



Common Name

Indian Eagle Owl

MALE

Scientific Name
Bubo bengalensis

Hatch Date
April 2004

“Rocky”

“She keeps me in line, sometimes”

Conservation Status

STABLE

DESCRIPTION & IDENTIFICATION

The Indian Eagle Owl is of medium size, it has prominent “ear” tufts and orange/yellow to orange/red eyes. Upper parts are tawny brown, the face has a distinctive black facial disc. Under-parts are fulvous with fine streaks and faint cross bars, prominent white chin and throat.

HABITAT & LOCATION

Prefer rocky hills with bushes, earth banks, wooded country with ravines, semi-deserts with rocks and bushes. Indian Eagle Owls are found in the West Himalayas, Pakistan, India, Kashmir, Nepal, Assam and Burma.

NATURAL DIET

Rats and mice, birds up to the size of peafowl, reptiles, frogs, crabs and large insects.

WEIGHTS & DIMENSIONS

Weight : Adult Male – 2.3 lb (1,100 g).

Wingspan : 37”, (950 cm).

Height : 19” (50 cm) – 22” (56 cm)

