

## Potato/Congo Box Puffer (Tetraodon Miurus)

**Distribution:** The Congo (DRC)

**Water temperature:** 24-28 degrees Celsius

**Max size:** 5-6 inches

**Ideal tank size:** 75 litres and above

Cute, possibly? But usually quite nasty and doesn't take well to its own kind! One species per tank only. As with most puffers, they take quite a shine to the person feeding them and can be quite personable.



They like to bury themselves in the substrate so a fine gravel or sand should be used. Large smooth rocks/boulders, bogwood and plants will help to create shelter and interest. Very responsive during feeding but they lounge around at the bottom of the tank.

A variety of live/frozen foods are readily accepted including cockles, mussels, mealworms, prawns, earthworms, small chopped (frozen) fish.