



by Tropica

Lots of plants for the skilled aquarist. Vivid colours and vigorous growth require optimal lighting, as well as addition of the proper amount of fertilizer and CO₂ - But other than that, it is really not that difficult. Hemianthus, Didiplis and Bolbitis all thrive in such good conditions, just as Rotala macrandra and mini-Alternanthera will develop optimal, deep-red colours.

Tip! A dark ground layer reflects less light than a light ground layer. Only use a very dark ground layer, when there is plenty of light on the aquarium.

Note: Plant "I" on the drawing is Myriophyllum tuberculatum which is no longer produced by Tropica. You can replace it by another red stem plant.

Technique

Volume:	240 L
Light:	T5 Daylight 4 x 54W
Gravel:	Rådasand blästersilicate 0.5-1.5 mm
Filter:	Internal filter
CO ₂ :	25 mg/L
Fertiliser (weekly):	50 ml Premium Fertiliser + 75 ml Specialised
Maintenance (hours per week):	1-2

Plants used in this layout

A)	Echinodorus 'Aquatrica'	(074F)	4 pcs.
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B)	Rotala macrandra	(032 TC)	1 pcs.
C)	Bolbitis heudelotii	(006 YWS)	1 pcs.
D)	Hydrocotyle tripartita	(039B)	2 pcs.
E)	Alternanthera reineckii 'Mini'	(023C TC)	1 pcs.
F)		()	3 pcs.
G)	Vesicularia ferriei 'Weeping'	(003B POR)	8 pcs.
H)	Hemianthus callitrichoides 'Cuba'	(048B)	8 pcs.
I)		()	2 pcs.