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FERTILIZER CYCLE & CARE GUIDE

Simple steps for healthy , happy plants

Gasteria brachyphylla



Category

🌿 Tropical

Family

🌿 Apocynaceae

Common Name

🌿 Brachyphylla Gasteria
🌿 Short-Leaf Gasteria

Vairty of colour



Description

🌿 Gasteria brachyphylla is a compact succulent native to South Africa. It has thick, dark green leaves arranged in opposite pairs. The leaves are smooth to slightly rough with white spots and have a broad, tongue-like shape, which gives rise to the common name "Ox Tongue Plant." Mature plants produce curved flower stalks with pink and green tubular flowers during spring and summer.



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Watering

💧 **Water only when the soil is dry.**

- Summer: Once every 7–10 days
- Winter: Once every 15–20 days
- Avoid overwatering

Temperature

🌡️ **Best Temperature**

- 18°C to 28°C

Can Tolerate

- 10°C to 35°C

Protect from frost and freezing temperatures.

Sunlight

☀️ **Loves bright light.**

Ideal Light

- 3-5 hours of morning sunlight
- Bright indirect light indoors

Fertilizer

🌱 **Feed once every month during spring and summer.**

Recommended Fertilizers

- Succulent Fertilizer
- NPK 19:19:19 Liquid Fertilizer

Soil

🌿 **Requires very well-draining succulent soil.**

Simple Soil Mix

- 40% River Sand or Perlite
- 40% Garden Soil
- 20% Cocopeat or Compost



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Humidity

☁️ Prefers low humidity.

Ideal Humidity

• 30%–50%

Reproduction

🌱 Easy to propagate through offsets, leaf cuttings, and seeds.

Offset Method

1. Remove baby plants growing around the base.
2. Let the cut area dry for 1 day.
3. Plant in fresh succulent soil.

Benefits

Attractive spotted leaves

✓ Compact and slow-growing

✓ Drought tolerant

Difficulty Level: Easy 🌱

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