



Care Sheet

FLAME MALE GUPPY

Poecilia reticulata



KEEPING SNAPSHOT

Difficulty: Beginner

Max Growth Size: 4-6 cm

Temperament: Peaceful, community fish

PREFERRED WATER PARAMETERS

Temperature: 22-26 degrees celsius

pH Level: 7.0-8.0

General Hardness: Moderate

RANGE

Central America and Northern South America

REPRODUCTION

Guppies are a livebearer, the females giving birth to fully formed fry. Males will mate with several females: from one mating females give birth to multiple batches of fry. Gestation period is around 28 days at 26-27°C, longer at cooler temperatures. Very easy to breed.

FEEDING

Omnivorous. Eats most aquarium foods.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

Very popular aquarium fish. Breeds very easily, best kept with similar sized fish in a planted community tank. Do not keep with fin-nippers such as Tiger Barbs. Suitable for nano tanks.

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