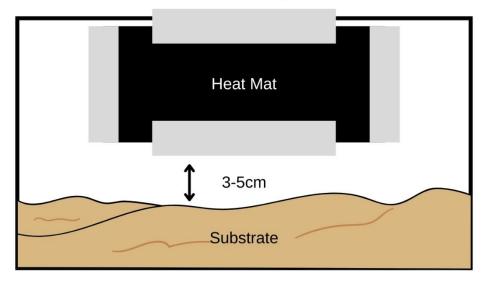# *HEAT MAT INSTRUCTIONS*

- Remove heat cord from packaging, you will notice the cord connected to the heat mat, where the cord and mat meet, there is a small rectangle risen section. One side is flat, ensure this is the side that is flush with your tank.
- Line up your heat mat against the back side of your tank on the **OUTSIDE**, ensuring that it is sitting 3-5cm above the substrate line and place a piece of heat proof insulation tape at the top of the mat.
- Once you're happy with the line up of the mat, tape all 4 sides of the mat down so that the mat is sitting flush against the tank.
- We recommend using heat proof insulation tape to ensure that your mat does not slip or cause a fire hazard.
- Tape an insulation mat over your heat mat to insulate the tank, insulation mats are heating proof and help to push the heat back into the tank, saving up to 30% of your heat!
- Once the heat mat and insulation are secured on to the tank, plug in the power cord into an outlet. There is a small black dial halfway up the cord, this controls the amount of heat emitted through the mat.
- Always turn it up to full to test that the mat is working effectively.
- You can then adjust the dial to your preference depending on the weather.

# SAFETY WARNINGS

- Never submerge your heat mat in water.
- If you notice cracking or breakage, DO NOT use the heat mat. Dispose of immediately
- Never place blankets, towels or non-heat proof items against the heat mat. This is a fire hazard.
- Ensure your heat mat is unplugged from the power socket before placing on the back of your tank.
- Never bend or fold the heat mat, this will damage the heating elements.

- Never place the heat mat under the tank.
- Never place the heat mat inside the tank.
- Never double up heat mats by layering them, always leave a small gap between multiple heat mats, this is a potential fire hazard.
- Do not alter or modify the mat in any way.
- For indoor use only.
- Not to be used by children.

Insulation Tape

Heat Mat

3-5cm

Substrate

Insulation Tape

Insulation Mat taped
over heat mat

3-5cm

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