



OSCAR WILD FORM

Astronotus ocellatus



ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

Oscar's are often sold in petshops as 'babies' but they grow very quickly and are an efficient predator. They require good filtration as they dig alot and can be messy eaters! Oscars make a great 'pet fish' as they have plenty of personality.

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KEEPING SNAPSHOT

Difficulty:	Intermediate
Max Growth Size:	40 cm
Temperament:	Aggressive, will eat smaller fish

PREFERRED WATER PARAMETERS

Temperature:	23-27 degrees celsius
pH Level:	6.8 - 7.6
General Hardness:	Moderate

RANGE

South America: Amazon basin

REPRODUCTION

Eggs are laid on a hard surface, the eggs (and hatched fry) are guarded by both parents.

FEEDING

Carnivorous, partly piscivorous. Greedy eater, prefers bulky foods.



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