

Rhaphidophora tetrasperma

Ra-fid-OH-for-a tet-ra-SPERM-a

Common Names: **Monstera Minima**, Mini-Monstera

Family: Araceae

Origin: Mexico to Panama

Height: Vining

Light: Bright, indirect

Foot Candles: 100 - 250

Water: Keep evenly moist

Humidity: 30% - 70%

Temperature: 15°C - 30°C

Soil: Regular potting mix

Container: Self-watering planter

Nutrients: 10-10-10 Monthly

Propagation: Stem cuttings, removal of offsets

Interiorscape Use: Attractive low maintenance foliage



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

Common Issues: Pests can hide in the petioles or the emerging rolled up leaves. Water spots can scorch leaves in direct sun.

Comments: A great alternative to *Monstera deliciosa* that provides the same interesting leaf shape in a more compact form. Makes an excellent vining plant to climb a moss totem or trellis.

Toxicity: Intense burning and swelling of the lips, tongue, and throat, difficulty speaking. Nausea, vomiting, drooling, and diarrhea may also occur. Frequent contact with sap may cause skin irritation.