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How to Repot Aloe Vera Written Instructions

Aloe vera is a great plant to have in your house because of the many uses such as sunburns, acne, and psoriasis. Buying an aloe vera is a great benefit and the maintenance is rather simple just follow the steps and it will flourish, possibly creating “pups” which are baby aloes.

Supplies:

- An aloe vera plant

- A pot (preferably clay) with 3-4 drainage holes on the bottom
 - A saucer to put on the bottom catch from the drainage

- 1 bag of Miracle Gro Cactus, Palm, Citrus Potting Mix
 - 8 quart size bag for 1 repotted plant

 - Any bag of Cactus, Succulent, Palm Potting Soil Mix is Fine
 - ◆ Add Miracle Gro with other Potting Soil

- Pruning shears or scissors

- Gardening spade



Uprooting Aloe Vera

- Separate roots if your aloe vera is large with your fingers but do not cut them off of the plant.
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Repotting

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- Place Aloe in pot
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Planting can be very therapeutic and many plants have many uses that are helpful to people and animals. Aloe vera is just one example of this. They also make great gifts when you have pups to pass out once you've repotted them.

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