

# Animal Fact Sheet

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## Fowler's Toad

*Anaxyrus fowleri*

Fowler's Toad is a medium-sized amphibian native to eastern North America, recognized for its rough, warty skin and cryptic coloring that ranges from gray to brown with dark blotches. This toad is of...

### Quick facts

**Classification:** Amphibian

**Family:** Bufonidae

**Habitat:** Sandy soils near freshwater bodies such as ponds, streams, and lakeshores

**Diet:** Insectivore

**Conservation status:** Least Concern

**Lifespan:** 4-5 years

**Weight:** 10-20 grams

**Scientific name:** *Anaxyrus fowleri*

### Did you know?

- Fowler's Toads can hybridize with the closely related American Toad in areas where their ranges overlap, producing fertile offspring.
- Fowler's Toad can secrete a mild toxin from its skin as a defense against predators. Its tadpoles often develop rapidly to avoid drying pools, and ad...

### What I learned

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