

Zooquaria

Guidelines for Contributors

Births & Hatchings

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All EAZA member institutions are invited to inform us of recent births and/or hatchings in their institutions. If space permits, this information will be included in an up-coming issue of Zooquaria (formerly known as EAZA NEWS).

The questions below may assist you in submitting your report – of course you need only answer the relevant questions.

- Date (or month) of birth/hatching
- How many young (male/female) were born/hatched?
- How many of these young were parent-reared?
- How many times did you breed this species in your zoo?
- In which year did the breeding of this species start at your zoo?
- How many offspring were born at your zoo totally?
- How many of these offspring survived totally?
- Were the parents of the offspring also born at your zoo?
- Age of parents
- Where do the parents come from?
- When did the parents arrive at your zoo?
- Is this the first birth for the mother?
- What was the weight of the young at birth?
- Is the birth/hatching a significant contribution to the EEP population or the species in concern?

Additional note in case of bird and reptile species:

- Artificial/ natural incubation?
- In case of artificial incubation: How many days, what temperature/humidity?

We would appreciate receiving photographs to accompany the report. Photographs should be in jpeg format and at a resolution of at least 300 dpi. Please, indicate clearly the photographer and subject of the photographs.

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