

Animal Fact Sheet

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Sunda Stink Badger

Mydaus javanensis

The Sunda Stink Badger, also known as the Javan stink badger, is a small, nocturnal mammal native to Southeast Asia, particularly the islands of Java, Sumatra, Borneo, and nearby smaller islands. It ...

Quick facts

Classification: Mammal

Family: Mephitidae

Habitat: Montane and lowland forests

Diet: Omnivore

Conservation status: Least Concern

Lifespan: 7-10 years

Weight: 1.5-3.6 kg

Scientific name: *Mydaus javanensis*

Did you know?

- Despite being called a 'badger,' the Sunda Stink Badger is not a true badger and belongs to a separate family more closely related to skunks.
- The Sunda Stink Badger can squirt its foul-smelling spray up to a meter away when threatened. Unlike true badgers, it is more closely related to skun...

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