

Animal Fact Sheet

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Klipspringer

Oreotragus oreotragus

The klipspringer is a small, agile antelope uniquely adapted to rocky terrain across eastern and southern Africa. Standing about 50–60 cm at the shoulder, it is distinguished by its stocky build, sho...

Quick facts

Classification: Mammal

Family: Bovidae

Habitat: Rocky hills and mountainous outcrops

Diet: Herbivore

Conservation status: Least Concern

Lifespan: 10-15 years

Weight: 8-18 kg

Scientific name: *Oreotragus oreotragus*

Did you know?

- Klipspringers are one of the very few antelope species that mate for life, typically living in monogamous pairs.
- Klipspringers can leap up to 2 meters high and land precisely on the tips of their hooves, which are uniquely cylindrical. Their dense, brittle fur a...

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