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## Gaboon Viper

*Bitis gabonica*

The Gaboon Viper is one of Africa's largest and most venomous snakes, renowned for its striking geometric patterns and impressive size. It possesses the longest fangs of any venomous snake, reaching ...

### Quick facts

**Classification:** Reptile

**Family:** Viperidae

**Habitat:** Rainforest

**Diet:** Carnivore

**Conservation status:** Least Concern

**Lifespan:** 15-20 years

**Weight:** 7-10 kg

**Scientific name:** *Bitis gabonica*

### Did you know?

- Despite being one of the most venomous snakes in Africa, the Gaboon Viper is responsible for surprisingly few bites on humans due to its reclusive an...
- The Gaboon Viper can deliver the largest quantity of venom in a single bite of any snake. Its unique horn-like scales on the snout and spectacular co...

### What I learned

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