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Animal Fact Sheet

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Eastern Quoll

Dasyurus viverrinus

The Eastern Quoll is a small to medium-sized carnivorous marsupial native to Australia, particularly Tasmania. It has a pointed snout, sharp teeth, and a bushy tail, with a coat that ranges from blac…

Quick facts

Classification: Mammal
Family: Dasyuridae
Habitat: Temperate forests, grasslands, and agricultural land
Diet: Carnivore
Conservation status: Endangered
Lifespan: 2-5 years
Weight: 0.7-1.3 kg
Scientific name: Dasyurus viverrinus

Did you know?

- The Eastern Quoll was once common on mainland Australia but became extinct there by the early 1960s; today, wild populations are found only in Tasman…
- Eastern Quolls are known for their agility and keen sense of smell, which helps them hunt effectively at night. They can climb trees and sometimes sc…

What I learned

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