Urticaceae

Pilea Plant

There are over 600 different varieties of Pilea and the care instructions for all of them are just about the same.

**Light:** All Pilea Plants need bright indirect light. Direct sun burns the leaves of a Pilea Plant and not enough light causes a Pilea Plant to become leggy.

**Water:** The soil of a Pilea Plant should be slightly moist, but not soggy at all times. In the cooler months or when the Pilea Plant is not producing new leaves; allow the top 2-3 inches of soil to dry out before watering.

**Fertilizing:** Feed a Pilea Plant every two weeks when it is actively growing with a basic houseplant fertilizer at 1/2 the recommended strength.

**Tip:** Pilea Plants require very high humidity. If your home is dry, place your Pilea on a tray of pebbles filled with water. Be sure the Pilea Plant is sitting on the pebbles and not in the water.

*Pilea Plants are non-Poisonous Houseplants*