

Herb snail

Our herb snail is surrounded by a cobble stone wall and contains lots of herbs.

Herb snail create place for a lot of different herbs. We split it up in zones, at the top there is less dampness and more sun than in the lower areas.

Zones:

The top areas should be planted with mediterranean herbs, for example thyme, rosemary or lavender because these plateaus are constantly exposed by the sun. The middle areas as an example oregano can be planted. Depends on the orientation its either sunny or semi-shady. At the bottom there is the wettest area and the shadiest place. There we plant plants like chives, parsley and so on. We can use pots and create small ponds which are filled with water at the bottom in order to increase the damp course.

An herb snail should be at a sunny place because lots of herbs like the sun. The orientation also plays an important part. The orientation depends on which herb and plant needs sun.

Fundamentally every herb can be planted on an herb snail. But we should make sure that these plants bloom one or more years. If not plant gaps can be filled by blooming herbs or plants.

We have to be careful about the plants and must make sure that there are enough nutrients in the soil. Of course, we should also cut them back and take care of them like in every garden.