



PENCIL FISH THREE STRIPED

Nannostomus trifasciatus



frozen foods.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

Difficult to breed, aquarium stock is all wild-caught from South America. Looks its best when kept in a group in a well-planted tank with other small fishes. Suitable for a nano tank.

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KEEPING SNAPSHOT

Difficulty: Intermediate
Max Growth Size: 5-5.5 cm
Temperament: Peaceful, community fish.

PREFERRED WATER PARAMETERS

Temperature: 23-27 degrees celsius
pH Level: 6.0-7.5
General Hardness: Soft

RANGE

Brazil

REPRODUCTION

Egg-scatterer among plants, needs soft water. Fry initially require very small foods. Difficult to induce to breed.

FEEDING

Omnivorous. Prefers smaller sized foods, appreciates occasional feeds of live or



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