

Nottingham Bonsai

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Care Sheet Chinese Privet - Ligustrum sinense

Origin: China

General info

Deciduous shrub can be kept outside or indoor year round

Over Wintering

If Keep outdoors during winter months so that they can experience a dormancy or rest period. During this period, your bonsai should be protected from drying winds and extreme cold conditions.

This can be achieved by utilizing cold frames, window wells, enclosed unheated rooms, shed or garage with windows, or mulched beds. The bonsai should be checked regularly for water when temps are above freezing.

Lighting

Indoor bright light to half day of sun. Outdoors semi-shade to full sun

Watering

Let soil surface dry between watering. When you water make sure you completely wet all the soil in the pot every time you water. Don't pour in a little water every day

Feeding

Spring thru early fall. You can use house plant or nursery fertilizers. Follow the label for rates and application times.

Training

Fast grower pruning regularly and wire as desired

Repotting

Repot and root prune every spring before new growth starts