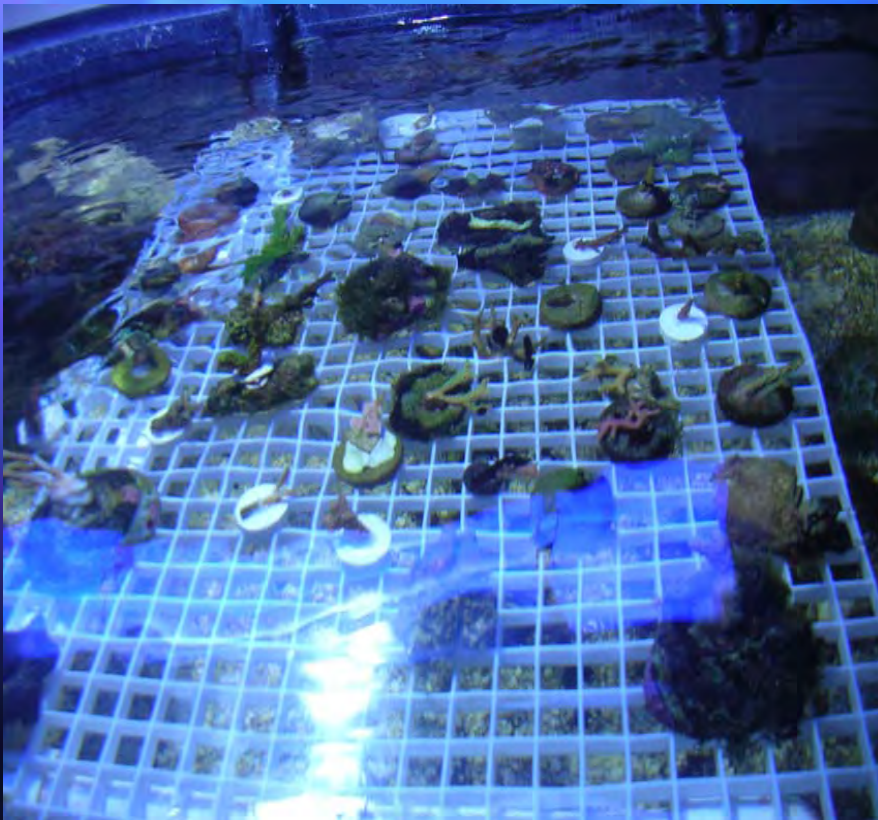


Coral Propagation 101



- 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



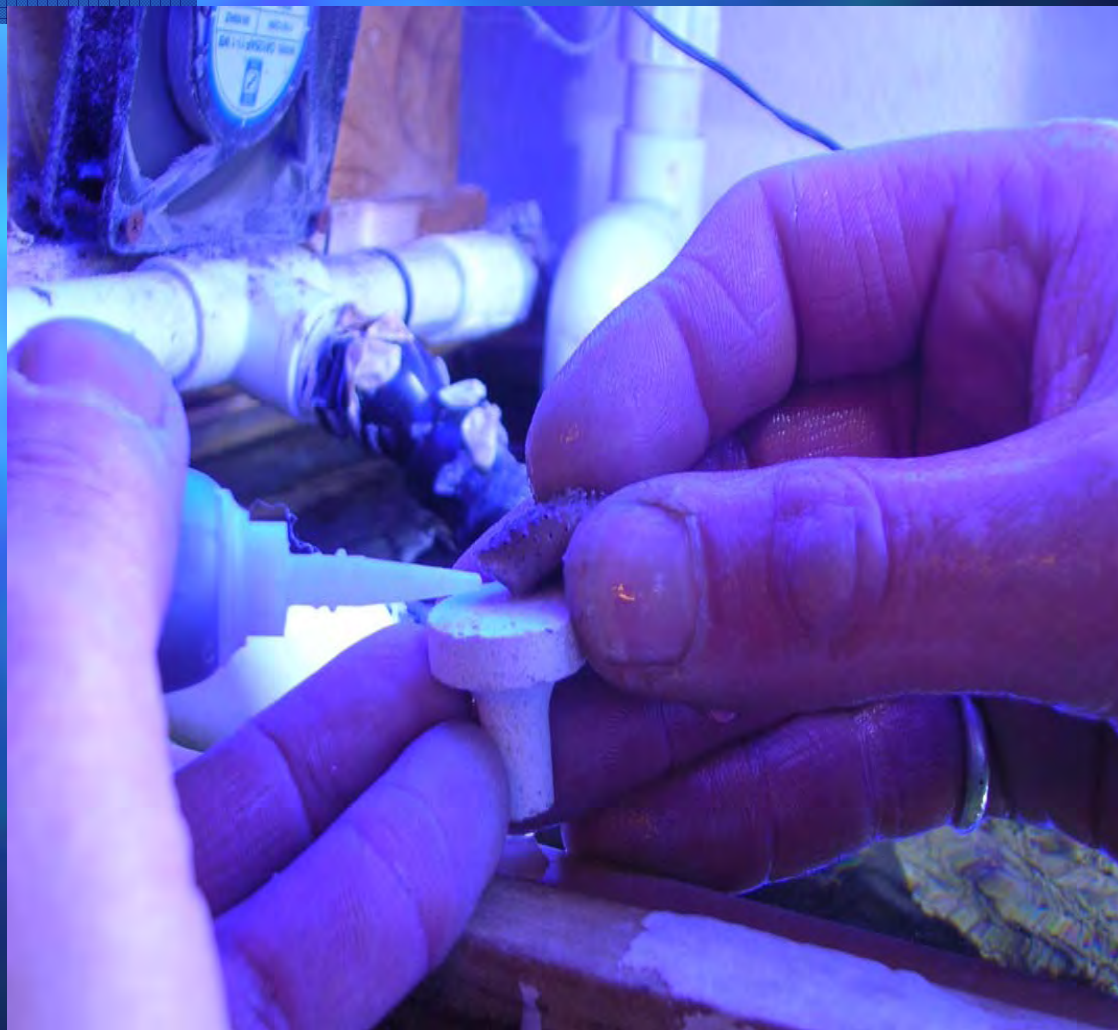
- Careful cutting of skeleton
- Some can be broken with pliers
- Hammer and chisel
- Typically will not attach to rock

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 (Lobophyllia)
Sexual reproduction
Rare Asexual Reproduction

Videos



Thank You!
