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GEKKO'S

Lichtenfelder's gecko

Goniurosaurus lichtenfelderi

Goniurosaurus lichtenfelderi is a robustly built, nocturnal eyelid gecko from wooded slopes in northern Vietnam, with a purple ground colour and pale yellow cross-bands edged in black. It is kept at room temperature, feeds on insects and does not need UVB, but it is shy and needs many hides.

Familie: Eublepharidae Vroegere naam: *Eublepharis lichtenfelderi; Goniurosaurus murphyi*

KERNGEGEVENS

HET DIER

Volwassen grootte	**8-11 cm** kop-romplengte
Levensduur	**10-15 jaar**
Actief	**'s nachts**
Levenswijze	**Rotsbewonend en bodembewonend**
Leefgebied	**Regenwoud en rotsachtig terrein**
Moeilijkheidsgraad	**Gevorderd**

VERZORGING

Min. terrarium	**80 × 50 × 40 cm** L × B × H voor 2 volwassen dieren
Temperatuur overdag	**20-24 °C**
Temperatuur 's nachts	**16-20 °C**
Luchtvochtigheid	**60-80%**
Water	**Waterbak**
UVB	**Niet nodig**
Voeding	**Insecten**
Gehouden	**In paren of één mannetje met meerdere vrouwtjes**

KWEEK

Voortplanting	**Eierleggend**
Legselgrootte	**2 eieren**
Legsels per jaar	**2-4**
Incubatie	**60-70 dagen** bij 22-24 °C

BESCHERMING EN PAPIEREN

CITES	**Bijlage II**
EU-bijlage	**Bijlage B**
IUCN	**Kwetsbaar (VU)**

Verzorging in het kort

HET TERRARIUM
A pair needs an enclosure of at least 80 × 50 × 40 cm (length × width × height), and a group needs more floor area.

TEMPERATUUR
Goniurosaurus lichtenfelderi does well at ordinary room temperature and needs no extra heating. By day 20-24 °C is suitable, and at night the temperature may fall a couple of degrees to about 16-20 °C.

LUCHTVOCHTIGHEID EN WATER
The species needs humid microclimates. Humidity should be 60-80 % during the day. Mist heavily every evening so that the humidity briefly reaches 85-95 %.

VERLICHTING EN UVB
The species is nocturnal and does not bask, so UVB is not necessary. A weak daylight LED over the enclosure helps live plants and gives a natural day rhythm, and in a simple box without plants light can be dispensed with entirely.

VOEDING
The species lives on insects and takes most feeder insects. Offer half-grown crickets, young dubia roaches and at most a few large superworms at a time so that the animals do not become fat.

GEDRAG EN OMGANG
Goniurosaurus lichtenfelderi is shy and darts away quickly if startled. Some animals tolerate short sessions and walk around on an arm, but handling should be kept to a minimum, because it stresses the animal.

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