

Bladderwort 'Utricularia minutissima 'Gunung tahan' (Carniutr31) Utricularia minutissima 'Gunung tahan'

€ 8.00

This small carnivorous species of bladderwort is ideal when you're searching for something curious for your terrarium, however lack the proper space. Its size is represented by the word minutissima, meaning 'very small'. Utricularia minutissima 'Gunung Tahan' originates from Malasia, where it grows on Mount Tahan. This species likes to have wet feet and can also be kept in a pot. Utricularia minutissima 'Gunung Tahan' carries multiple eye-catching purple flowers.



Plant type:



carnivorous

Place:



indoor

Adult width:



10 cm

Light:



full light

Watering:



high

Araflora info



botanical

Product info

Utricularia minutissima 'Gunung Tahan' has quite an extraordinary habitat. It grows on top of the highest mountain on the Malay Peninsula in what is considered to be the oldest rainforest in the world. At this miraculous place it gives color to the wet soil with its lilac flowers. The flowers which can bloom in bundles of more than ten at a time grow on tall, somewhat curled stems. Utricularia minutissima 'Gunung Tahan' has a green carpet of tightly packet leaves under which the traps the plant uses to catch its prey are hidden.

Height:
3 cm



Width:
4 cm



Adult height:
5-10 cm



Adult width:
10 cm



Flower colour:
white



Flower period:
Jan-July



Product:
plant



Plant type:
carnivorous



Growth habit:
normal



Properties:
special



Growth rate:
normal



Araflora info:
botanical



Natural habitat:

North America



Altitude range:
0-500 m



Plantcare

Utricularia minutissima ‘Gunung Tahan' needs a relatively light spot, but direct sunlight has to be avoided to minimize the chance of drying out. A high humidity of 80% is optimal and a temperature of 25°C for this species, since it occurs in a tropical mountainous area. A mix of perlite and peat makes an ideal substrate. We offer these substrates and other necessities in our section ‘plant accessories'. This mixture has to be kept moist at all times, so water the carnivore at least twice a week. Using rain- or demineralized is recommended to prevent too many nutrients from building up in the soil. Cover the leaves in a layer of water from time to time, but make sure excess water can flow away in order to prevent diseases. It's possible to grow Utricularia minutissima ‘Gunung Tahan' under a glass or plastic bell. However, make sure fresh air can reach the plant regularly in that case.

Care:
normal



Place:
indoor



Place:
artificial lighting



Light:
full light



Artificial light height:
0-20cm



Fertilize:
none



Maintenance:
prune dead stalks



Watering:
high



Watering tips:
standing in water



Watering tips:
no-water spraying



Air humidity at day:
60-100%



Air humidity at night:
80-100%



Air movement:
normal



Temperature
15°C



Day temperature
15-25°C



Night temperature
10-20°C



Temperature max:
30°C



Soil ph:
< 7



Soil type:
peat



Repotting:
after 2 years

