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COBRAS

Green Anaconda

Eunectes murinus

Eunectes murinus is the world's heaviest snake: an olive-green, extremely powerful constrictor from the rivers and flooded plains of South America that spends most of its life in water. Females are typically 4-5 m and weigh 30-80 kg, while males are far smaller. The species requires a purpose-built room with a large, deep pool, a keeper with great experience and at least two people for all handling.

Família: Boidae Nome anterior: *Boa murina; Eunectes gigas; Eunectes barbouri*

DADOS PRINCIPAIS

O ANIMAL

Tamanho adulto	**300-500 cm** comprimento total com a cauda
Longevidade	**20-30 anos**
Ativo	**Ao crepúsculo e à noite**
Estilo de vida	**Semiaquático**
Habitat	**Savana, floresta tropical e área úmida**
Dificuldade	**Especialista**

CUIDADOS

Terrário mín.	**500 × 250 × 120 cm** C × L × A para 1 adulto
Temperatura, dia	**26-30 °C**
Ponto quente	**31-34 °C**
Temperatura, noite	**24-26 °C**
Umidade	**70-90%**
Água	**Aquaterrário** profundidade 50-70 cm
Temperatura da água	**26-28 °C**
UVB	**Opcional**
Alimentação	**Vertebrados**
Mantido	**Sozinho**

REPRODUÇÃO

Reprodução	**Vivíparo**
Maturidade sexual	**36-48 meses**
Tamanho da ninhada	**20-40 filhotes**
Gestação	**180-210 dias**

PROTEÇÃO E DOCUMENTAÇÃO

CITES	**Apêndice II**
Anexo da UE	**Anexo B**
IUCN	**Menos preocupante (LC)**

Resumo dos cuidados

O TERRÁRIO	Few documented set-ups exist for *Eunectes murinus*, and the figures here are based on its size and way of life: the species is a heavy, semi-aquatic snake, and care follows in broad terms that of the large pythons, for example *Malayopython reticulatus*.
TEMPERATURA	There is no species-specific temperature plan for *Eunectes murinus*. The figures correspond to the hot, humid lowland climate of the range and to what is used for other large, tropical constrictors.
UMIDADE E ÁGUA	Humidity should be 70-90 %, corresponding to the climate of the rainforest and wetlands.
ÁGUA E QUALIDADE DA ÁGUA	The pool must take up at least half the floor area and be 50-70 cm deep, so that the snake can lie fully submerged and swim. The water should be 26-28 °C.
ILUMINAÇÃO E UVB	The species is most active at dusk and at night, and a need for UVB has not been documented.
ALIMENTAÇÃO	*E. murinus* eats whole prey animals, mammals and birds.
COMPORTAMENTO E MANUSEIO	*E. murinus* is a solitary snake that only seeks out others during the breeding season. It is therefore always kept singly. Housing together causes stress, and the female eats males.
ÁREA DE OCORRÊNCIA NATURAL	Venezuela, Colômbia, Equador, Peru, Bolívia, Brasil, Guiana, Suriname, Guiana Francesa, Paraguai e Trinidad e Tobago.