

PRUNING (JULY-AUGUST)

ROSES (SUMMER PRUNING)



1 Dead flowers can be cut off after the 1st period of flowering.



2 A continuously-flowering rose or rose with a 2nd flowering period will then invest all its energy in the new buds.



3 Take hold of the rose below the dead flower.



4 Find the first intact five leaf cluster.



5 Cut the dead flowers off above the first intact five leaf cluster.



6 Do not cut below the five leaf cluster.



7 Do not cut off any more dead flowers after 1 September.



8 You can then enjoy the rosehips later in the year.