



### SPARKLING GOURAMI

*Trichopsis pumilus*



Omnivorous. Eats most normal foods, but prefers small live or frozen foods.

#### ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

Shy at first, best kept with fish such as small tetras. More sensitive than most Gouramies. Prefers a well planted tank. Suitable for a nano tank.

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#### KEEPING SNAPSHOT

**Difficulty:** Intermediate  
**Max Growth Size:** 3-3.5 cm  
**Temperament:** Peaceful.

#### PREFERRED WATER PARAMETERS

**Temperature:** 23-27 degrees celsius  
**pH Level:** 6.6-7.5  
**General Hardness:** Soft-Moderate

#### RANGE

South East Asia

#### REPRODUCTION

Males build a bubble nest amongst plants at the surface, or in-between rocks or under a large plant leaf. After spawning, the eggs are guarded by the male until the fry have hatched and are free-swimming. The fry require tiny live food such as Paramecium.

#### FEEDING