

I'm sorry this is so long, I tried over and over to make this shorter, believe it or not this is much much shorter than the original LOL, like I told you previously, I could go on and on about this product, I LOVE THE GLIDE-ARIUM!!!!!! I was unsure where I was to put this so I'm sending it to you and you can post, if you choose to, where it needs to be



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I LOVE the Glide-Arium!

Tired of it taking what seems to be forever to clean your Sugar Glider cage...well then this product is for you!! It used to take me anywhere from an hour to two hours to clean my metal cages, so terribly time consuming and gruelling, not anymore, 10 to 15 minutes and we are done!!

The Glide-Arium is a permanent cage made of pvc pipe and heavy duty screen. Tip...you will notice the black ink stamp on the pvc, no worries, if you don't want the ink stamp on your poles, simply get out your extra strong nail polish remover (the kind that contains acetone) and your large cotton balls and clean the ink off in a breeze. If you use a rag or paper towel, you will find it will not come off easily, the cotton balls take it right off with no real effort. **Do this before putting the cage together and make sure you wash each pole with soap and water thoroughly after using the nail polish remover to remove any of the residue, this is very important**. Now your poles are all white.

I do not sew so for the bottom of the cage I purchased 7 (one for every day of the week) of these Bios Living Reusable Underpads from Walmart. These go in and on the bottom of the cage and I tuck the edge of the pad under the pvc frame to keep it in place. No the Glide-Arium does not have a bottom grate, I believe you can make one if you really wanted this, my opinion on this is, I never really like this as in the metal cages with bottom grates, well, I felt that this was hard on the gliders' feet when they jumped down to the bottom of the cage, with this they have a soft landing and these pads are made for incontinence so they absorb the urine quickly.

A very big pro for Glide-Arium is, even though I had a glider kitchen, I would always find food that was tossed out of the metal cage and was either on my walls or on the floor, with the Glide-Arium, this no longer happens, the screen keeps the mess contained inside. As for cleaning, I will wipe down the frame with baby wipes, wipe down the screen with a dribble of dawn and a small amount of vinegar mixed with warm water and a rag. Then once every 2 or 3 weeks I remove the screen from the pvc frame and put it in the bath tub with warm water and Dawn dish soap for a full cleaning, rinse and let air dry, sometimes I will use a towel to dry it, super easy and quick.

Where and how do you put a water bottle in the Glide-Arium you might ask. Simple, there are instructions on the Internet on how to make a water bottle bag holder that you can hang on Amazon and in some pet stores you will find water bottle stands that work perfectly.

How do I hang toys, pouches and cage sets? I like to use plastic shower curtain hooks and baby toy ring links placed around the pvc frame and hang things off those, there are also instructions on how to make pole covers that have links on them. As for the corner ledges that come with cage sets, I have myself didn't really like them as I found they were used mainly as pee and poo places, anything else from cage sets can absolutely be placed in the Glide-Arium.

What about chewing through the Glide-Arium? I can't speak for anyone else's gliders but myself, I do have a destructive glider, her name is Baby. She would chew on the metal bars until they were bare, she also loves to chew and scratch through her pouches, along with chewing on toys, there is nothing wrong with her or her teeth, she just enjoys being destructive, so I thought she may chew through the Glide-Arium. I have had mine for just about a year now, she has never attempted to chew or destroy the Glide-Arium (thank goodness)!

What do my gliders think of their new home? If they could talk, they would probably tell me they love it. I stayed up the one night after I put the Glide-Arium together, I wanted to observe their reaction to it. I could see it was very easy for them to move along the screen, it took them very little effort. I also have a very chubby glider, his name is Bear. For chubby gliders it is hard for them to jump and move around unlike a normal weight glider. With him, I found he was moving around very easily, this is great in helping him to lose those extra grams. He has become much more active, I would have to say much happier also. He has lost

some extra grams and is now able to jump from side to side with confidence. I feel this type of cage really helps with confidence in the jumping and gliding actions simply because when they do jump from side to side, they cling easier to the screen than the bars, the screen is less harsh on their feet and hands than the bars are. I think one of the nicest pros to this type of cage is the fact you do not have to purchase a bonding tent. The Glide-Arium door is the full length and height of one side of the enclosure. Because of the size of the two larger enclosures, the Villa and the Chateau, you can climb right in there and zip yourself in with your babies. I feel because this is their permanent home, rather than a second enclosure being a tent, there is less stress on them, I love those 2 in 1 products. The second pro to this product is if you travel and take your babies with you, it's easy to disassemble and set it back up in minutes, on the SpinZone Global site, they even sell a carry bag(sold separately)to carry the enclosure in when disassembled. When disassembled, the enclosure itself, well, it takes up very little room in the vehicle and is very light to carry, I would have to say well under five pounds, this is fantastic as your babies will feel more comfy being in their everyday enclosure even though it is a different room.

Now these Glide-Ariums are NOT mass produced, they are hand made, unless they by chance have some pre made it does take a few weeks to get your order. Upon receiving and inspecting your order you will definitely see why it takes so long. This product is not just slapped together, you will see there would be a fair amount of time and care put into making one of these, be patient, I promise you you won't regret it.

As for cons on this product, I really have not found any. Would I recommend this product...? Without hesitation, 100% YES!!! I stand 100% behind this product, if you choose to order it for your babies, I'm very confident you will too.

Cheers,

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