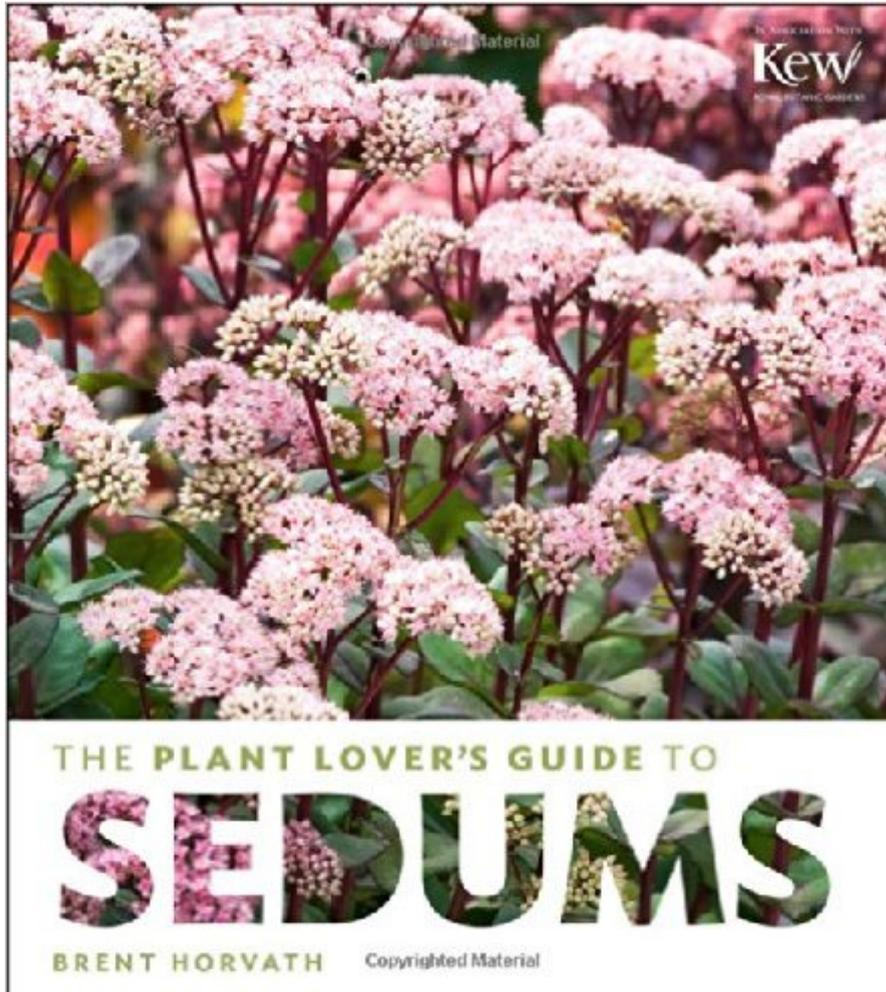


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# The Plant Lover's Guide To Sedums (The Plant Lover's Guides)



## Synopsis

Sedums are most popular flowering succulent. They range from groundcovers to large border perennials and are often included in green roof and vertical garden design because of their visual interest and drought tolerance. Sedums changes dramatically with the seasonsâin fall, they are rich and earthy while in summer their flowers come in vibrant shades of pink and yellow. The Plant Loverâs Guide to Sedums includes everything you need to know about these beautiful gems. Plant profiles highlight 150 of the best varieties to grow, with information on zones, plant size, soil and light needs, origin, and how they are used in the landscape. Additional information includes designing with sedums, understanding sedums, growing and propagating, where to buy them, and where to see them in public gardens.

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## Customer Reviews

It's great at last to have a book on hylotelephiums or sedums, with an up to date nomenclature .Thank you Bent Horvath to give us a well photographed book on this splendid genus,Recommended for any reader interested in rockery and/or border plants, they will be well catered for.

Despite the recent popularity of using succulent plants in the garden, there seems to be a lack of horticultural publications that focus only on one specific succulent plant family(agave and aloe

aside)...until now. This publication does its small part to change that premise by giving the reader example, after example, of informative images and text in regards to the subject matter. The author's experience and enthusiasm in working with these plants really comes through page after page. Sedums themselves are far from my favorite succulent, however, as a professional landscape designer, I feel it my duty to stay as informed as possible about the specific plant material I use when working with clients. This book gives me the confidence to continue using these useful plants in the garden, as well as offering encouragement to be a little more adventuresome with them now that I have a broader understanding of their possibilities and attributes.

Beautiful book, works nicely as a coffee table book also. But, I would have liked more of the book to be more in the format of an encyclopedia or atlas with each page with a picture of a particular sedum, the characteristics such as light, zone requirements.

This book is perfect for Sedum lovers. It is informative, factual, insightful and useful. The photos are clear and large. I especially appreciate the suggestions for design companions from an author who has obviously experienced a great deal of garden design. My book was in excellent shape upon arrival.

Wonderful pictures and info--and the size is is small than most gardening books so it is very comfortable to thumb through.

I love this book! The book reads well and covers Why I love Sedums, Designing with Border Beauties and Stonecrops, Understanding Sedums, Sedums in the Garden, and Growing and Propagating. He explains the new classifications for the plants, and has a great section on 150 Sedums for the Garden with details and landscaping suggestions on each. The photographs are wonderful and made me wish I had every plant pictured! It's an inspiring and informative book that I think most any gardener would love.

I'm a big fan of succulent plants, sedums especially, and this is a great addition to my plant library. Wonderful pictures and lots of good information on raising these fascinating (and easy to grow) plants.

A really great book with lots of pictures and valuable information. A must for anyone who loves

sedums.

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