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Frost Date -- Providing Frost Protection -- Mulching and Wrapping Perennials for Winter Survival -- Culinary Herb Compendium -- Agrimony -- Angelica -- Balm, lemon -- Basil, sweet -- Bergamot -- Borage -- Caraway -- Catnip -- Chamomile, German and Roman -- Chervil -- Chives -- Cicely, sweet -- Coriander -- Cress, garden and upland -- Dill -- Fennel -- Fenugreek -- Garlic -- Geraniums, scented -- Hop -- Horseradish -- Hyssop -- Hyssop, anise -- Juniper -- Lavender, English -- Lovage -- Marigold, pot -- Marjoram, sweet -- Mints -- A Potpourri of Mint-Like Herbs -- Calamint, large-flowered -- Calamint, lesser -- Korean mint -- Mexican mint marigold -- Mountain mint -- Mustard, brown and white -- Nasturtium and dwarf nasturtium -- Oregano -- Parsley -- Poppy, Oriental -- Rose, dog and Turkestan. Rosemary -- Sage, garden -- Savory, summer -- Savory, winter -- Sorrel, garden and French -- Tarragon, French -- Thyme, garden -- Warm-Season Container Herbs to Overwinter Indoors -- Bay laurel -- Ginger -- Lemon grass -- Lemon verbena -- Myrtle -- Sources -- Further Reading -- Credits.

Sommario/riassunto

Culinary Herbs for Short-Season Gardeners is a comprehensive, reader friendly guide to cultivating over 50 culinary herbs - including over 100 cultivars - under the less-than-ideal climatic conditions experienced by northern gardeners. Includes descriptions of the herbs, cultivation and harvesting notes, culinary uses, and herbal trivia, plus gardening tips and techniques for cold-climate herb gardeners.
