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Yellow-billed Hornbill

Tockus leucomelas

The Yellow-billed Hornbill is a striking medium-sized bird native to the dry savannas and woodlands of southern Africa. Recognizable by its large, curved yellow bill and contrasting black and white p...

Quick facts

Classification: Bird

Family: Bucerotidae

Habitat: Savanna and dry woodland

Diet: Omnivore

Conservation status: Least Concern

Lifespan: 10-15 years

Weight: 130-242 grams

Scientific name: *Tockus leucomelas*

Did you know?

- Yellow-billed Hornbills have a symbiotic relationship with dwarf mongooses, often foraging together and warning each other of danger.
- Yellow-billed Hornbills are sometimes called 'flying bananas' due to their distinctive yellow beaks. During nesting, the female is sealed inside the ...

What I learned
