

SERVAL

FUN FACT!

With their large ears and slender build, servals are sometimes likened to living radar systems on the prowl, capable of detecting the slightest rustle in the grass.

FACT SHEET

Scientific Name
LEPTAILURUS SERVAL

Region

ORIGINATED FROM AFRICA

Servals thrive in the continent's savannas and wetland regions. These habitats offer ample water sources and tall grasses, perfect for their stealthy hunting.

Diet

CARNIVORE (MEAT)

Servals are exceptional hunters, boasting a success rate that rivals any feline, thanks to their long legs and keen hearing.

Life Span

IN THE WILD

10-12 years

IN THE ZOO

Up to 20 years

Size

WEIGHT

20-40 pounds

HEIGHT

21-26 inches at the shoulder



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ON MAP

CONSERVATION STATUS

LEAST CONCERN (LC)



The IUCN, International Union for Conservation of Nature maintains the Red List, a global database assessing the conservation status of species. It's a vital tool for tracking endangered species and guiding conservation efforts.

