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Animal Fact Sheet

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Madagascar Ground Boa

Acrantophis madagascariensis

The Madagascar Ground Boa is a large, non-venomous snake endemic to Madagascar. Known for its robust body and distinctive patterns, this boa is primarily terrestrial but can occasionally be found in …

Quick facts

Classification: Reptile
Family: Boidae
Habitat: Dry forests and scrublands
Diet: Carnivore
Conservation status: Least Concern
Lifespan: 15-20 years
Weight: 5-10 kg
Scientific name: Acrantophis madagascariensis

Did you know?

- Despite its intimidating size, the Madagascar Ground Boa is completely non-venomous and poses little danger to humans.
- The Madagascar Ground Boa uses constriction to subdue its prey, which includes rodents, birds, and occasionally lizards. Unlike many other boas, it i…

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