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Simple

Safe

TRIOCEROS HOEHNELII

PROFILE

HIGH-CASQUED CHAMELEON

Origin	Mountains of equatorial Africa (C & W Kenya, E Uganda) Climate reference locality: Leikipia, Kenya; Mt. Elgon, Uganda
Average total length	Males 7.6in (20cm), Females up to 7.3in (19cm)
Longevity in captivity	Up to 9 years, Average 5–6 years
Longevity in the wild	2–3 years
Temperature at daytime	65–77°F (18–25°C)
Temperature at basking spot	Up to 82°F (28°C)
Temperature at night	32–60°F (0–15°C; dependent from altitude) max. Ideally under 60°F (15°C)
Humidity at daytime	Below 50% (to below 30% in the dry season)
Humidity at night	100%, Fog
Food	Insects and arthropods only, No vegetables, No fruits
Special notes	Can die from basking too long (more than 30min) and at high temperatures Nighttime temperature deep drop and fogging inevitable Usually high altitude species, temporarily exposed to high UVI while basking Simulation of wind necessary Pollen builds a shield against bacterial infections Tiny flying feeders preferred

