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Animal Fact Sheet

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Amazonian Royal Flycatcher

Onychorhynchus coronatus

The Amazonian Royal Flycatcher is a small, insectivorous bird best known for its spectacular fan-shaped crest, which is vividly colored and usually displayed during courtship or when threatened. This…

Quick facts

Classification: Bird
Family: Tityridae
Habitat: Lowland tropical rainforest, especially near streams and rivers
Diet: Insectivore
Conservation status: Least Concern
Lifespan: 5-8 years
Weight: 14-19 grams
Scientific name: Onychorhynchus coronatus

Did you know?

- The Amazonian Royal Flycatcher's elaborate crest is so rarely seen that it was once thought to be a myth by early explorers.
- When displaying, the flycatcher raises its remarkable crest, which fans out like a crown and is vividly colored. Their nests can be over a meter long…

What I learned

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