staff-members of seed industries. Particular importance has been underlined for postgraduate students who specialize in plant breeding and seed science. Each chapter of

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the book has been designed as per the recommended of syllabus of Indian Council of Agricultural Research for the postgraduate students of various Agricultural Universities in our country. This book has been

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Principles of crop breeding and
ii) Methods and practices of crop
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related to shed light on the basic-principles and remaining chapters deal with methods and practices of individual crop for improvement and seed production. We hope that the book will be ready to lend a hand

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to the advanced undergraduate students doing plant breeding in elective, postgraduate students who opted plant breeding, teachers, researchers and staff-members of private seed companies of this field of

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specialization.

This book deals with the concepts and methods related to crop production. It talks in detail about the various techniques used in this field. Crop production refers to that branch

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this text. Various techniques of crop production along with technological progress that have implication are glanced at in this book. Some of the diverse topics covered in it address the varied branches that fall under this

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category. This textbook attempts to assist those with a goal of delving into the field of crop production.

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for High-schools and Short-
courses in Agricultural Colleges

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This single volume explores the theoretical and the practical aspects of crop physiological processes around the world The marked decrease over the past century in the land available for crop

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production has brought about mounting pressure to increase crop yields, especially in developing nations. Physiology of Crop Production provides cutting-edge research and data for complete coverage of the

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science needed to understand crop growth and development to facilitate increases of plant yield. Physiology of Crop Production presents a wide range of information and references from varying regions of the world to make

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the book as complete and broadly focused as possible. Discussion in each chapter is supported by experimental data to make this book a superb resource that will be used again and again. Chapter topics include plant

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*and root architecture,
growth and yield components,
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efficiency, crop yield
relative to water stress,
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and tables accompany the extensive referencing to provide a detailed, in-depth look at every facet of crop production. Physiology of Crop Production explores management strategies for: ideal plant architecture

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relationship sequestration
of carbon dioxide reducing
the effects of drought
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*and S nutrition improving
micronutrient uptake
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Production is an essential
desktop resource for plant
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*administrators in agro-
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*This book is designed as a
college text for a course in
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crop production of botany. The subject matter is presented in a style more advanced than in an earlier and more general book by the same authors, Principles of Field Crop Production. The present book also should be

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matter presented, together with the extensive literature citations, should serve as helpful reference material to many agricultural technicians. To feed a world population that will exceed 9 billion

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by 2050 requires an estimated 60% increase over current primary agricultural productivity. Closing the common and often large gap between actual and attainable crop yield is critical to achieve this

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goal. To close yield gaps in both small and large scale cropping systems worldwide we need (1) definitions and techniques to measure and model yield at different levels (actual, attainable, potential) and different

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scales in space (field, farm, region, global) and time (short and long term); (2) identification of the causes of gaps between yield levels; (3) management options to reduce the gaps where feasible and (4)

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policies to favour adoption of sustainable gap-closing solutions. The aim of this publication is to critically review the methods for yield gap analysis, hence addressing primarily the first of these four

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Climate change is a serious threat to field

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crop production and food security. It has negative effects on food, water, and energy security due to change in weather patterns and extreme events such as floods, droughts, and heat waves, all of which reduce crop productivity. Over six chapters, this book presents a comprehensive picture of the importance

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of agronomy as it relates to the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals. With an emphasis on the goals of Zero Hunger and Climate Change, this volume examines sustainable agronomic practices to increase crop productivity and improve environmental health.

This book is focused on the challenges to

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implement sustainability in diverse contexts such as agribusiness, natural resource systems and new technologies. The experiences made by the researchers of the School of Agricultural, Forestry, Food and Environmental Science (SAFE) of the University of Basilicata offer a wide and multidisciplinary approach to the

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identification and testing of different solutions tailored to the economic, social and environmental characteristics of the region and the surrounding areas.

Basilicata's productive system is mainly based on activities related to the agricultural sector and exploitation of natural resources but it has seen, in recent

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years, an industrial development driven by the discovery of oil fields. SAFE research took up the challenge posed by market competition to create value through the sustainable use of renewable and non-renewable resources of the territory. Moreover, due to its unique geographical position in the middle of the

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Mediterranean basin, Basilicata is an excellent "open sky" laboratory for testing sustainable solutions adaptable to other Mediterranean areas. This collection of multidisciplinary case studies and research experiences from SAFE researchers and their scientific partners is a stimulating contribution to the debate on

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the development of sustainable techniques, methods and applications for the Mediterranean regions.

The world population is projected to reach nine billion by 2050, and in the coming years, global food demand is expected to increase by 50% or more. Higher crop productivity gains in the future will have

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to be achieved in developing countries through better natural resources management and crop improvement. After nitrogen, phosphorus (P) has more widespread influence on both natural and agricultural ecosystems than any other essential plant element. It has been estimated that 5.7 billion hectares of land

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worldwide contain insufficient amounts of available P for sustainable crop production, and P deficiency in crop plants is a widespread problem in various parts of the world. However, it has been estimated that worldwide minable P could last less than 40 years. For sustaining future food supplies, it is vital to enhance

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plant P use efficiency. To bring the latest knowledge and research advances in efficient management of P for economically viable and environmentally beneficial crop production in sustainable agriculture, Phosphorus Management in Crop Production contains chapters covering functions and diagnostic

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techniques for P requirements in crop plants, P use efficiency and interactions with other nutrients in crop plants, management of P for optimal crop production and environmental quality, and basic principles and methodology regarding P nutrition in crop plants. The majority of research data included are

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derived from many years of field, greenhouse, and lab work, hence the information is practical in nature and will have a significant impact on efficient management of P-fertilizers to enhance P use efficiency, improve crop production, promote sustainable agriculture, and reduce P losses through eluviations,

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production; Grain and cash crops;
Forage crops.
Commercial crop production in the
1990s involves a series of

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complicated decisions. The range of pressures which now impact on the modern farmer has increased significantly in recent times.

Farmers no longer can rely on the production of commodities but must focus on products, the quality of which must meet market

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requirements. Economic pressures necessitate an increase in productivity if farmers are to survive financially. At the same time, the community demands that farmers maintain the natural resource base of the land of which they are custodians and that they

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minimise the inputs of chemicals. Principles of Field Crop Production concentrates on the principles associated with farming and addresses the issues of raising productivity and environmental management. This book also endeavours to put crop production

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in a broader perspective by addressing issues such as the socioeconomic aspects and crop improvement issues relevant to the scope of the book. This new edition updates information on numerous crops, and provides new insights into farming systems and

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modern breeding methods such as genetic engineering. This new edition continues to fill an important niche for both tertiary and senior secondary students of agronomy and their teachers. It is also an important reference book for research workers and for

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others involved or interested in agriculture.

This book is a valuable compilation of topics, ranging from the basic to the most complex advancements in the field of crop production. This book presents the complex subject of crop production in the most

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comprehensible and easy to understand language. The book covers the fundamentals of the topic and critically addresses the advancements in the field of crop production. The objective of this book is to give a general view of the different areas of crop

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production. As this field is emerging at a rapid pace, the contents of this book will help the readers understand the modern concepts and applications of the subject.

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knowledge and experiences on the use of soil testing and plant analysis as a diagnostic tool for assessing nutritional requirements of crops, efficient fertilizer use, saline-sodic conditions, and toxicity of metals. Discussions on analytical

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The existence of man has been associated closely with the culture and care plants. The early man who gathered fruits, seeds and nuts started

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to raise crop by culturing and maintaining the crop for future use. Crop production however, began when domestication of crop became essential to supplement natural resources. Crop production in agriculture is an art as well as science of cultivating land for

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the controlled production of plants and plant materials which are of use to man even animals. Being an art, it requires certain field work which needs skill, constant practice and technical-know-how. Principles of crop production however, are the

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scientific theories, ways, methods and rules of producing crops. It involves basic factors, theories, cultural operations and practices that governed crop production in terms of growth, development and yield. Crop production however, may be defined as

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a branch of plant science that deals with both theories and practical way of growing those plants that play important role in man's existence, being that plants are the major sources (either directly or indirectly) of food, clothing, construction materials,

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drugs, fuel, ornamental etc.

While preparing the first edition of this textbook I attended an extension short course on writing agricultural publications. The message I remember was "select your audience and write to it. " There has never been any doubt

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about the audience for which this textbook was written, the introductory course in crop breeding. In addition, it has become a widely used reference for the graduate plant-breeding student and the practicing plant breeder. In its preparation, particular

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attention has been given to advances in plant-breeding theory and their utility in plant-breeding practice. The blend of the theoretical with the practical has set this book apart from other plant-breeding textbooks. The basic structure and the objectives of the

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These objectives are (1) to review
essential features of plant re
production, Mendelian genetic
principles, and related genetic
developments applicable in plant-
breeding practice; (2) to describe and*

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evaluate established and new plant-breeding procedures and techniques, and (3) to discuss plant breeding objectives with emphasis on the importance of proper choice of objective for achieving success in variety development. Because plant-breeding

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activities are normally organized around specific crops, there are chapters describing breeding procedures and objectives for the major crop plants; the crops were chosen for their economic importance or diversity in breeding systems. These

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*chapters provide a broad overview of
the kinds of problems with which the
breeder must cope.*

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