

Baby Tears

Bacopa monnieri



Natural Range

Tropics of Africa, Asia, Australia and America

Maximum Size

To surface

Water Quality

- Temperature: 22°C - 26°C.
- pH: 6.8 – 7.2
- General Hardness: 150 - 200 ppm

Lighting

Medium

Foliage

Small Round

Recommended Tank Position

Midground

Growth Speed

Medium

Ease of Keeping

(1 = easy, 5 = difficult)

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Planting Instructions

(Boxed AI Naturals Plant)

- Take the plants from the bag
- Carefully remove all the jelly by washing under a tap
- Individually plant into substrate, taking care to only bury the roots

General Information

Baby Tears have a small green leaf which contrasts well with dark foliage. It is ideal for both community aquariums and paludariums (half aquarium, half terrarium).

In an aquarium, it looks best when grown in a bunch, and planted in a terrace formation. In a pond, it will grow around the edges and beyond the water surface, and flower in the summer with small white or pink flowers.

Baby Tears is undemanding. It tolerates varied water conditions, and can tolerate cooler conditions in an unheated room for short periods. Take care during warmer months, as it does not tolerate extreme heat. For useful tips on steps to take during warmer weather, see the Aquarium Industries "Hot Weather Tips" Care Sheet.

Once established, it can be propagated through cuttings.

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