

## ***Phyllomedusa hypocondrialis***

Tiger Leg Leaf Frog

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*Distribution:* Surinam

*Habitat:* Native to hot savannah and dry forest type habitats.

*Size:* 2" - 2.5"

*Trade availability:* Somewhat common



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### **Captive Care**

*Space:* A 10 gallon or 12x12x18 Exo Terra is suitable for 2-3 adults.

*Substrate:* Peat sphagnum (at least ¼" depth) with an inch of pea gravel (or similar) underneath for drainage.

*Plants:* Provide several climbing areas on branches, logs, and artificial plants. Provide dark hiding places.

*Water:* Mist the enclosure every few days.

*Temperature:* Day temperatures between 78-84°F  
Night temperatures around 70-74°F  
Can use a 25 watt heat lamp in well ventilated enclosures.

*Humidity:* 60% max covered, this species requires low to moderate levels. Glass, plexiglass, or Saran Wrap on a screen lid works well.

*Lighting:* 2% UVB for 12-14 hours a day is required for frogs 2 months and older, no more than 3% UVB. UVB is essential for the frog's growth! It will also help eliminate excess bacteria growth in the tank.

*Food:* Juveniles: ⅛" crickets  
Adults: ¼" crickets and similarly sized roaches (do not feed wax worms).

Dust all food with a 3:1 ratio of Rep-Cal Herptivite to Rep-Cal Calcium with Vitamin D3.

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*Thank you for your purchase! Feel free to contact us if you have any questions about your new pet!*

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