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VARANOS

Crocodile Monitor

Varanus salvadorii

Varanus salvadorii is an arboreal monitor of up to about 250 cm in length from the rainforests of New Guinea, with a tail at least twice as long as the head and body, and a space requirement the size of a room.

Família: Varanidae

DADOS PRINCIPAIS

O ANIMAL

Tamanho adulto	**150-250 cm** comprimento total com a cauda
Peso	**2.500-6.000 g**
Longevidade	**15-25 anos**
Ativo	**De dia**
Estilo de vida	**Arborícola**
Habitat	**Floresta tropical**
Dificuldade	**Especialista**

CUIDADOS

Terrário mín.	**300 × 150 × 200 cm** C × L × A para 1 adulto
Temperatura, dia	**28-32 °C**
Ponto quente	**35-40 °C**
Temperatura, noite	**24-26 °C**
Umidade	**70-90%**
Água	**Área aquática** profundidade 30-50 cm
UVB	**Essencial** Zona de Ferguson 3
Alimentação	**Insetos e vertebrados**
Mantido	**Sozinho ou em casal**

REPRODUÇÃO

Reprodução	**Ovíparo**
Maturidade sexual	**24-60 meses**
Tamanho da postura	**4-12 ovos**
Posturas por ano	**1-2**
Incubação	**155-251 dias** a 28-30,5 °C

PROTEÇÃO E DOCUMENTAÇÃO

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

Resumo dos cuidados

O TERRÁRIO	Size is the first requirement that decides whether the species can be kept responsibly.
TEMPERATURA	*Varanus salvadorii* is tropical and diurnal and needs a large temperature gradient from about 26 °C at the cool end to basking spots of 35-40 °C. The background temperature is kept at 28-32 °C and lowered slightly in winter.
UMIDADE E ÁGUA	The species requires high humidity, 70-90 % at all times, and at the same time good ventilation so that bacteria and fungus do not take hold.
ILUMINAÇÃO E UVB	The species is diurnal and basks in the upper layers of the forest. Unfiltered sunlight is best; indoors the roof should let UV through, and it must always be supplemented with powerful lamps that provide both UVB and heat.
ALIMENTAÇÃO	*Varanus salvadorii* is a predator, and in the wild birds appear to be the staple food, supplemented with small mammals, eggs, insects and lizards.
COMPORTAMENTO E MANUSEIO	*Varanus salvadorii* is typically nervous and shy and avoids contact with people, and some animals react aggressively. Each animal has its own character.
ÁREA DE OCORRÊNCIA NATURAL	Indonésia e Papua-Nova Guiné.

O guia completo com mapa e atualizações: herpy.org/en/monitor-lizards/varanus-salvadorii