

# XYSTICHROMIS PHYTOPHAGUS

Xystichromis phytophagus



#### **KEEPING SNAPSHOT**

Difficulty: Intermediate

**Max Growth Size:** 12 cm

Temperament: Territorial, keep with

similar types.

### PREFERRED WATER PARAMETERS

Temperature: 22-27 degrees celsius

pH Level: 7.2 - 7.8General Hardness: Moderate

#### **RANGE**

Africa: Lake Victoria

#### REPRODUCTION

Mouthbrooder, females incubate the eggs in their mouth until the fry are free-swimming.

#### **FEEDING**

Omnivorous. Eats all normal foods.

## **Care Sheet**



#### **ADDITIONAL COMMENTS**

Males very attractive when mature, with multi-coloured bodies. Known as Christmas Fulu overseas. Can be aggressive, particularly when breeding, so provide some hiding places. Tankmates should be of similar size and hardy nature.

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