

An easy to make Brine Shrimp Sieve

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Required: 2 plastic plant pots (**make sure they are the firm, rigid type**) I have used 14cm size leaving 14cm size, synthetic organza or similar (**fine mesh**) and small amount of aquarium silicone.



Cut the bottom off the plant pots, rings approx. 7 cm deep.



Smear a little silicone round the outside cut inside edge of one of the rings and stretch the fabric firmly tightly over and down the side into the silicone, -



Place the ring with the covering the second ring and press together. Allow to dry, then it's ready for use.

To use, place sieve into the top of a container such as a jug and syphon shrimp through the sieve. The sieve can be floated in water to wash the shrimp. With the mesh I use the sieve floated in a fry tank lets through a small amount of small, newly hatched shrimp, ideal for guppy fry. I find the sieve much easier to use than a net and being larger than commercially available brine shrimp sieves, more practical for fish house use.

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