

Black Rock Agama

Laudakia melanura

Cites status

Not protected

Habitat

Pakistan (from Norht-West Punjab to Sindh and Balutschistan to the proximity of the iranian border)

rocky biotopes, diurnal

Size

approx. 40 cm

Life Expectancy

over 10 years

Reproduction

oviparous

Temperature

air temperature between 26 and 30°C, local heat spots up to 45°C. Night setback to 20-23°C.

Humidity

50-60%

Lighting

Daylight fluorescent tubes, if necessary UV tubes (see Fluorescent Lighting). For sufficient UV radiation we recommend UV Lamps or UV Compact Lamps. Incandescent Lighting for the creation of local heat spots. Species needs a strong illumination. If necessary the use of HQI lamps or T5 fluorescent tubes is recommended.

Substrate

loamy soil with rock structures or Sand or grit. Also Reptile Cannabis Bedding.

Cage Furniture

hideouts, stones, roots, climbing facilities, a flat water bowl. Cage substrate should always be slightly wet in one spot.

food

Green fodder, insects (e.g. crickets, house crickets, grasshoppers, cockroaches, super mealworms, wax moths, etc.) also products from the Zoo Med Can o' Series. Regular additions of minerals and vitamins are necessary.

Comments

They can be tended well in smaller groups (e.g. one male and 2-4 females).

