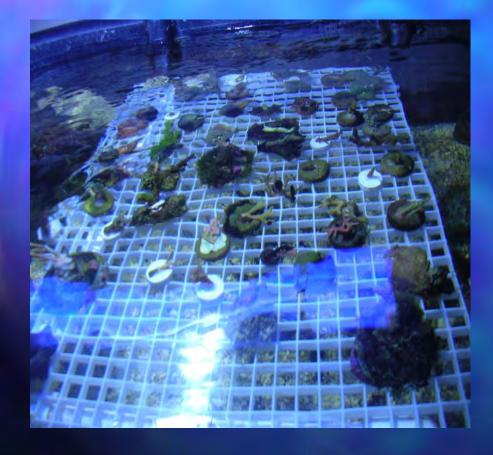
Coral Propagation 101



 The future of our hobby !
 Fun to watch them grow
 Sell or trade

Growing





Safety First

Corals can be toxic
 Work in a ventilated area

- Use gloves and eye protection
- Dispose of extra water and clean up area



Ouch!



Guide Lines

Frag only healthy corals
 Some corals should be allowed to heal before relocation
 Practice makes perfect
 Avoid fragging many corals at once

Tools Necessary



Dikes
Scissors
Hammer and chisel
Dremmel
Pliers and or forceps
Super Glue
Epoxy

Fragging Softies



- Usually cutting with scissors
- Carefully pulling from Rocks
- Encouraging to spread to other rocks
- Typically have to be tied down

Fragging Lps



- Careful cutting of skeleton
- Some can be broken with pliers
- Hammer and chisel
- Typically will not attach to rock

Fragging SPS



Usually easy to break
 By hand or pliers
 Super glue or epoxy to rock

Super Glue



Advanced Techniques



Fusing corals Fragging single polyp corals (Lobophylilla) Sexual reproduction Rare Asexual Reproduction

Videos





Thank You!