



GEOPHAGUS SURINAMENSIS - RED HORSEFACE

Geophagus surinamensis



Very attractive when adult, with long flowing fins and a colourful body. Fine sand (eg 2mm) is preferable for this fish as it likes to sift the substrate when searching for food.

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KEEPING SNAPSHOT

Difficulty: Intermediate
Max Growth Size: 25cm
Temperament: Territorial when breeding.

PREFERRED WATER PARAMETERS

Temperature: 23-27 degrees celsius
pH Level: 6.0-7.0
General Hardness: Soft-Moderate

RANGE

South America: Amazon region

REPRODUCTION

Mouth brooder.

FEEDING

Carnivorous. Dry foods and frozen foods.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS