

Jaguar

Habitat: rainforests, swamps, forested waterways of Mexico, Central and South America, and southwestern USA

Size: males 4-6 feet long, up to 120 pounds; females 3-5 feet long, up to 80 pounds

Lifespan: 10-20 years

Eats: deer, tapirs (pig-like mammals), wild pig, fish, birds, turtles, rodents, and alligators



Jaguars are endangered due to loss of habitat and poaching.

They can be orange-gold with black spots or all black.

They have only one litter every other year. Cubs are born blind.

They are the only large cat that can't roar.

