

Chameleon Anglehead Lizard

Gonocephalus chamaeleontinus

Cites status

not protected

Habitat

Malaysia, Sumatra and neighbouring islands

rain forest, diurnal

Size

approx. 45 cm

Life Expectancy

over 10 years

Reproduction

several clutches with 7 eggs per years. Incubation period at 28°C about 70-80 days.

Temperature

temperature between 26-28°C, local heat spots up to 30°C. Night setback to 20-22°C. A good ventilation is required.

Humidity

80-95%

Lighting

Daylight fluorescent tubes, if necessary UV tubes (see Fluorescent Lighting). For sufficient UV radiation we recommend UV Lamps or the Arcadia D3 Compact. Incandescent Lighting for the creation of local heat spots.

Substrate

loose, absorptive substrate (see cage substrate).

Cage Furniture

climbing facilities, various hiding places and a large water tank with a waterfall or similar make up the basic configuration of the terrarium (possibly even an aquaterrarium). Planting is required (Ficus benjamina, F. pumila Scindapsus etc.).

food

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.

