



# ZZ PLANTS



## FACTS

Grow Zone: 9 - 11

Family: Araceae

Genus: Zamioculcas

Native To: East Africa, between Kenya & South Africa

Mature Height: 12" - 36"

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Type: Herbacious perennial, typically evergreen but deciduous during prolonged drought.

Growth Habit: Upright

Foliage: Rich green or black pinnately compound with 6 - 8 elliptic leaflet pairs

Flowers: Yellow or bronze Inflorescence

Propagation: Cuttings, Division

### Why We Love ZZ Plants:

Zamioculcas zamiifolia is the only species in its genus, and has only been circulating as a popular indoor plant for the past 40 years or so. ZZ Plants are fantastic for decorating low-light areas in your home, and they do not need to be watered often. They make a great beginner plant!

## LIGHT

Can tolerate low or fluorescent light but thrives in medium to bright indirect light.

As long as you can comfortably read a book, it's enough light for a ZZ!

## WATER

Allow soil to dry out completely between waterings.

Water every 2-3 weeks.

## SOIL

Well-draining. Add perlite to ensure better drainage.

Fertilize once a month with an indoor solution during spring and summer.

*FYI: ZZs are so drought-tolerant because of their succulent rhizomes, as well as the high water content in their leaves. They love warm air and need temperatures to stay above 55°F*

## INTERESTING VARIETIES:

- Z. zamiifolia
- Z. zamiifolia 'Zenzi' (Dwarf ZZ)
- Z. zamiifolia 'Raven'
- Z. zamiifolia 'Zamicro'
- Z. zamiifolia 'Lucky'
- Z. zamiifolia variegata

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