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GECKOS

Common fan-footed gecko

Ptyodactylus hasselquistii

A slender, yellowish-brown rock gecko from Egypt and the Middle East with fan-shaped toes and retractable claws. It lives on stones and rock faces in dry regions, is a well-known visitor on house walls in Israel and is kept in pairs. There is little reliable information on the care of this particular species, so many figures are borrowed from the genus.

Família: Phyllodactylidae Nome anterior: *Ptyodactylus lobatus*

DADOS PRINCIPAIS

O ANIMAL

Tamanho adulto	**7-10 cm** comprimento focinho-cloaca
Longevidade	**8-12 anos**
Ativo	**Ao crepúsculo e à noite**
Estilo de vida	**Rupícola**
Habitat	**Deserto e terreno rochoso**
Dificuldade	**Intermediário**

CUIDADOS

Terrário mín.	**60 × 40 × 60 cm** C × L × A para 2 adultos
Temperatura, dia	**27-32 °C**
Ponto quente	**32-38 °C**
Temperatura, noite	**18-22 °C**
Umidade	**30-50%**
UVB	**Opcional**
Repouso de inverno	**10-21 °C** 8-12 semanas
Alimentação	**Insetos**
Mantido	**Sozinho ou em casal**

REPRODUÇÃO

Reprodução	**Ovíparo**
Maturidade sexual	**12 meses**
Tamanho da postura	**2 ovos**
Posturas por ano	**5-6**
Incubação	**45-100 dias** a 27-30 °C

PROTEÇÃO E DOCUMENTAÇÃO

CITES	**Não listado**
Anexo da UE	**Não listado**
IUCN	**Menos preocupante (LC)**

Resumo dos cuidados

O TERRÁRIO	There is little reliable information on the care of *Ptyodactylus hasselquistii* specifically. Most of what is given here is based on experience with the genus *Ptyodactylus* as a whole, and the figures are cautious.
TEMPERATURA	The enclosure must have a clear temperature difference. By day the enclosure should be 27-32 °C, and under the heat lamp one spot should reach 32-38 °C. At night the temperature falls to 18-22 °C.
UMIDADE E ÁGUA	*Ptyodactylus hasselquistii* comes from dry regions and thrives at low to moderate humidity, 30-50 %. The figure is an estimate. The enclosure must not be wet, and the substrate must be able to dry out.
ILUMINAÇÃO E UVB	Use a heat lamp or spot over a flat stone, so that the animal can bask. The need for UVB is not documented for the species. A weak UVB tube for desert species can be used when there is shade in the rest of the enclosure.
ALIMENTAÇÃO	*Ptyodactylus hasselquistii* feeds on insects and other small arthropods. Crickets, grasshoppers, mealworms and cockroaches are good feeder insects, and they must be smaller than the distance between the animal's eyes.
COMPORTAMENTO E MANUSEIO	*Ptyodactylus hasselquistii* is a lightning-fast and shy rock dweller and is not suited to handling. Give it peace to settle in after a move. Never grab the tail, because it can be dropped. The species is kept in pairs or singly.
ÁREA DE OCORRÊNCIA NATURAL	Egito, Israel, Jordânia, Síria, Líbano, Iraque, Arábia Saudita e Sudão.