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LEGUANEN

Serrated Casquehead Iguana

Laemanctus serratus

Laemanctus serratus is an extremely slender, tree-dwelling lizard from the forests of eastern Mexico and Central America. It has long legs, an even longer tail, a small, backward-pointing casque with a serrated rear edge and a saw-toothed crest down its back. It is diurnal and eats insects. Its care is barely described and is based on its habitat and on its relative *Corytophanes cristatus*.

Familie: Corytophanidae Vroegere naam: *Laemanctus alticoronatus*

KERNGEGEVENS

HET DIER

Volwassen grootte	**70 cm** totale lengte incl. staart
Levensduur	**5-8 jaar**
Actief	**Overdag**
Levenswijze	**Boombewonend**
Leefgebied	**Droog bos en regenwoud**
Moeilijkheidsgraad	**Ervaren**

VERZORGING

Min. terrarium	**100 × 50 × 120 cm** L × B × H voor 1 volwassen dier
Temperatuur overdag	**27-30 °C**
Zonneplek	**32-35 °C**
Temperatuur ’s nachts	**21-24 °C**
Luchtvochtigheid	**60-80%**
Water	**Waterbak**
UVB	**Onmisbaar** Fergusonzone 2
Voeding	**Insecten**
Gehouden	**Solitair**

KWEEK

Voortplanting	**Eierleggend**
Legselgrootte	**3-5 eieren**
Incubatie	**60-90 dagen** bij 26-28 °C

BESCHERMING EN PAPIEREN

CITES	**Niet opgenomen**
EU-bijlage	**Niet opgenomen**
IUCN	**Niet bedreigd (LC)**

Verzorging in het kort

HET TERRARIUM	Very little is known about the care of *Laemanctus serratus*.
TEMPERATUUR	The species is diurnal and lives in warm forest. The air should be 27-30 °C by day, and the basking spot, a thick branch under a lamp, should have a surface temperature of 32-35 °C, measured with an infrared thermometer.
LUCHTVOCHTIGHEID EN WATER	Humidity should be 60-70 % by day and rise to 70-80 % at night. The figure is borrowed from *Corytophanes cristatus*.
VERLICHTING EN UVB	*Laemanctus serratus* is diurnal and needs UVB all day. Ferguson zone 2 is an estimate based on its way of life, not a measurement: the species sits in trees and bushes and is not a pronounced basker.
VOEDING	The species is an insectivore. Offer cockroaches (such as discoid and dubia), grasshoppers, crickets, silkworms, hornworms and superworms, and earthworms now and then. The feeder should be no larger than the animal's head.
GEDRAG EN OMGANG	The species is not suitable for handling, and how it reacts to disturbance is not documented.
NATUURLIJK VERSPREIDINGSGEBIED	Mexico, Belize, Guatemala en Honduras.