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#### BACKGROUND

2010: BEGINNING OF MY HORTICULTURE CAREER AT CAPE GARDEN CENTER

2011: ENROLMENT IN THE CPUT ND: HORTICULTURE PROGRAM

2012: KIRSTENBOSCH NBG 6 MONTH PROGRAM

2013: IN-SERVICE TRAINING AT STARKE AYRES GARDEN CENTER

2014: GAP YEAR AND PREPARATION FOR MY BTECH

2015: ENROLMENT FOR THE BTECH PROGRAM

2016: HORTICULTURE FACILITATOR AND LANDSCAPE SUPERVISOR

2017: SAMGRO WHOLESALE NURSERY

MAINTENANCE OF MOTHERSTOCK

WEED & PEST MANAGEMENT MANAGEMENT (APHIDS, MEALIE BUG, LIVERWORT, FLICKWEED)

CHEMICAL TREATMENT OF TRAYS

SALES STOCK REJUVINATION













OPTIMIZATION OF CUTTING TECHNIQUES.

USE OF JUVENILE MATERIAL

LOW TIME OF PLANT EXPOSURE TO AIR

ADEQUATE HYDRATION OF PLANTS

STERILIZATION OF EQUIPMENT

STERILZATION OF CUTTINGS HOUSE

UNIFORM SEED GERMINATION

















Echeveria Perle Von Nurnberg

Echeveria peackockii





Echeveria amoena

Crassula streyi





Crassula ovata 'Sunset'

Crassula minor





Crassula 'Horntree'

Crassula 'Curly Grey'





Crassula arborescens

Cotyledon orbiculata





OPTIMIZATION OF SPACE IN POT

**UNIFORM SIZE OF PLANTS** 

**USE HEALTHY SPECIMENTS** 

MANAGEMENT OF PESTS AND DISEASES.





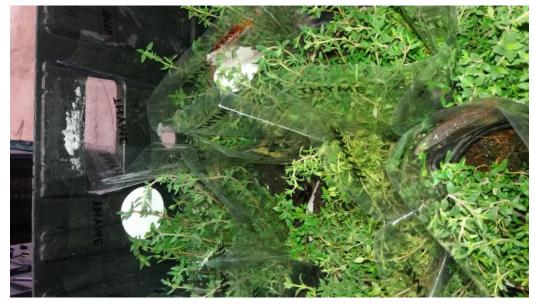


BASIL MINT





THYME





**GYPSOPHILA** 

#### ALTERNATHERA









#### HOPES FOR AUSTRALIA

FURTHER MY KNOWLEDGE AS A YOUNG HORTICULTURIST

INCREASE MY SKILLS SET AND TECHNIQUES

IMPROVEMENT OF SKILLS TRANSFER AND SHARING OF KNOWLEDGE

HOPE TO MEET MORE PROPAGATORS

#### CONCLUSION

THE PROPAGATION INDUSTRY IS AN INDUSTRY OF TRIAL AND ERROR, WHERE DOING SOMETHING DIFFERENTLY CAN LEAD TO AN ACHIEVEMENT ONCE THOUGHT DIFFICULT TO ACHIEVE.

I LOVE PROPAGATION FOR THE FACT THAT NOTHING IS CERTAIN, BUT WHEN IT GROWS THROUGH IT'S WONDERFUL.

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