



Tiger Leg Tree Frog

Phyllomedusa tomopterna

Care Sheet

Average Size

2 - 3 inches long

Average Lifespan

5 - 7 years

Diet

Tiger Leg Tree Frogs are carnivores. They can be fed crickets, mealworms, wax worms, small earth worms, fruit flies, and small roaches.

Feeding

Tiger Leg Tree Frogs should be fed 2-3 times a week. Dust food with calcium powder every feeding, & a multivitamin once a week.

Housing

Habitat - Tiger Leg Tree Frogs are native to the Amazon Rainforest. Tiger Leg Tree Frogs can easily be housed together as both babies and adults. Make sure that multiple hiding spots exist in the tank to reduce stress on the frog.

Size - Tiger Leg Tree Frogs can be kept in a 10-gallon tank for the entirety of their lives.

Substrate - Due to humidity requirements an absorbent substrate is desired. Peat moss, coconut fiber, reptile bark or sphagnum moss are suitable.

Temperature - Tiger Leg Tree Frogs need an ambient temperature of 78° to 85° F.

Humidity - Tiger Leg Tree Frog humidity should remain high (60-90%) due to their native tropical climates. This can be maintained using a fogger, hand mister, or misting system.

Watering - A large water bowl with clean water should be provided. Always use de-chlorinated or bottled spring water.

Lighting - Since this is a diurnal species, it requires two light bulbs. One is the heat lamp which also emits UVA. The second is a UVB lamp. The UVB lamp will specifically say UVB on the box. If the box doesn't say UVB, it's not UVB.

Plant and Fish bulbs are not UVB bulbs.



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