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Animal Fact Sheet

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Brahminy Blind Snake

Indotyphlops braminus

The Brahminy Blind Snake is a tiny, slender, non-venomous snake often mistaken for an earthworm due to its shiny, smooth, dark gray to purple-brown body. Native to Africa and Asia, this species has b…

Quick facts

Classification: Reptile
Family: Typhlopidae
Habitat: Loose, moist soils in gardens, forests, and urban areas
Diet: Carnivore
Conservation status: Least Concern
Lifespan: 4-10 years
Weight: 0.5-2 grams
Scientific name: Indotyphlops braminus

Did you know?

- Every single Brahminy Blind Snake found anywhere in the world is female—no males of this species have ever been discovered.
- The Brahminy Blind Snake is sometimes called the 'flowerpot snake' due to its frequent accidental spread in soil of potted plants. This species is co…

What I learned

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