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Red-headed Agama

Agama agama

The Red-headed Agama is a striking lizard commonly found across sub-Saharan Africa, known for its vivid coloration and dynamic social behavior. Males are especially noticeable due to their bright ora…

Quick facts

Classification: Reptile
Family: Agamidae
Habitat: Savanna and urban areas
Diet: Insectivore
Conservation status: Least Concern
Lifespan: 5-10 years
Weight: 80-120 grams
Scientific name: Agama agama

Did you know?

- Red-headed Agamas are so adaptable that they have established populations far outside their native range, including in Florida, USA.
- Male Red-headed Agamas dramatically change color during breeding season, becoming almost fluorescent in appearance. They are skilled climbers, often …

What I learned

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