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Banded Krait

Bungarus fasciatus

The Banded Krait is a highly venomous elapid snake native to South and Southeast Asia. It is easily recognized by its distinctive black and yellow crossbands, which serve as a warning to potential pr...

Quick facts

Classification: Reptile

Family: Elapidae

Habitat: Wetlands, forests, agricultural fields near water

Diet: Carnivore

Conservation status: Least Concern

Lifespan: 10-15 years

Weight: 0.8-1.5 kg

Scientific name: Bungarus fasciatus

Did you know?

- Despite its deadly venom, the banded krait is so docile that it often does not bite even when handled.
- The banded krait's striking color pattern is an example of aposematism, warning predators of its toxicity. It prefers to feed on other snakes, includ...

What I learned
