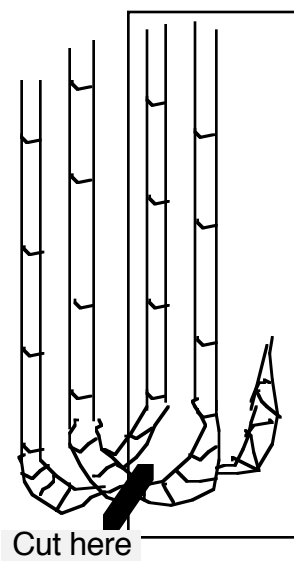
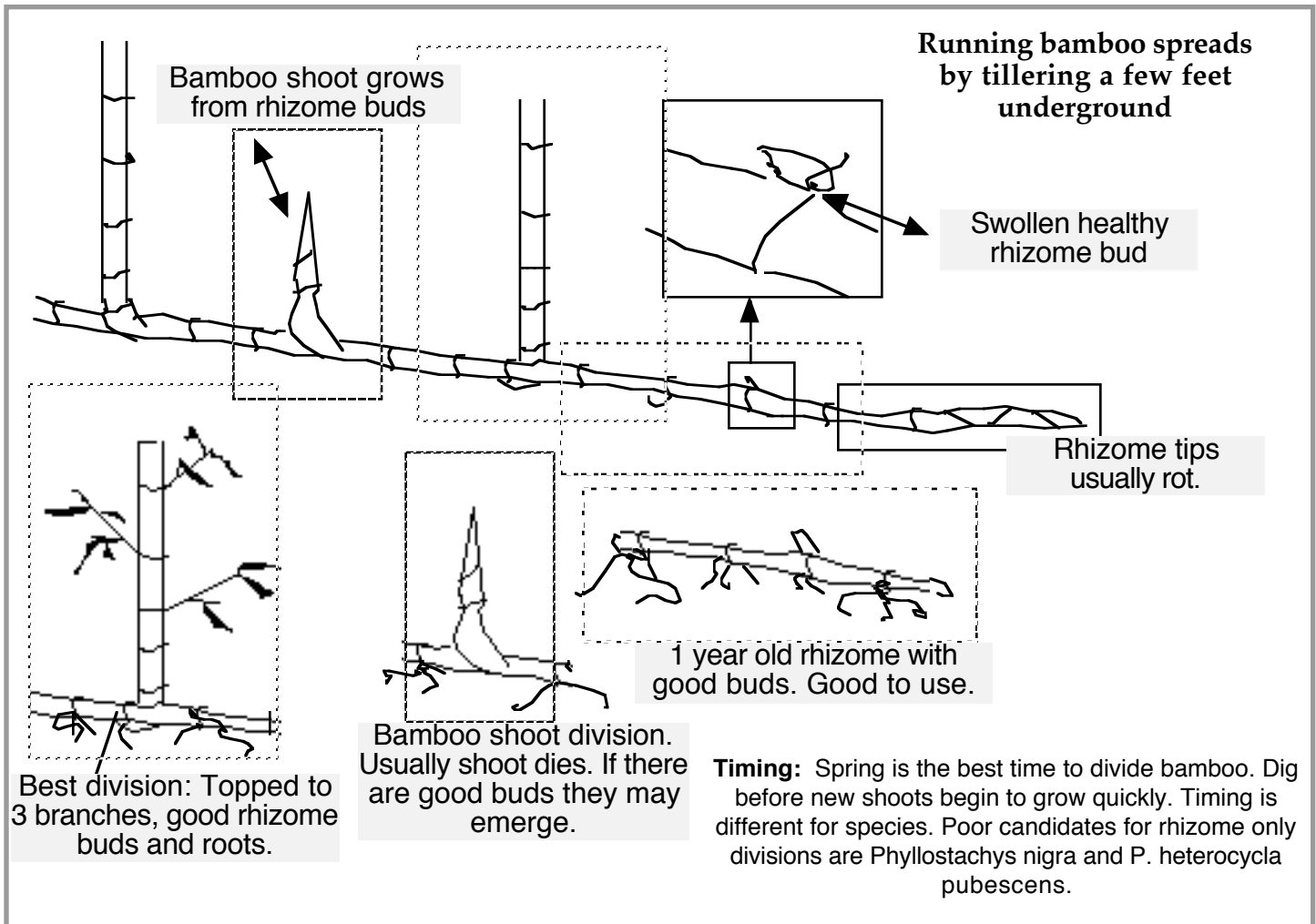


DIVIDING BAMBOO

Illustrations depicting the difference between running and clumping bamboo



Clumping bamboo spreads by short necked rhizomes spreading a few inches at a time

Divisions should include a well rooted and topped older culm. Rhizome buds and small subterranean shoots should be present.

THE GENUS NAME INDICATES WHETHER A BAMBOO SPECIES IS A RUNNER OR A CLUMPER

<u>Clumper</u>	<u>Runner</u>
Bambusa	Chimonobambubusa
Chusquea	Indocalamus
Dendrocalamus	Phyllostachys
Drepanostachyum	Pleioblastus
Fargesia	Pseudosasa
Himalayacalamus	Sasa
Otatea	Semiarundinaria
Thamnocalamus	Shibatea
	Sinobambusa

Always choose a clumping bamboo if space is limited. A rhizome barrier can be installed to contain running bamboos

Dividing tips: Avoid windy, hot, sunny days. Water in immediately and shade for a few days. Dividing just before a rain is desirable.

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