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Bedding Plant Troubleshooting iBook

Edition 3 of the interactive iBook on disorders of ageratum, begonia, celosia, impatiens, marigolds, salvia, snapdragon, vinca, and zinnias is available.

The 2015 version of **Bedding Plant Troubleshooting: Guide to Disease, Insect, Nutritional, and Physiological Disorders** has been published on the iBookstore.

This third edition has been expanded with over 100 new diagnostic photographs and highlights a total of 237 disorders. A new chapter on vinca disorders was added to the existing ones on ageratum, begonia, celosia, impatiens, marigolds, salvia, snapdragons, and zinnias. The beginning of each species chapter has a quick touch index for each listed disorder. The 357-page eBook is

available from the iBookstore.

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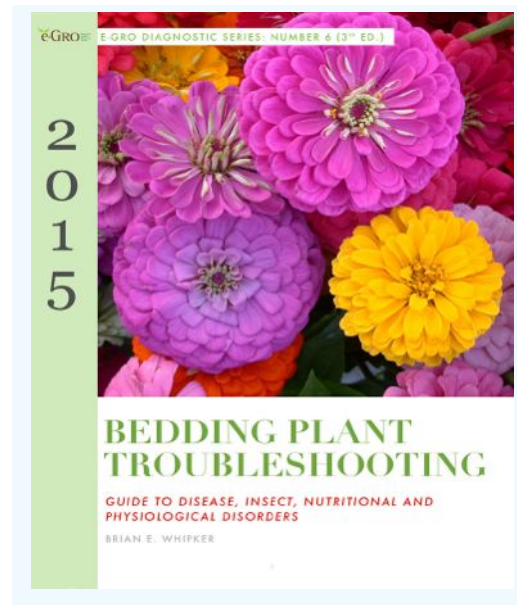


Figure 1. Cover of the 3rd edition of the iBook.

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Aphids
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Aphids (Impatiens): Infestations of aphids (insects, cast skins, and sooty mold) can easily be observed on impatiens. Distorted new plant growth occurs with heavy infestations.

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Boron deficiency
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Boron Deficiency (Impatiens): Thick and distorted leaves are the primary symptoms of a boron deficiency. Over-irrigation or planting too deep can lead to poor water transpiration (water use). Without water uptake, boron uptake is limited and deficiencies can occur.

NOTE: Boron Availability

Excessive levels of K or Ca can have an antagonistic effect on B availability. B is less soluble in soilless substrates and when the pH is above 6.5.

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