

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Read the information below. Based on the information given, complete the passage below.



Plant type : parasite

Number of species: 16

Weight : 7 kg

Diameter : 91 cm

Scent :rotting flesh

Description : no roots, stems and leaves;  
blooms as a single red flower;  
one seed for each flower;  
9 months to mature;  
flowers for 5-6 days

The Rafflesia is the largest flower in the world. It is a  
\_\_\_\_\_. It is related to poinsettias and violets. It  
measures \_\_\_\_\_ in diameter. The flower weighs  
\_\_\_\_\_.

There are \_\_\_\_\_ species of Rafflesias. It is found in Malaysia,  
Borneo and Sumatra. It has \_\_\_\_\_  
,stems or leaves.

It blooms as a \_\_\_\_\_. Each flower produces only  
\_\_\_\_\_. The flower smells of  
\_\_\_\_\_.

The Rafflesia takes about \_\_\_\_\_. It only  
flowers for \_\_\_\_\_. After that, the petals turn black and the  
flower \_\_\_\_\_ dies.