

Atlantis Pet Store LLC

Leopard Gecko Care Sheet

The “Leopard Gecko” is a ground-dwelling lizard native to the rocky dry grassland and desert regions of Afghanistan, Iran, Pakistan, India, and Nepal. These geckos are one of the most common geckos sold in the US today, and make excellent pets for first time reptile owners. Atlantis Pet Store LLC, has gotten all of our Leopard Geckos from a trusted breeder for over 10 years!

Housing:

“Leos” typically need 20 gallons per gecko, and at least 3 hides per gecko. *If you are planning to acquire more than one leopard gecko, please keep this in mind.* Always check to make sure you aren’t housing two males together as they will fight. Two females should be okay to be housed together as long as you have a large enough space and the appropriate amount of hides. Please note, Atlantis Pet Store LLC cannot guarantee the compatibility of any animal.

Temperature:

Ideal temperatures for Leopard Geckos range from 75-80°F on the cool side and 80-85°F on the warm side. Provide a 90-95°F basking area on the warm side.

Substrate:

Sand is never advised, unless you plan to put a digging box in their enclosure. Sometimes the females like to dig when they’re about to lay eggs. Leopard geckos should have a reptile mat, tile, or paper towels. Why? When leopard geckos go to eat their bugs, sometimes they get a mouth full of sand, and over time this could lead to impaction. Impaction can be life threatening.

Diet:

Mostly insectivorous, meaning they feed on prey items such as crickets, mealworms, superworms, wax worms, hornworms, flies, roaches, etc.. They can also eat an occasional pinkie mouse, as a treat only!