International Succulent Introductions (ISI) is the plant distribution program of the Huntington Botanical Gardens, a private institution with a world-renowned Desert Garden. The ISI program has had a long-standing association with The Huntington since shortly after its inception in 1958. The program was adopted in its entirety by The Huntington in 1989 and furthers the institution’s dedication to aesthetics, education, conservation and scientific study.

The aim of International Succulent Introductions is to propagate and distribute new or rare succulents to collectors, nurseries and institutions. In keeping with sound conservation practices, field-collected plants are not sold. We offer only propagated seedlings, grafts, tissue-cultured plants and rooted cuttings produced under nursery conditions without detriment to wild populations. Income is used solely to support this program. An annual mail-order offering appears in this journal. The list, with additional photos, is also accessible on the internet at http://www.huntington.org/BotanicalDiv/ISI2019/catalogintro.html.

The Huntington is a not-for-profit, 501(c)(3) organization. Charitable contributions to the Huntington’s ISI program are welcome.

Ordering Information

Orders are accepted until September 30 and are shipped by Priority Mail from March - October. No minimum order. Many items are in limited supply, so we encourage the listing of several alternate selections. Some items may be limited to one per customer. If you are combining orders for more than one person, please list orders separately. We will do our best to combine shipping fees as economically as possible.

Send: e-mail: ISI@huntington.org; fax: 626-405-3501; phone: 626-405-3571; mail: ISI, Huntington Botanical Gardens, 1151 Oxford Road, San Marino, CA, 91108, USA.

Acknowledgement: by e-mail within 72 hrs if possible, by postcard if no e-mail provided. Availability of current and/or past offerings will be tentatively confirmed at this time, but this may change when filling your order.

Costs: Add up prices for the plants you would like. CA residents add 9.5% sales tax. For shipping within CA add $9.50 minimum or $1 per plant, whichever is greater. Shipping charges for orders of three or fewer plants will be quoted prior to charging if we are able to ship for less than $9.50. For orders outside of CA add $15.50 minimum (for medium Flat Rate box) or $1 per plant, whichever is greater. Orders from east of the Mississippi may incur additional charges depending on weight and size of box required. We will attempt to use Flat Rate boxes to ensure the lowest shipping costs.

Agricultural restrictions and fees: We are not able to ship plants to Napa or Sonoma Counties in California; Counties north of Los Angeles must include an additional $5 to cover mandatory pesticide treatment. The following states (subject to change) require an additional $40 certification fee for pest inspection by a California agricultural inspector: AL, AK, FL, ID, IN, LA, MS, NC, SC, TN, VA, WV. We are pleased to announce availability in Europe of some ISI items through Succulent Tissue Culture: http://www.succulent-tissue-culture.com/EN.

Payment methods: Visa, MasterCard, Discover or American Express. Credit card payments will usually be processed in the week prior to shipping. For security purposes, credit card number, expiration date and security code may be called in to 626-405-3571 or orders may be faxed to 626-405-3501. Billing address is required if it is not the same as the shipping address.

NOTE: Customers who wish to pay by check or money-order should not send payment until they’ve received a final total for their order from the ISI office.

Processing time: Please allow 4–6 weeks for processing during peak periods of spring and summer. We will do our best to process orders within this time frame, but there may be extenuating factors that could cause further delays. We will notify you if such a delay is expected.