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Animal Fact Sheet

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Granular Poison Frog

Oophaga granulifera

The Granular Poison Frog is a small, brightly colored amphibian native to the humid rainforests of Costa Rica and Panama. Characterized by its vibrant red to orange body and distinctive granular skin…

Quick facts

Classification: Amphibian
Family: Dendrobatidae
Habitat: Lowland and premontane humid rainforests, particularly in areas with abundant leaf litter and bromeliads
Diet: Carnivore
Conservation status: Near Threatened
Lifespan: 4-8 years
Weight: 1-2 grams
Scientific name: Oophaga granulifera

Did you know?

- Unlike many other poison frogs, the toxicity of the Granular Poison Frog depends on its diet in the wild—frogs raised in captivity without specific i…
- Granular Poison Frogs exhibit parental care uncommon among amphibians, with males transporting tadpoles on their backs. Their brilliant coloration is…

What I learned

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