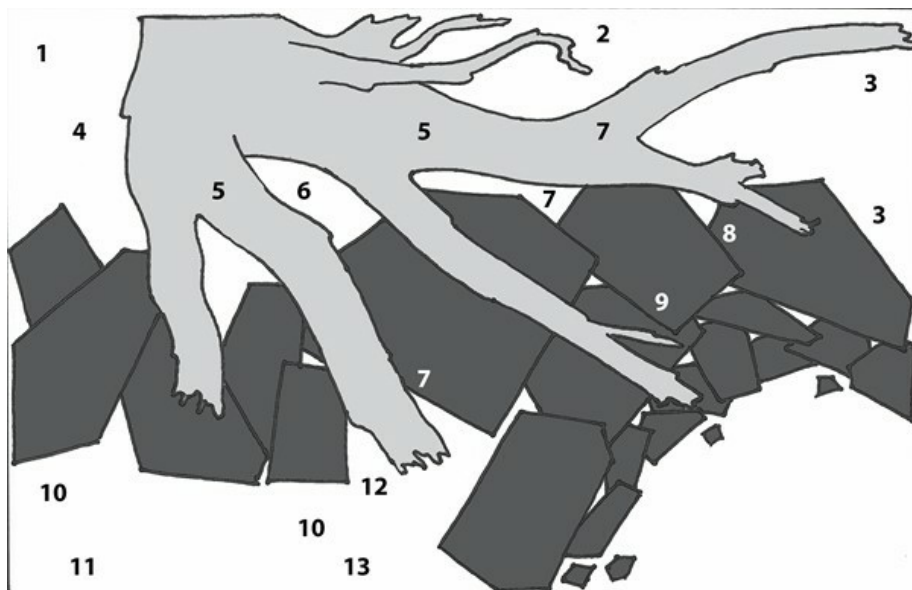




Layout 115 (35 L)



by David Pierce

David Pierce, owner of Aquarium Gardens in England, has created this 'Slow Burner' aquarium as a realistic inspiration for beginners in the hobby.

"We created this simple Non-CO2 Aquascape in our showroom using only plants from Tropica's 'Easy' selection plants. As long as you follow some simple guidelines and advice, it is achievable to create a high impact scape no matter how advanced you are."

"A good entry point to the hobby is a simple undemanding Aquascape that's easy to care for. The key to success here is sticking to lower levels of light and choosing 'Easy' plants."

Technique

Aquarium:	GLASS TANK45 X 27 X 30 CM
Volume:	35 L
Light:	Twinstar 450e (40% intensity)
Substrate:	Tropica Aquarium Soil + Powder
Gravel:	Fine grain cosmetic sand
Decoration:	Mangrove wood + dragon stones
Filter:	Oase Filto Smart Thermo 100
CO2:	0
Fertiliser (weekly):	Tropica Specialised Nutrition + Nutrition Capsules
Maintenance (hours per week):	½-1

Plants used in this layout

1)	Limnophila sessiliflora	(047 PCS)	2 pcs.
10)	Staurogyne repens	(049G TC)	1 pcs.
11)	Marsilea hirsuta	(010 TC)	2 pcs.
13)	Lilaeopsis brasiliensis	(040 TC)	1 pcs.
2)	Cryptocoryne x willisii	(107 PCS)	1 pcs.
3)	Helanthium tenellum 'Green'	(067A TC)	2 pcs.
4)	Cryptocoryne wendtii 'Green'	(109 TC)	1 pcs.
5)	Taxiphyllum 'Spiky'	(003G TC)	2 pcs.
6)	Anubias barteri var. nana	(101 PCS)	1 pcs.
7)	Anubias barteri 'Petite'	(101H)	3 pcs.
8)	Bucephalandra sp. 'Red'	(139A)	3 pcs.
9)	Bucephalandra pygmaea 'Wavy Green'	(139)	3 pcs.