

# Animal Fact Sheet

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## Lesser Antillean Iguana

*Iguana delicatissima*

The Lesser Antillean Iguana is a large, herbivorous lizard native to the Caribbean islands of the Lesser Antilles. It is characterized by its robust body, uniform gray-green coloration, and a lack of...

### Quick facts

**Classification:** Reptile

**Family:** Iguanidae

**Habitat:** Subtropical forests and coastal woodlands

**Diet:** Herbivore

**Conservation status:** Critically Endangered

**Lifespan:** 10-15 years

**Weight:** 1.0-3.5 kg

**Scientific name:** *Iguana delicatissima*

### Did you know?

- Hybridization with invasive Green Iguanas is one of the greatest threats to the survival of the Lesser Antillean Iguana, leading to genetic dilution.
- Lesser Antillean Iguanas are strictly diurnal, basking in the sun during the day and sleeping in trees at night. Unlike their Green Iguana relatives,...

### What I learned

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