

## Bladderwort 'Utricularia livida' (Carniutr26)

Utricularia livida

€ 7.66

The Utricularia livida is a carnivorous plant, family of the bladderwort. The Utricularia livida catches insects in her tiny underground snares. The colour of the flowers of this carnivorous plant range from violet to bright white and are very striking. This is an exotic plant for indoors and also suitable as a terrarium plant.



Plant type:



carnivorous

Place:



indoor

Adult width:



10 cm

Light:



semi sun

Watering:



high

Araflora info



botanical

### Product info

This carnivorous plant, Utricularia livida, is an exclusive plant, whose natural habitat is in Africa and Mexico. With its tiny snares it catches small animal creatures belowground. Its leaves are green to dark green in colour and lie relatively flat on the soil. The plant itself will grow to a maximum height of 10 centimetres. Its flowers are very special and beautiful; when the plant comes into flower it grows long straight stalks from which white and violet flowers develop. Apart those plants from South Africa and Mexico Araflora has various other types of bladderwort for sale.

Height:

3 cm



Width:

5 cm



Adult height:

5-10 cm



Adult width:

10 cm



Flower colour:

white



Flower period:

all year



Product:

plant



Plant type:

carnivorous



Growth habit:

normal



Properties:

special



Growth rate:

normal



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Natural habitat:

South Africa



North America



Altitude range:

0-1500 m



## Plantcare

The *Utricularia livida* can be cultivated indoors on a window-sill or in a terrarium with artificial light. It does really well in a sunny or partially sunny spot. The temperature is best between 10° and 30° Celsius [ 50° - 86° F ] and may not drop below 4° Celsius [ 39.2° F ]. The *Utricularia livida* prefers its soil moist. This exotic plant can best be placed on a saucer which is permanently filled with water. The humidity can also be high on the condition that there is enough air flow. The soil of this plant may not contain too many nutrients and should preferably be slightly acid. This carnivorous Araflorea plant will also flourish even if it has no insects to catch and digest. Araflorea has many different species of *Utricularia* from small to large plants for sale.

Care:  
easy



Place:  
indoor



Place:  
artificial lighting



Light:  
semi sun



Artificial light height:  
10-50cm



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

