

Animal Fact Sheet

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Emei Moustache Toad

Leptobrachium boringii

The Emei Moustache Toad is a distinctive species of amphibian native to the montane regions of central China, particularly around Mount Emei. Males are notable for their striking 'moustache'—a row of...

Quick facts

Classification: Amphibian

Family: Megophryidae

Habitat: Mountain streams and adjacent moist forests

Diet: Carnivore

Conservation status: Vulnerable

Lifespan: 6-10 years

Weight: 20-40 grams

Scientific name: *Leptobrachium boringii*

Did you know?

- Unlike most toads, the males of this species physically wrestle each other using their spiny 'moustache' in fierce territorial battles.
- Male Emei Moustache Toads develop sharp, black 'moustache' spines during the breeding season to fight for territory and mates. They are exceptional a...

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