

Animal Fact Sheet

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Guianan Cock-of-the-rock

Rupicola rupicola

The Guianan Cock-of-the-rock is a striking passerine bird renowned for its vivid orange plumage and dramatic fan-shaped crest, particularly in males. Native to the humid forests and rocky outcrops of...

Quick facts

Classification: Bird**Family:** Cotingidae**Habitat:** Tropical rainforest and rocky outcrops**Diet:** Frugivore**Conservation status:** Least Concern**Lifespan:** 10-15 years**Weight:** 190-220 grams**Scientific name:** *Rupicola rupicola*

Did you know?

- Despite their eye-catching appearance, female Guianan Cock-of-the-rock are masters of camouflage, blending in perfectly with their forest environment...
- Male Guianan Cock-of-the-rock gather in groups called leks to perform elaborate mating displays. Their nests are often built against rocky cliffs and...

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