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Animal Fact Sheet

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Leopard Gecko

Eublepharis macularius

The Leopard Gecko is a small, nocturnal lizard native to the arid and semi-arid regions of South Asia. Recognized for its distinctive spotted pattern resembling that of a leopard, this gecko has a ro…

Quick facts

Classification: Reptile
Family: Eublepharidae
Habitat: Arid and semi-arid deserts, rocky grasslands
Diet: Carnivore
Conservation status: Least Concern
Lifespan: 6-10 years (wild), 10-20 years (captivity)
Weight: 45-65 grams
Scientific name: Eublepharis macularius

Did you know?

- Leopard Geckos have movable eyelids, a rare feature among geckos that allows them to blink and close their eyes while sleeping.
- Leopard Geckos can shed their tails as a defense mechanism and regrow them over time. They lack sticky toe pads, so they stay on the ground. Their vo…

What I learned

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