

Bromeliad 'Alcantarea odorata' 'silver clone' (Brom21)

Alcantarea odorata 'Silver clone'

€ 75.00

Alcantarea odorata 'Silver clone' is a hybridized bromeliad from the pineapple family. The gray-green leaves of this plant could grow to one meter in diameter when mature, making it one of the larger bromeliad species. The inflorescences could reach up to two meters and produce bright yellow flowers. This plant is suitable for indoor and greenhouse growth. Alcantarea odorata is one of our most beautiful bromeliad's in stock. This Alcantarea is over 5 years old with silver shiny leaves. Only one available.



Plant type:



flowering plant

Place:



indoor

Adult width:



100 cm

Light:



semi sun

Watering:



normal

Araflora info



new

Product info

Alcantarea odorata 'Silver clone' is a large bromeliad, crossbred with various wild bromeliad species. The rosette of this species could grow to one meter in diameter when mature. Without inflorescence, this plant reaches one to one and a half meters in height depending on the level of light this species receives. The leaves of this plant are mint green to gray. Due to the shape and positioning of the leaves, this plant could contain more than 40 liters of water. This species is considered as one of the largest species of bromeliad within the pineapple family. After many years, this plant is able to produce an inflorescence of more than two meters high. The inflorescence is like the leaves mint green, where the flowers are bright yellow. After flowering, the mother plant dies. Propagation is done by detaching pups that form at the base of the plant.

Height:
30 cm



Width:
60 cm



Adult height:
60 cm



Adult width:
100 cm



Flower period:
Jan-Feb



Temperature winter:
10°C



Product:
plant



Plant type:
flowering plant



Plant type:
terrarium



Growth habit:
normal



Properties:
non-edible



Araflora info:
new



Altitude range:
500-2000 m



Growth rate:
normal


























Natural habitat:
South America



Plantcare

Alcantarea odorata 'Silver clone?' prefers a warm and relatively humid environment. This species is able to tolerate colder conditions down to 12 degrees Celsius, but frost should be avoided. Place this plant in bright light conditions, only avoiding direct harsh sunlight in the middle of summer. Use an excellent draining and coarse medium and make sure that the plant is not potted too deep. Water this plant directly in the rosette so that water always stays between the leaves. The root system functions only as anchorage as the leaves absorb water and nutrients. Provide this plant with subscribed orchid fertilizer in spring and summer.

Care: difficult		Place: indoor	
Place: container plant		Light: semi sun	
Artificial light height: 20-40 cm		Protection: water spraying	
Fertilize: little		Maintenance: prune dead stalks	
Watering: normal		Watering tips: free draining mixture	
Watering tips: watering from above		Watering tips: not standing in water	
Soil type: terrarium		Air humidity at day: 50-100%	
Air humidity at night: 80-100%		Air movement: normal	
Temperature <15°C		Day temperature 15-25°C	
Night temperature 10-20°C		Temperature max: 15°C	
Temperature min: 10°C		Soil ph: <5-6>	
Soil type: peat mix		Repotting: after 1 year	