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Borneo Angle-headed Lizard

Gonocephalus borneensis

The Borneo Angle-headed Lizard is a striking arboreal reptile endemic to the rainforests of Borneo. Characterized by its angular head, elongated limbs, and crest along the neck, this lizard is well c…

Quick facts

Classification: Reptile
Family: Agamidae
Habitat: Tropical rainforest
Diet: Insectivore
Conservation status: Least Concern
Lifespan: 5-8 years
Weight: 80-120 grams
Scientific name: Gonocephalus borneensis

Did you know?

- Unlike most lizards, the Borneo Angle-headed Lizard does not drop its tail (autotomy) as a primary defense mechanism.
- The Borneo Angle-headed Lizard can remain almost motionless for long periods, making it difficult to spot in the wild. Males have a prominent nuchal …

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