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Animal Fact Sheet

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Blue acara

Andinoacara pulcher

The Blue acara is a vibrant freshwater cichlid native to South America, known for its striking blue-green coloration and iridescent scales. This medium-sized fish is popular in the aquarium trade due…

Quick facts

Classification: Fish
Family: Cichlidae
Habitat: Freshwater rivers and streams
Diet: Omnivore
Conservation status: Least Concern
Lifespan: 7-10 years
Weight: 120-180 grams
Scientific name: Andinoacara pulcher

Did you know?

- Despite their dazzling appearance, Blue acaras are among the easiest South American cichlids to care for, making them favorites among beginner and ex…
- Blue acaras can change their coloration slightly depending on their mood and environment. They are known for their intelligence and can recognize the…

What I learned

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