Begonia rajah 'M' (Begonia87a)

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€ 27.25

This special begonia was discovered in Malaysia during colonial times and described by a Briton. Now it is mainly found in terrariums, because the Begonia rajah likes a warm and humid environment. The species is loved for its deep wine-red leaves with bright green veins. Due to its size, Begonia rajah is also perfect size to give your terrarium extra depth.

Plant type:	Place:	Adult width:	Light:	Watering:	Araflora info
flowering plant	indoor	10 cm	semi sun	normal	mini

Product info

Begonia rajah is a relatively rare variety. The plant can flower up to five times a year and will do so with a bunch of pink flowers on a stem with a deep red color. These complement the leaf, which in itself is already very eye-catching. Like other begonias, the veins are deep in the leaf, but with Begonia rajah they are also apple green. This species has an adult size of about 10cm.

Height: 5 cm	Width: 7 cm
Adult height: 10 cm	Adult width: 10 cm
Flower colour: violet	Flower period: all year
Product: plant	Plant type: flowering plant
Plant type: terrarium	Growth habit: normal
Properties: non-edible	Growth rate: normal
Araflora info: mini	Araflora info: new
Natural habitat: Central America	Altitude range: 0-1500 m

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Plantcare

Begonia rajah is best kept in a terrarium due to its specific needs. Place the begonia in partial shade, away from direct sunlight. Make sure that the temperature cannot drop below 12?C. The ideal temperature is between 22-27?C. The soil must be allowed to dry out in between waterings. Preferably with lukewarm water. The humidity should be between 60% and 80% during the day and around 90% at night. You can give a small amount of plant food once or twice a month. A mix of peat and perlite is the best substrate for Begonia rajah. You can purchase these in our "plant supplies" section, along with many other supplies for your plant collection. To prevent rotting, we recommend cutting old leaves and flowers from the plant.

Care:
easy

Place:
indoor

Light:
semi sun

Light:
artificial lighting

Artificial light height:
20-40 cm

Fertilize:
none

Watering:
normal

Watering tips:
watering from above

Soil type:
terrarium

Air humidity at day:
60-80%

Air humidity at night:
60-80%

Temperature
< 15 °C

Day temperature
10-30 °C

Night temperature
12-18 °C

Temperature max:
30 °C

Temperature min:
15 °C

Soil ph:
< 5-7>

Soil type:
peat mix

Repotting:
after 2 years

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