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Animal Fact Sheet

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Greater Mouse-deer

Tragulus napu

The Greater Mouse-deer, also known as the Napu, is a small, shy ungulate native to the dense lowland forests of Southeast Asia. Despite its name, it is neither a true deer nor a mouse, but a member o…

Quick facts

Classification: Mammal
Family: Tragulidae
Habitat: Tropical lowland forests, mangroves, and swampy areas
Diet: Herbivore
Conservation status: Least Concern
Lifespan: 10-12 years
Weight: 5-8 kg
Scientific name: Tragulus napu

Did you know?

- The Greater Mouse-deer can swim well and often takes to the water to escape predators.
- Greater Mouse-deer are among the smallest hoofed mammals in the world. Unlike true deer, they lack antlers and instead have elongated upper canines. …

What I learned

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