

Orostachys boehmeri

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Common Names: Chinese Dunce Cap

Family: Crassulaceae

Origin: China

Growth: Trailing

Light: Bright

Foot Candles: 200 - 250+

Water: Allow to completely dry

Humidity: Not required

Temperature: 18°C+

Soil: Cactus mix

Container: Hanging planter with drainage

Nutrients: 5-5-5 Spring & Summer

Propagation: Seed, leaf pullings, or removal of pups

Interiorscape Use: Trailing succulent, desktop

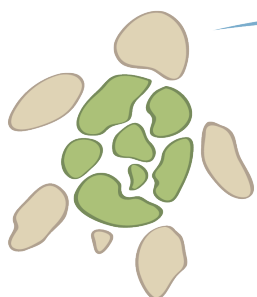


Common Pests: Mealybugs, Aphids, Spider Mites, Scale, Thrips.

Common Issues: Easily rots when over-watered. Prone to stretching with insufficient light.

Comments: Genus name comes from the Greek word *oros* meaning 'mountain' and *stachys* meaning 'spike' in reference to the shape of the flower. The plant grows high in the mountains of China. Extremely easy to propagate.

Toxicity: Safe.



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