

Trumpet pitcherplant 'Sarracenia flava (M)'; (CarniSar08)

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€ 8.63

The Sarracenia flava is a carnivorous plant with large yellow, upright cups. These cups look really remarkable. The Sarracenia flava can be kept indoors on a sunny window-sill or in a sunny spot near a pond. It is one of the easiest species of the American pitcher-plant to cultivate.



Plant type:	Place:	Adult width:	Light:	Watering:	Araflora info
					
carnivorous	indoor	10 cm	full light	high	special

Product info

The Sarracenia flava is an American pitcher-plant and belongs to a special family of carnivorous plants from the US and Canada. The cup-shaped snares of the Sarracenia flava are long and slim and in the wild they can sometimes reach to about a metre high. Depending on the type of subspecies of the Sarracenia flava their colour is yellow, reddish-brown or green. The inside of the snare is smooth, so insects that drop in, cannot climb up again against its sides. On the bottom of the snare is a layer of acid liquid with digestive enzymes, in which the insect drowns and is digested. Above the snare hangs an immobile lid, which serves as an umbrella preventing the snare being flooded by rain water. The lid is also an excellent landing site for the prey of this plant. The flowers of this type of Sarracenia are yellow. Since the Sarracenia flava belongs to the easiest-to-care-for Sarracenia species, Araflora particularly wants to recommend this plant to enthusiasts who are as yet unfamiliar with this exclusive pitcher-plant. An extra bonus: the Sarracenia flava is a hardy plant.

Height: 3 cm		Width: 4 cm	
Adult height: 5-10 cm		Adult width: 10 cm	
Flower period: Jan-July		Temperature winter: -5 °C	
Product: plant		Plant type: carnivorous	
Growth habit: normal		Properties: introduction	
Growth rate: normal		Araflora info: special	

Natural habitat:
North America



Plantcare

The *Sarracenia flava* is a special carnivorous plant, which can not only be kept indoors but also all the year round outdoors in a vegetable garden or near a pond. The *Sarracenia flava* is a hardy species which can stand severe frost as long as the plant is covered with hay and the soil does not dry out. Indoors the container of the *Sarracenia flava* must always be placed on a bed of water. In the garden the ideal spot is near the edge of the pond. The soil of the *Sarracenia flava* should be poor in nutrients. Arafloora uses a mix of peat, sand and perlite. Feeding the plant with insects is not necessary for its growth.

Care: normal		Place: indoor	
Place: outdoor		Place: container plant	
Light: full light		Light: semi sun	
Artificial light height: 10-50 cm		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 0°C	
Day temperature 15-30°C		Night temperature 10-20°C	
Temperature max: 30°C		Soil ph: < 7	
Soil type: peat		Repotting: after 2 years	