






CHOOSING THE CORRECT LAMP

ZOO MED'S REPTILE LIGHTING SELECTION GUIDE

Reptile health is dependent on an interconnected cycle of a varied diet, proper heat regimes and supplementation of calcium and vitamins. Most reptiles require exposure to UVB to produce vitamin D₃. Vitamin D₃ is essential for the uptake of calcium from their diet. The sun provides UVB in nature, however, in your home you will need to provide UVB with specialty lighting designed for reptiles. There are many lamps available for reptiles in your local pet store. Some lamps produce UVB, some produce UVA, and others produce heat. Some lamps even produce UVB, UVA and Heat. Not all lamps are created equal, so go with the company you can trust: ZOO MED!

RECOMMENDED DISTANCE FROM LAMP TO ANIMAL	 Mini Compact Fluorescent Lamp	 Compact Fluorescent Lamp	 T8 Linear Fluorescent Lamp	 T5 High Output Fluorescent Lamp	 Self-Ballasted Mercury Vapor Lamp
5"					
6"					
7"					
8"					
10"					
12"					
14"					
18"					
24"					
30"					
36"					

LOOK FOR THE "FIRST USE DATE" BOX ON REPTISUN® LAMPS OR SIGN UP FOR THE UVB REMINDER AT WWW.ZOOMED.COM



Item# FS-C10
REPTISUN 10.0 UVB
Compact Fluorescent
26W AC120V / 60Hz
Warning UVB radiation
for reptile use ONLY!

FIRST USE DATE

REPLACE YEARLY

- Replace UVB lamps each year.
- Monitor temperatures, don't guess!









































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REPTILE LAMP CHART

Choosing the Correct Reptile Lamp is an important part of setting up a habitat and keeping reptiles healthy. Different lamps have different properties and features. Use this chart to find the best lamp or combination of lamps for you and your pet.

LAMPS	FEATURES Daytime Light/ Night Time Viewing	24 Hour Heat	Heat	Basking	Splashproof	UVB	UVA
Powersun UV®	 DAYLIGHT		 HEAT	 BASKING		 UVB	 UVA
Repti Halogen™	 DAYLIGHT		 HEAT	 BASKING			 UVA
Repti Basking Spot Lamp™	 DAYLIGHT		 HEAT	 BASKING			 UVA
Repti Tuff™ Splashproof Halogen	 DAYLIGHT		 HEAT	 BASKING	 SPLASH PROOF		 UVA
Nocturnal Infrared Heat Lamp™	 NIGHT	 24 HOUR HEAT	 HEAT				
Daylight Blue™	 DAYLIGHT		 HEAT				 UVA
Nightlight Red™	 NIGHT	 24 HOUR HEAT	 HEAT				
Moonlite®	 NIGHT	 24 HOUR HEAT	 HEAT				
Repticare® Ceramic Heat Emitter		 24 HOUR HEAT	 HEAT				
Reptisun® 5.0	 DAYLIGHT					 UVB	 UVA
Reptisun® 10.0	 DAYLIGHT					 UVB	 UVA
Naturesun®	 DAYLIGHT						 UVA



HEAT: Heat bulbs help maintain optimum terrarium temperatures. Use low heat for Temperate species, medium heat for tropical species & high heat for desert species.



Basking bulbs provide a focused beam of heat which is essential for many reptile species.



UVB is essential to the health of many reptiles and helps them maintain strong bones.



UVA helps reptiles to see accurately and can promote natural behaviors.



Night time viewing bulbs provide enough light for people to watch their pets at night, but do not disturb the day and night cycle of the animal.



Visible Daylight is important to establish a natural light cycle for the animal and should be used for 12-14 hours a day.



A Splashproof bulb is ideal for an aquatic habitat where animals, such as turtles, may splash it.

ZOO MED OFFERS HOODS FOR EVERY LAMP THAT WE SELL, HERE ARE A FEW OF OUR AVAILABLE FIXTURES AND THE LAMPS THAT CAN BE SAFELY USED WITH THEM.

