

Bladderwort 'Utricularia bisquamata' (Carniutr11b)

Utricularia bisquamata

€ 8.29

In the south of Africa the extraordinary species Utricularia bisquamata can be found. It's a relatively small bladderwort with many lilac flowers. Centred in the flower is an eye-catching yellow spot. Utricularia bisquamata is easy to take care of in a terrarium, but can also be kept on the windowsill. Due to its ability to increase quickly, it's the ideal species for beginners.



Plant type:



carnivorous

Place:



indoor

Adult width:



10 cm

Light:



full light

Watering:



high

Araflora info



botanical

Product info

Utricularia bisquamata occurs naturally in Angola, Namibia, Lesotho, South Africa and Madagascar. The yellow spot in the middle of the flowers is slightly raised and has a deep purple edge, giving it a beautiful depth effect. The flowers usually grow in sets of two on sturdy light green stalks. The leaves are also light green and have an elongated shape. The bladder traps with which the Utricularia bisquamata catches its prey are kept underground.

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:

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Natural habitat:

North America



Altitude range:

0-500 m



Plantcare

Utricularia bisquamata is easy to take care of and can be placed in a terrarium and on the windowsill, as long as it gets enough light. The temperature should be kept around 22°C, but not much higher to prevent dehydration. Thriving in humid conditions, this species should constantly be kept under a small layer of water. Mineral poor water like rainwater is preferred. A mixture of fine sand, perlite and moss create a suitable substrate. You can find these components in our 'Plant Accessories' section.

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	