

Amorphophallus titanum (Ariods168)

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€ 0.00

Amorphophallus titanum from Indonesia is one of the giant members of the genus. Amorphophallus is a genus of some 170 species endemic to the tropical and subtropical regions of Asia. These plants are members of the Araceae or arum family. They develop a flower-like inflorescence before producing any foliage.



Plant type:



terrarium

Place:



indoor

Adult width:



40 cm

Light:



semi sun

Watering:



normal

Araflora info



limited

Product info

Amorphophallus titanum or Titan Arum, has the biggest unsegmented inflorescence in the world. It is a carrion plant that stinks like a rotting corpse. Pollination takes place by flies and beetles attracted by the foul odour in the hope of finding food. The gigantic flower appears first before the leaf. The smell of the flowers during the first few days is extremely unpleasant.

Height:

10 cm



Width:

10 cm



Adult height:

100 cm



Adult width:

40 cm



Flower period:

all year



Temperature winter:

5 °C



Product:

plant



Plant type:

terrarium



Growth habit:

creeping



Properties:

special



Growth rate:

normal



Araflora info:

limited



Natural habitat:

South America



Altitude range:

0-1000 m



Plantcare

Plant the tuber in spring in well-drained, nutritious soil. Mix in a quantity of sand or seramis to produce better drainage. Use a large pot because the flower is gigantic, followed by an enormous leaf. Water sparingly to begin with, increasing the amount as the plant starts to grow. Fertilise it during the growing season. This species can best be grown in a warm conservatory or greenhouse. In autumn, lift the tuber out of the ground and store it in a dark, warm and dry place.

Care:
easy



Place:
indoor



Place:
artificial lighting



Light:
semi sun



Protection:
watering from above



Fertilize:
medium



Watering:
normal



Watering tips:
watering from above



Watering tips:
water spraying



Air humidity at day:
60-90%



Air humidity at night:
70-90%



Air movement:
normal



Temperature max:
35 °C



Temperature min:
5 °C



Soil ph:
<6-7>



Soil type:
mixed



Repotting:
after 1 year

