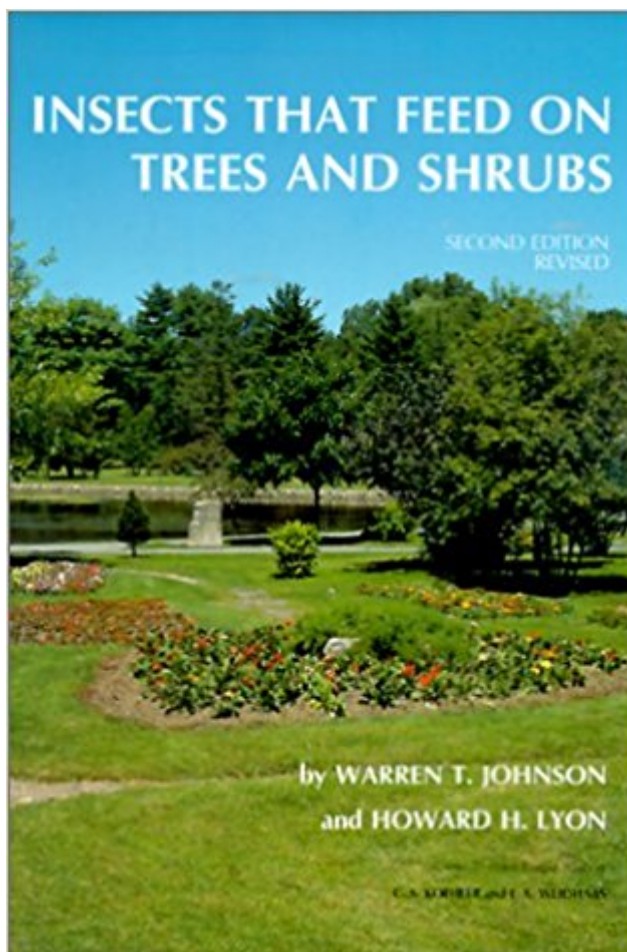




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This is the "go-to" reference for every bug that eats trees. Indeed, Cooperative Extension Services, instead of reinventing the wheel, simply reference you to this book to learn all there is to know. So

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Very happy with book!

helpful to have this book

Excellent reference book

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