

Varitemp Propagator Assembly Instructions H12 (15)



Components

Heated Base Tray x 1
Thermostat x 1
Trays & Covers x 6
Optional Self Watering Tray
Green Reservoir Tray x 1
Aluminum Slats x 2
Capillary Mat & wick x 1

COVER PLATE UPPER MOST

BASE PLATE

<u>Important !</u> Please Read before Use

Never Immerse in Water.

Never attempt to dismantle or service the Tray.

Check the cable isn't damaged in any way before use.

Maximum 3amp fuse.

It is always advised that an RCD device is used with this type of appliance.

Warning.

The top surface of the heated tray can get hot. Please handle with care.

The heated Tray is made up of two inter connecting plates, the Cover Plate and the Base Plate. It is important that the Cover Plate is upper most and the insulated Base Plate to the bottom.

Self Watering Tray (optional)

Place the plastic tray on a solid, level surface.

Insert the two aluminium slats into the plastic tray, flat side up, and place the heated tray onto the slats.

Place the capillary mat onto the top of the heated tray and tuck the wick under the main mat.

Carefully fill the plastic tray up to the drain hole and ensure the wick is in the water.

The wick will then draw the water up from the reservoir as and when necessary.

Long Term Care of Aluminium

Prolonged exposure and contact with chemicals containing metal compounds can have a corrosive effect on aluminium.

Typical of these are modern fertilisers that can contain Potassium and Potassium Chloride or more traditional such as Cheshunt Compound and Bordeaux Mixture both of which contain Copper. All of these, when mixed with water, create Ionic Salts which can attack the surface and cause pitting, eventually leading to small holes appearing in the aluminium.

When using any metal based chemicals it is best to line any aluminium surface with polythene or to wash down thoroughly after each application. When using an unlined bench as a capillary bed with sand or matting, apply the chemicals away from the bed and drain well before replacing. If you're in any doubt please check the manufacturers label as this will include a list of the contents.

