

## Four Horn Chameleon

Chamaeleo quadricornis

### Cites status

Cites Appendix II, obligation to keep records and to register!

### Habitat

Cameroon and Nigeria

montane cloud forests in heights of 1000-2200m

### Size

up to approx. 40cm, females up to 30cm

### Life Expectancy

over 7 years

### Reproduction

lays up to 14 eggs. Incubation period between 130-160 days at 18-25°C. 25°C may not be exceeded.

### Temperature

at day ca. 20-25°C, local heat spots up to 30°C. Night setback to at least 15°C! Lower temperatures would be even better.

### Humidity

80-100%

### 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, blinds for back and rear panels, planting is possible (Ficus benjamina, Scindapsus sp., Epipremnum sp., Hoya sp., etc.). Many hiding places. Good air circulation is required! A dripper is recommended (see Water Bowls)

### Terrarium Size

Minimum requirement for one animal is a ratio of 4x2.5x4 (LxVxH) of snout-vent-length. A size of at least 100x60x120cm is recommended.

### food

Insects (e.g. crickets, smaller 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

Has two to six real horns



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