



LEOPARD GECKO care sheet



PET DEPOT

CAGING NEEDED

10-20 gallon terrarium with secure lid. Multiple hiding areas. Climbing branches.

BEDDING & WATER NEEDS

Alfalfa based pellets (rabbit pellets), calcium sand or reptile carpet. Chlorine-free water should be provided in a shallow bowl that cannot be tipped over.

LIGHTING & UVB

Provide 10-12 hours of light daily. Because geckos are nocturnal they do not require UVB lighting.

TEMPERATURES & HUMIDITY

Temperature should range from 78F(low) to 88F(high) and a basking area of 95F. An incandescent basking light (50 watt per 10 gallon, 75 watt per 20 gallon) should be used during daylight hours only. A ceramic heater or black heat bulb should be used at all times as primary heat. 50% Humidity to help proper shedding.

DIET

Crickets, meal worms, wax worms. Dust food with calcium powder daily and a vitamin supplement once or twice a week. Feed adults every other day and juveniles every day. Pinkies can be feed to add weight to your leopard gecko.

MISC. INFORMATION

Males should be housed separately.

AVERAGE SIZE

6 to 9 inches

LIFE SPAN

20+ years.

SHOPPING LIST FOR NEEDED SUPPLIES

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Bedding | <input type="checkbox"/> Terrarium with Secure Lid |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hiding Box | <input type="checkbox"/> Calcium & Mineral Supplements |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Climbing Branches | <input type="checkbox"/> Incandescent Light or Ceramic Heater |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Food Supplements | <input type="checkbox"/> Fluorescent Light |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Water Dish | <input type="checkbox"/> Thermometer |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Food Dish | <input type="checkbox"/> Humidity Gauge |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Under Tank Heater | <input type="checkbox"/> Book about Geckos |