

If you love Monstera, then you'll be enamored with its tiny cousin *Rhaphidophora tetrasperma*. It is a unique plant from the Araceae family. This evergreen vining plant is native to Malaysia and Southern Thailand. It's leaves look like miniature 'Monstera deliciosa', which is why it is commonly referred to as mini monster. However it's an entirely different species, with much smaller leaves (6" max) and no edible fruit.



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*Rhaphidophora tetrasperma*

## **RHAPHIDOPHORA TETRASPERMA 'MINI MONSTER VINE'**



## Light

It would like medium to bright indirect light, but can tolerate low light. No direct sun, as it will bleach the leaves.

Bright indirect-low

## Watering

Water thoroughly and then let the top 1" of soil dry out before watering again. If the plant is in low light, it will need less water.

## Feeding

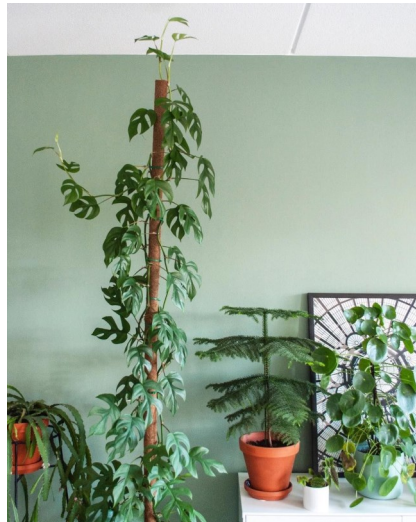
Feed monthly with a balanced houseplant fertilizer, such as Espoma Organic Indoor Houseplant Food.

## Planting & Care

Grow with Black Gold® All Purpose soil, amended with a bit of perlite or orchid bark to add drainage and aeration. Wipe the leaves regularly to remove dust. Repot every 2-3 years or replace the top layer of potting soil annually in the Spring.

## Size

This vine can grow 6-10 feet in length with a 1.5-2 foot spread. Provide a trellis or support for this plant to climb. Its aerial roots will latch onto the support you've provided.



## Temperature

65-80°F

## Humidity

Moderate

## Care

Easy

