Jatropha podagrica (SuCa33)

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€ 20.71

The Jatropha podagrica thrives fantastically in living room and office. Its spectacular appearance makes this plant very popular.



Plant type:	Place:	Adult width:	Light:	Watering:	Araflora info
foliage plant	indoor	40 cm	full light	normal	limited

Product info

The Jatropha podagrica is a tropical plant native to South America. This plant has a stem that is broad to start off with and then tapers off like a jar or a bottle. The leaves grow from the top of the stem and are light-green and large. When the plant is in flower, it develops beautiful orange flowers. In Holland this plant is also called ‘ bottle plant ‘, because the stem looks like a bottle. The leaves and flowers appear to have been put into a bottle. Taking care of this indoor plant is really simple. Moreover the Jatropha podagrica is an excellent eye-catcher for any plant lover in search of something special.

Height: 10 cm		Width: 5 cm	
Adult height: 100 cm		Adult width: 40 cm	
Flower period: all year		Temperature winter: 5 °C	
Product: plant		Plant type: foliage plant	
Growth habit: climbing		Properties: special	
Growth rate: normal		Araflora info: limited	
Natural habitat: South America		Altitude range: 0-1000 m	

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Plantcare

The exotic plant, Jatropha podagrica prefers a light spot or one in half shadow. Direct sunlight can harm the plant. In summer the Jatropha podagrica needs quite a lot of water, the soil should always be slightly moist. On the other hand in winter when there is no growth the soil should be allowed to dry out. The temperature must remain above freezing point, but other than that the Jatropha podagrica does not require any special temperature. The soil of a ‘bottle-plant' should be permeable and can for example consist of a mix of sand and potting soil. Araflora sells beautiful containers, which show this special plant to full advantage.

Care:
easy



Place:
indoor



Place:
container plant



Light:
full light



Light:
semi sun



Fertilize:
medium



Maintenance:
can be pruned



Watering:
normal



Watering tips:
not standing in water



Air humidity at day:
60-90%



Air humidity at night:
70-90%



Air movement:
normal



Temperature max:
35 °C



Temperature min:
5 °C



Soil type:
mixed



Repotting:
after 1 year



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