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plant biotechnology presents a balanced objective exploration of the technology behind genetic manipulation and its application to the growth and cultivation of plants the book describes the techniques underpinning genetic manipulation and makes extensive use of case studies to illustrate how this influential tool is used in practice

as the oldest and largest human intervention in nature the science of agriculture is one of the most intensely studied practices from manipulation of plant gene structure to the use of plants for bioenergy biotechnology interventions in plant and agricultural science have been rapidly developing over the past ten years with immense forward leaps on an annual basis this book begins by laying the foundations for plant biotechnology by outlining the biological aspects including gene structure and expression and the basic procedures in plant biotechnology of genomics metabolomics transcriptomics and proteomics it then focuses on a discussion of the impacts of biotechnology on plant breeding technologies and germplasm sustainability the role of biotechnology in the improvement of agricultural traits production of industrial products and pharmaceuticals as well as biomaterials and biomass provide a historical perspective and a look to the future sections addressing intellectual property rights and sociological and food safety issues round out the holistic discussion of this important topic includes specific emphasis on the inter relationships between basic plant biotechnologies and applied agricultural applications and the way they contribute to each other

PROVIDES AN UPDATED REVIEW OF THE MAJOR PLANT BIOTECHNOLOGY PROCEDURES AND TECHNIQUES THEIR IMPACT ON NOVEL AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT AND CROP PLANT IMPROVEMENT TAKES A BROAD VIEW OF THE TOPIC WITH DISCUSSIONS OF PRACTICES IN MANY COUNTRIES

PLANT SCIENCE IS ONE OF THE FUNDAMENTAL SUBJECTS TO BEGIN WITH BIOTECHNOLOGY HAS GIVEN IT A FORCE TO GET MODIFIED INTO AN APPLIED FIELD KNOWN AS PLANT BIOTECHNOLOGY PLANT TISSUE CULTURE IS WIDELY USED FOR DIRECT COMMERCIAL APPLICATIONS METABOLIC ENGINEERING OF PLANTS PROMISES TO CREATE NEW OPPORTUNITIES IN AGRICULTURE ENVIRONMENTAL APPLICATIONS PRODUCTION OF CHEMICALS AND EVEN MEDICINE THEREFORE MOLECULAR TECHNIQUES ENCOMPASSING THE USE OF PLANTS ARE BEING FOCUSED IN THIS ERA THE MAIN AIM OF THIS BOOK IS TO PROVIDE READERS ABOUT THE APPLIED ASPECTS OF PLANT BIOTECHNOLOGY

PLANT BIOTECHNOLOGY HAS CREATED UNPRECEDENTED OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE MANIPULATION OF BIOLOGICAL SYSTEMS OF PLANTS TO UNDERSTAND BIOTECHNOLOGY IT IS ESSENTIAL TO KNOW THE BASIC ASPECTS OF GENES AND THEIR ORGANIZATION IN THE GENOME OF PLANT CELLS THIS TEXT ON THE SUBJECT IS AIMED AT STUDENTS

REVIEWS SEVERAL RECENT DEVELOPMENTS THAT RELATE TO IMPROVING CROP PRODUCTIVITY AND PRODUCT DIVERSIFICATION CONSIDERS THE GENETIC MANIPULATION OF MAJOR PRODUCTS SUCH AS CARBOHYDRATES FATTY ACIDS SESQUITERPENES AND FLORICULTURE CROPS AND DISCUSSES ASPECTS OF THE BIOSAFETY ENVIRONMENTAL RELEASE AND COMMERCIAL EXPLOITATION OF TRANSGENICS OTHER TOPICS INCLUDE DEVELOPING PEST RESISTANT TRANSGENIC PLANTS PRODUCING HUMAN THERAPEUTICS IN PLANTS USING MOLECULAR BIOLOGY TECHNIQUES IN PLANT BREEDING TO PROTECT INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS AND BIOSYSTEMATICS ANNOTATION COPYRIGHTED BY BOOK NEWS INC PORTLAND OR

PLANT BIOTECHNOLOGY PLAYS A VERY IMPORTANT ROLE IN BASIC AND APPLIED SCIENCES IT IS A SCIENTIFIC TECHNIQUE THAT ADAPTS PLANTS FOR SPECIFIC PURPOSES OF CROSS BREEDING

EXTENDING THEIR GROWING SEASONS ADJUSTING HEIGHT COLOUR AND TEXTURE AND SEVERAL OTHER MECHANISMS PLANT BIOTECHNOLOGY HELPS PLANT BREEDERS TO DEVELOP CROPS WITH SPECIFIC BENEFICIAL AND DESIRABLE TRAITS THUS IT HAS EMERGED AS AN IMPORTANT ASPECT OF AGRICULTURE PLANT BIOTECHNOLOGY COMPREHENSIVELY COVERS DIFFERENT ASPECTS BASED ON THE LATEST OUTCOMES OF THIS FIELD TOPICS SUCH AS TISSUE CULTURE NUTRIENT MEDIUM MICRONUTRIENTS MACRONUTRIENTS SOLIDIFYING AGENTS SUPPORTING SYSTEMS AND GROWTH REGULATORS HAVE BEEN DEALT WITH EXTENSIVELY THE BOOK ALSO DISCUSSES IN DETAIL PLANT GENETIC ENGINEERING FOR PRODUCTIVITY AND PERFORMANCE RESISTANCE TO HERBICIDES INSECT RESISTANCE RESISTANCE TO ABIOTIC STRESSES MOLECULAR MARKER AIDED BREEDING MOLECULAR MARKERS TYPES OF MARKERS AND BIOCHEMICAL MARKERS DIFFERENT ASPECTS OF IMPORTANT ISSUES IN PLANT BIOTECHNOLOGY COMMERCIAL STATUS AND PUBLIC ACCEPTANCE BIOSAFETY GUIDELINES GENE FLOW AND IPR HAVE BEEN ALSO THOROUGHLY EXAMINED THIS BOOK CATERS TO THE NEEDS OF GRADUATE POSTGRADUATE AND RESEARCHERS

PLANT BIOTECHNOLOGY AND PLANT GENETIC RESOURCES WHICH BOASTS A TRULY INTERNATIONAL LIST OF CONTRIBUTORS WITH A VARIETY OF EXPERTISE THOROUGHLY EXPLORES ALL THE MAJOR CONTEMPORARY CONCERNS IT DISCUSSES THE STRATEGIES FOR THE BEST USE OF MODERN BIOTECHNOLOGY AND PRECIOUS PLANT GENETIC RESOURCES TO ALLEVIATE COMPONENTS ASSOCIATED WITH GLOBAL CONSTRAINTS IN HUNGER ENVIRONMENT AND HEALTH THIS BOOK IS A VALUABLE RESOURCE FOR SCIENTISTS AND POLICY MAKERS AS THE WORLD FACES UNPRECEDENTED CHALLENGES IN THE SUSTAINABILITY AND PRODUCTIVITY OF THE GLOBAL FOOD AND FIBRE SYSTEM

WITH THE APPEARANCE OF METHODS FOR THE SEQUENCING OF GENOMES AND LESS EXPENSIVE NEXT GENERATION SEQUENCING METHODS WE FACE RAPID ADVANCEMENTS OF THE OMICS TECHNOLOGIES AND PLANT BIOLOGY STUDIES REVERSE AND FORWARD GENETICS FUNCTIONAL GENOMICS TRANSCRIPTOMICS PROTEOMICS METABOLOMICS THE MOVEMENT AT DISTANCE OF EFFECTORS AND STRUCTURAL BIOLOGY FROM PLANT GENOMICS TO PLANT BIOTECHNOLOGY REVIEWS THE RECENT ADVANCEMENTS IN THE POST GENOMIC ERA DISCUSSING HOW DIFFERENT VARIETIES RESPOND TO ABIOTIC AND BIOTIC STRESSES UNDERSTANDING THE EPIGENETIC CONTROL

and epigenetic memory the roles of non coding rnas applicative uses of rna silencing and rna interference in plant physiology and in experimental transgenics and plants modified to specific aims in the forthcoming years these advancements will support the production of plant varieties better suited to resist biotic and abiotic stresses for food and non food applications this book covers these issues showing how such technologies are influencing the plant field in sectors such as the selection of plant varieties and plant breeding selection of optimum agronomic traits stress resistant varieties improvement of plant fitness improving crop yield and non food applications in the knowledge based bio economy discusses a broad range of applications the examples originate from a variety of sectors including in field studies breeding rna regulation pharmaceuticals and biotech and a variety of scientific areas such as bioinformatics omics sciences epigenetics and the agro industry provides a unique perspective on work normally performed behind closed doors as such it presents an opportunity for those within the field to learn from each other and for those on the outside to see how different groups have approached key problems highlights the criteria used to compare and assess different approaches to solving problems shows the thinking process practical limitations and any other considerations aiding in the understanding of a deeper approach

discover the latest edition of this authoritative textbook on plant biotechnology and genetic energy plant biotechnology is a field of research and development in which scientific techniques are brought to bear on the creation and modification of new beneficial plants and strains biotechnological techniques can be used to add nutritive value increase resistance to diseases and pests increase yields and more the production of biotech crops has increased over one hundred times since their introduction into commercial agriculture in 1996 making them the most rapidly adopted crop category in the history of modern agriculture plant biotechnology and genetics is the essential introduction to this thriving research subject beginning with an overview of basic plant biology and genetics it then moves to the

FUNDAMENTAL ELEMENTS OF BIOTECHNOLOGY NOW FULLY UPDATED TO REFLECT THE LATEST RESEARCH ADVANCES AND TECHNOLOGICAL BREAKTHROUGHS IT CONTINUES TO BE A MUST OWN FOR READERS INTERESTED IN THE FUTURE OF FOOD PRODUCTION AND MORE READERS OF THE THIRD EDITION OF PLANT BIOTECHNOLOGY AND GENETICS WILL ALSO FIND NEW CHAPTERS COVERING TOPICS LIKE GENOME EDITING CHLOROPLAST GENOME ENGINEERING AND SYNTHETIC BIOLOGY UPDATES THROUGHOUT TO INCORPORATE INCREASED COVERAGE OF HAPLOID PRODUCTION GENOMIC SELECTION AND MORE SUMMARY AND DISCUSSION QUESTIONS IN EACH CHAPTER ALONG WITH A COMPANION WEBSITE INCORPORATING IMAGES AND LECTURE MATERIALS PLANT BIOTECHNOLOGY AND GENETICS IS IDEAL FOR ADVANCED UNDERGRADUATE AND MASTERS STUDENTS IN PLANT BIOTECHNOLOGY COURSES AS WELL AS PROFESSIONALS SEEKING A HELPFUL REFERENCE GUIDE

THIS BOOK IS DIVIDED INTO FIVE SECTIONS THE FIRST SECTION DEALS WITH THE METHODOLOGY AND BIORESOURCE GENERATION TECHNIQUES RELATED TO GENETIC ENGINEERING AND GENE TRANSFER TO THE NUCLEAR GENOME AND CHLOROPLAST GENOME THE NEW TECHNIQUES OF GENOME PROFILING AND GENE SILENCING ARE ALSO PRESENTED THE SECOND SECTION OF THE BOOK COVERS THE CLASSICAL ASPECT OF PLANT BIOTECHNOLOGY VIZ TISSUE CULTURE AND MICROPROPAGATION USE OF GENETIC ENGINEERING VIA AGROBACTERIUM AND DIRECT TRANSFER OF DNA THROUGH PARTICLE BOMBARDMENT TO DEVELOP TRANSFORMED PLANTS IN ARTEMISIA CASTOR AND ORCHIDS AND PRODUCTION OF RECOMBINANT PROTEINS IN PLANT CELLS HAVE BEEN DEALT WITH IN THE THIRD SECTION THE FOURTH SECTION ADDRESSES THE ABIOTIC AND BIOTIC STRESS TOLERANCE IN PLANTS THE BASIC BIOLOGY OF SOME OF THE STRESS RESPONSES AND DESIGNING PLANTS FOR STRESS TOLERANCE IS DISCUSSED IN THIS SECTION THE FIFTH SECTION EXAMINES MEDICINAL PLANTS AND ALKALOID PRODUCTION

TODAY IT IS GENERALLY ACCEPTED THAT ONE OF THE KEY AREAS OF BIOTECHNOLOGY FOR THE NEXT CENTURY WILL BE IN PLANT BASED BIOTECHNOLOGY BIOTECHNOLOGY HAS CREATED NEW OPPORTUNITIES FOR PLANT SCIENTISTS WITH IMPORTANT APPLICATIONS TO AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY THIS REFERENCE TEXT IS DIVIDED INTO FIVE SECTIONS FOR EASE OF PRESENTATION THE FIRST SECTION FOCUSES ON THE STRUCTURE COMPOSITION AND FUNCTIONALITY OF PLANT

CELLS AND GENES WITH PARTICULAR EMPHASIS ON THE CELLULAR AND MOLECULAR BIOLOGY OF PLANTS AND CULTURED CELLS SECTION TWO IS CONCERNED WITH THE DIRECT EXPLOITATION OF CELL CULTURES FOR THE PRODUCTION OF USEFUL SUBSTANCES THE THIRD SECTION DEALS WITH REGENERATION AND PROPAGATION SYSTEMS THE FOURTH SECTION CONSIDERS THE INCREASINGLY CENTRAL AREA OF GENETIC MANIPULATION OF PLANT CELL SYSTEMS THE LAST SECTION IS ON SPECIFIC APPLICATIONS IN PLANT BIOTECHNOLOGY THIS REFERENCE WORK IS A SURVEY OF THESE VARIOUS FACETS OF PLANT BIOTECHNOLOGY THE INDIVIDUAL CHAPTERS AND THE FOLLOW UP LITERATURE CITED ALLOW AN EASY ACCESS TO THE VARIOUS SUBJECT AREAS AND WILL HOPEFULLY STIMULATE INTEREST IN THESE RAPIDLY MOVING AND EXCITING FIELDS OF RESEARCH

THE GENESIS OF THE VOLUME PLANT BIOTECHNOLOGY AND MOLECULAR MARKERS HAS BEEN THE OCCASION OF THE RETIREMENT OF PROFESSOR SANT SARAN BHOJWANI FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY UNIVERSITY OF DELHI FOR PROFESSOR BHOJWANI RETIREMENT ONLY MEANS RELINQUISHING THE CHAIR AS BEING A RESEARCHER AND A TEACHER WHICH HAS ALWAYS BEEN A WAY OF LIFE TO HIM PROFESSOR BHOJWANI HAS BEEN AN ARDENT PRACTITIONER OF MODERN PLANT BIOLOGY AND AREAS LIKE PLANT BIOTECHNOLOGY AND MOLECULAR BREEDING HAVE BEEN CLOSE TO HIS HEART THE BOOK CONTAINS ORIGINAL AS WELL AS REVIEW ARTICLES CONTRIBUTED BY HIS ADMIRERS AND ASSOCIATES WHO ARE EXPERTS IN THEIR AREA OF RESEARCH WHILE PLANNING THIS CONTRIBUTORY BOOK OUR ENDEAVOUR HAS BEEN TO INCORPORATE ARTICLES THAT COVER THE ENTIRE GAMUT OF PLANT BIOTECHNOLOGY AND ALSO APPLICATIONS OF MOLECULAR MARKERS BESIDES ARTICLES ON IN VITRO FERTILIZATION AND MICROPROPAGATION THERE ARE ARTICLES ON FOREST TREE IMPROVEMENT THROUGH GENETIC ENGINEERING CONSIDERING THE IMPORTANCE OF CONSERVATION OF OUR PRECIOUS NATURAL WEALTH ONE ARTICLE DEALS WITH CRYOPRESERVATION OF PLANT MATERIAL CHAPTER ON MOLECULAR MARKER CONSIDERS DNA INDEXING AS MARKERS OF CLONAL FIDELITY OF IN VITRO REGENERATED PLANTS AND PREVENTION AGAINST BIO PIRACY A COUPLE OF WRITE UPS ALSO COVER STAGE SPECIFIC GENE MARKERS DNA POLYMORPHISM AND GENETIC ENGINEERING INCLUDING RAISING OF STRESS TOLERANT PLANTS TO SUSTAIN PRODUCTIVITY AND HELP IN RECLAMATION OF DEGRADED LAND

WRITTEN IN EASY TO FOLLOW LANGUAGE THE BOOK PRESENTS CUTTING EDGE AGRICULTURALLY

relevant plant biotechnologies and applications in a manner that is accessible to all this book updates and introduces the scope and method of plant biotechnologies and molecular breeding within the context of environmental analysis and assessment a diminishing supply of productive arable land scarce water resources and climate change new plant breeding techniques including crispr cas system are now tools to meet these challenges both in developed countries and in developing countries ethical issues intellectual property rights regulation policies in various countries related to agricultural biotechnology are examined the rapid developments in plant biotechnology are explained to a large audience with relevant examples new varieties of crops can be adapted to new climatic conditions in order to reduce pest associated losses and the adverse abiotic effects

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contains case studies illustrating the cell culture production of pigments flavors and antineoplastic compounds plant biotechnology and transgenic plants covers topics that range from food to fragrances to fuel it includes discussions of technologies and research on the engineering synthesis utilization and control of primary and secondary plant metabolites such as carbohydrates amino acids lipids polymers proteins and phytochemicals for industrial pharmaceutical and food and feed applications the editors put the emphasis on recent methods in farming plant propagation and breeding and modern procedures to formulate more effective biopharmaceuticals

rapid advances in the field of biotechnology have brought revolutionary changes in agriculture health care and environmental science biotechnology has been promoted by many as being essential for human survival and as a technology that will improve the quality of life in every country plant biotechnology has affected all aspects of human life plant biotechnology perspectives and prospects incorporates

REVIEW AND RESEARCH ARTICLES ON VARIED ASPECTS OF PLANT BIOTECHNOLOGY IN 20 CHAPTERS ONE SECTION DEALS WITH GENETIC MANIPULATION OF PHOTOSYNTHESIS IN HIGHER PLANTS TRANSGENIC VEGETABLES FOR PHARMACEUTICAL AND INDUSTRIAL APPLICATIONS AGRICULTURAL GENOMICS AND MOLECULAR MANIPULATION OF CARBON DIOXIDE ASSIMILATION IN CROP PLANTS THE MAJOR SECTION ON TISSUE CULTURE INCLUDES ARTICLES ON IN VITRO PRODUCTION AND UTILISATION OF HAPLOIDS DOUBLED HAPLOIDS IN RICE CONVENTIONAL AND BIOTECHNOLOGICAL METHODS OF PROPAGATION IN OAKS ORCHID ROOTS AND IN VITRO REGENERATION MULTIPLE BUD FORMATION AND PLANT REGENERATION IN AQUATIC FERNS TISSUE CULTURE OF MEDICINAL PLANTS MICROPROPAGATION OF FABACEOUS WOODY SPECIES BIOTECHNOLOGY OF CHLOROPHYTON BORIVILIANUM HAIRY ROOT CULTURES AND ON THE IN VITRO EFFECTS OF POLYAMINE IN SHOOTLET PROLIFERATION IN SUGARCANE ONE ARTICLE IS ON IMPORTANT CHALLENGES IN CROP PLANT BIOLOGY AND PROVIDES FUTURE THRUSTS TO MITIGATE HUNGER AND POVERTY IN THE WORLD THE SECTION ON STRESS INCLUDES ARTICLES ON MOLECULAR BIOLOGY AND PHYSIOLOGY OF STRESS TOLERANCE AND MICRONUTRIENTS AND THEIR BIOAVAILABILITY TO OVERCOME HIDDEN HUNGER AN ACCOUNT RELATED TO BIOTECHNOLOGICAL POTENTIAL OF CELLULASES FROM EXTREMOPHILES PROVIDES USEFUL AND CURRENT KNOWLEDGE ON THE SUBJECT AN ARTICLE ON PROTECTION OF BIODIVERSITY AND TRADITIONAL KNOWLEDGE AND ANOTHER ON THE ROLE OF BIOTECHNOLOGY IN THE PROTECTION OF INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS HAVE ADDED TO THE VALUE OF THE BOOK THIS BOOK WILL BE HIGHLY BENEFICIAL TO STUDENTS TEACHERS AND RESEARCH WORKERS IN THE FIELD OF PLANT BIOTECHNOLOGY AGRICULTURE AND PLANT SCIENCE

THIS BOOK INTEGRATES MANY FIELDS TO HELP STUDENTS UNDERSTAND THE COMPLEXITY OF THE BASIC SCIENCE THAT UNDERLIES CROP AND FOOD PRODUCTION

HUMANS FACE THE CHALLENGE OF PRODUCING ENOUGH FOOD TO MEET THE DEMANDS IMPOSED BY ECONOMIC BIOLOGICAL AND AGRICULTURAL FACTORS RISING POPULATION RISING INCOME AND AN EXPECTATION OF HIGHER QUALITY FOOD AND A MORE DIVERSE DIET DECREASING AMOUNT OF LAND AVAILABLE FOR FOOD PRODUCTION LOWERING ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT OF AGRICULTURAL PRACTICES AND PRESERVING BIODIVERSITY BIOTECHNOLOGY IS ONE OF THE MOST EXCITING AND

dynamic industries of our day it offers us the possibility of reducing our dependence on intensive farming plant biotechnology is central to the search for effective environmentally safe and economically sound alternatives to the use of chemical pesticides and the exhaustion of natural resources today applied plant science has four overall goals increased crop yield improved crop quality reducing production costs and reducing negative environmental impact biotechnology is proving its value in meeting these goals it offers farmers higher yielding crops with lower costs of production and new outlets such as nutraceuticals and crop based bio factories it offers the european economy the potential of high quality knowledge based job creation and the european consumer better quality tastier and more nutritious food though there is public concern of genetic engineering those who are close to the science understand that this is the next big frontier to be crossed the potential and opportunities offered by plant biotechnology must not be missed we must go forward on that basis rather than turning our backs on the science phytosfere 99 provides a comprehensive overview for plant biotechnology it combines specific scientific articles review articles and comments from outside people on it which is unique in european literature

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