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## JAMBU ZOO

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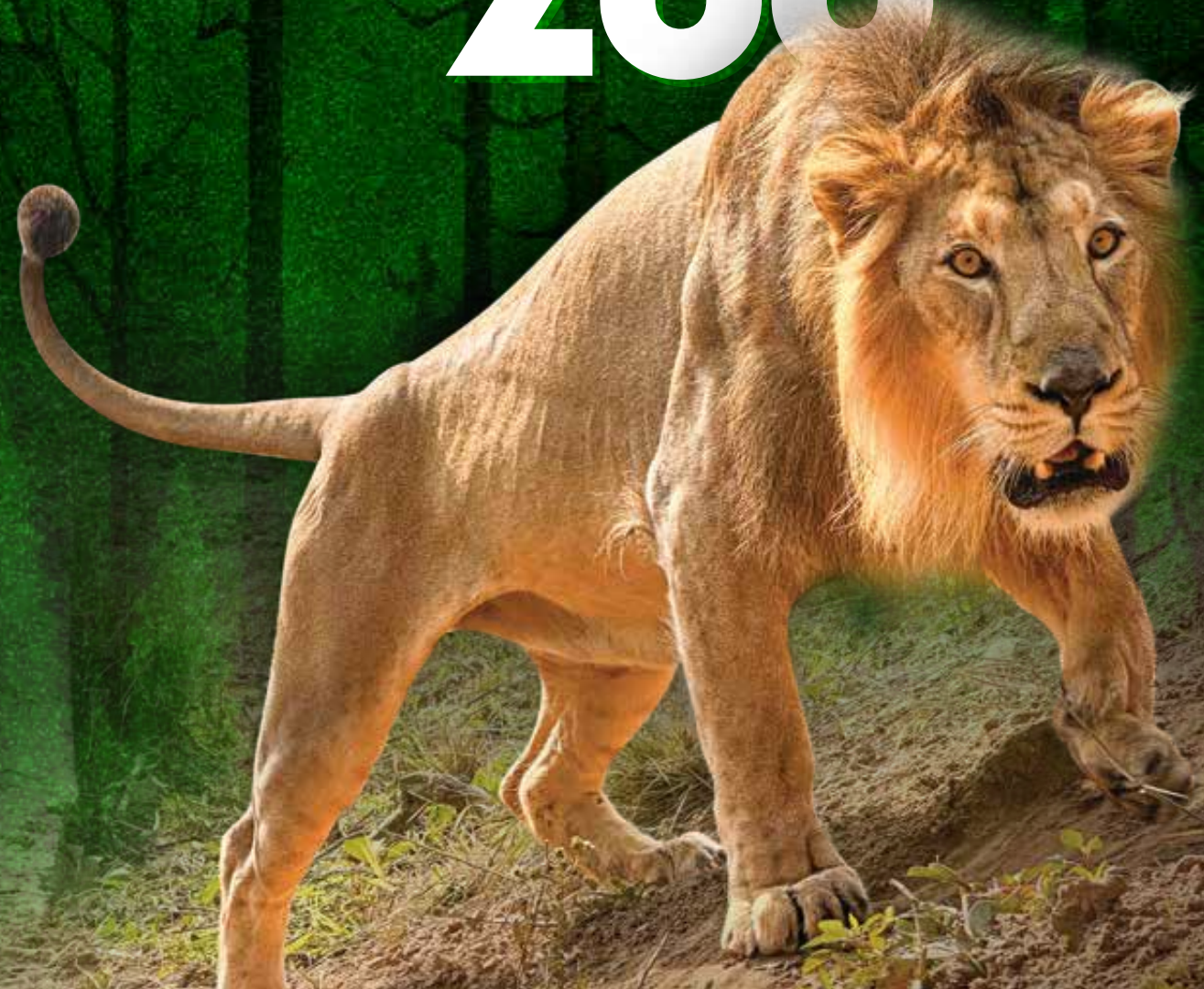
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# JAMBU ZOO







View of Jambu Zoo from "Jambu di Dhakki"

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Sh. Manoj Sinha, Lieutenant Governor of Jammu and Kashmir inaugurating Jambu Zoo

# Jambu Zoo

Inaugurated on 29.05.2023



Memento of first Jambu Zoo ticket being offered to Sh. Manoj Sinha, Lieutenant Governor of Jammu and Kashmir.

## Driven by a passion for the care and conservation of wildlife

Evolving from a modest 2.4 Hectares Mini Zoo in Manda to the expansive 163 Hectares Jambu Zoo in Nagrota, the Department of Wildlife Protection, Jammu and Kashmir, achieves a monumental milestone in the care and conservation of wildlife in the state. Jambu Zoo, now one of the largest zoological parks in North India, embodies the vision of creating an inclusive environment for entertainment, education, and robust research. This initiative aims to foster a profound connection between the public and wildlife while bolstering the local economy through increased tourism. Positioned conveniently on NH44, just before IIT Jammu, Jambu Zoo is an ideal stop for travellers enroute to the revered Shri Mata Vaishno Devi Shrine or the picturesque Kashmir Valley. Nestled in the Himalayan foothills, Jambu Zoo stands as a unique haven for nature lovers, offering an unparalleled experience amidst its expansive beauty.





Sh. Manoj Sinha, Lieutenant Governor of Jammu and Kashmir planting a tree in Jambu Zoo



## FULLY DIGITALIZED TICKETING MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

Aligning with Prime Minister Narendra Modi's Digital India Mission.



Jambu Zoo has successfully implemented a cutting-edge ticketing system, featuring a fully online ticketing and parking ERP system. This highly advanced system, developed with state-of-the-art technologies, places a strong emphasis on total transparency and aims to eliminate revenue loss. Real-time monitoring and reporting of ticket sales ensure efficient operations, while the user-friendly interface enhances the overall experience. The scalable nature of the system allows it to adeptly handle high visitor turnout, reflecting Jambu Zoo's commitment to modern, efficient, and visitor-friendly management practices.



A visitor scanning QR code for hassle free ticket booking at Jambu Zoo.



Zoo ticket Directly generated on the mobile after online booking



Security Guard authenticating the ticket before entry





# Animals

## of Jambu Zoo

Jambu Zoo houses diverse bird, reptile, and mammal species in environments mirroring their natural habitats. Serving as a refuge for endangered species, the zoo facilitates successful captive breeding. Noteworthy residents include the Asiatic Lion, Royal Bengal Tiger, Leopard, Himalayan Black Bear, Emu, and a captivating Snake Chamber.

Discover an appealing visual showcase featuring all the animals at Jambu Zoo in the following section.





# Asiatic Lion

*Panthera leo persica*



LENGTH

Male **9-9.6** ft.  
Female **9** ft.



WEIGHT

Male **150-160** kg.  
Female **100-130** kg.



LIFESPAN

in wild **16-18** years  
in Zoo **20-25** years



DIET

Carnivore

**Geographical Distribution:** India (Gir Forest, Gujarat)

**Habitat:** Dry deciduous forest and open grassy scrublands

**Breeding:** Gestation period: **116** days, litter size: **1-4** cubs

**Trivia / Special Features :** Males are larger than females and have a prominent mane. A social species, forming group called as 'pride'. Strategically hunt together.



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# Royal Bengal Tiger

*Panthera tigris tigris*



LENGTH

Male **9-9.6 ft.**  
Female **8.6 ft.**



WEIGHT

Male **180-230 kg.**  
Female **120-180 kg.**



LIFESPAN

in wild **10-15 years**  
in Zoo **17-20 years**



DIET

Carnivore

**Geographical Distribution:** India, Nepal, Bhutan, Bangladesh and Myanmar

**Habitat:** Grasslands, tropical and subtropical moist deciduous forests and mangrove forests

**Breeding:** Gestation period: **103-105** days, litter size: **2-4** cubs

**Trivia / Special Features :** Each Tiger has a unique stripe pattern, which helps in its identification.

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# Leopard

*Panthera pardus*



LENGTH

Male **5.5-7** ft.  
Female **5-6** ft.



WEIGHT

Male **40-68** kg.  
Female **35-50** kg.



LIFESPAN

in wild **12-17** years  
in Zoo **18-20** years



DIET

Carnivore

**Geographical Distribution:** Indian sub-continent, Southeast and East Asia, Western and Central Asia, Sub-Saharan

**Habitat:** Deciduous forests, evergreen forests, scrub jungle and fringes of forest

**Breeding:** Gestation period: **90-105** days, litter size: **1-3** cubs

**Trivia / Special Features :** Uses its hearing and smell more for survival. Has powerful jaws and claws. Can run at speed of upto 58 kmph. Melanistic leopards are called Black Panther.



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# Himalayan Black Bear

*Ursus thibetanus laniger*



LENGTH

Male **6ft - 5 in.**  
Female **5.5 ft.**



WEIGHT

Male **250 kg.**  
Female **180 kg.**



LIFESPAN

in wild **25-30 years**  
in Zoo **33-35 years**



DIET

Omnivore

**Geographical Distribution:** India (Himalayas and North-Eastern states), Nepal, Tibet and China

**Habitat:** Dense broad-leaved and coniferous forests, orchards

**Breeding:** Gestation period: **220-225** days, litter size: **2** cubs

**Trivia / Special Features :** It is also called the moon bear due to the crescent-shaped white mark on its chest. Its black fur is much shorter than that of the other bear of India. Has puffy ears and a very short tail



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# Leopard Cat

*Prionailurus bengalensis*



## LENGTH

Male **1.5-2.1** ft.

Female **1.3-2** ft.



## WEIGHT

Male **3-4** kg.

Female **3-4** kg.



## LIFESPAN

in wild **12-15** years

in Zoo **15** years



## DIET

Carnivore

**Geographical Distribution:** Indian subcontinent, Pakistan, China, Indochina, Russia and Korean peninsula

**Habitat:** Tropical evergreen forests, Himalayan forest, etc.

**Breeding:** Gestation period: **70** days, litter size: **2-4** kittens

**Trivia / Special Features :** Looks like a miniature leopard.



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# Black Buck

*Antilope cervicapra*



## LENGTH

Male **3-4** ft.  
Female **3-3.5** ft.



## WEIGHT

Male **40** kg.  
Female **40** kg.



## LIFESPAN

in wild **10-15** years  
in Zoo **18** years



## DIET

Herbivore

**Geographical Distribution:** Indian subcontinent & Nepal

**Habitat:** Grassy plains and thinly forested areas

**Breeding:** Gestation period: **6** months, litter size: **1-2** fawn

**Trivia / Special Features :** Males are strikingly coloured in black and white, larger than females and have spiralling horns. Females are brown-white coloured and lack horns.



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# Spotted Deer

*Axis axis*



LENGTH

Male **3.5-4.5** ft.  
Female **3-4** ft.



WEIGHT

Male **70-90** kg.  
Female **40-60** kg.



LIFESPAN

in wild **10-15** years  
in Zoo **20** years



DIET

Herbivore

Geographical Distribution: India, Nepal, Bhutan, Bangladesh and Sri Lanka

Habitat: Terai grasslands and forests

Breeding: Gestation period: **7-8** months, litter size: **1** fawn

Trivia / Special Features: Males are larger than females and have antlers. Golden to rufous coloured body, covered with white spots.



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# Goral

*Naemorhedus*



## LENGTH

Male **2.5-4 ft.**  
Female **2.5-4 ft.**



## WEIGHT

Male **25-30 kg.**  
Female **25-30 kg.**



## LIFESPAN

in wild **14-15 years**  
in Zoo **17-18 years**



## DIET

Herbivore

**Geographical Distribution:** India, Nepal & Northern Pakistan

**Habitat:** Himalayan Forests

**Breeding:** Gestation period: **5-7** months, litter size: **1** calf

**Trivia / Special Features :** The Himalayan goral is very agile and

can run quickly. Due to its coloration it is very well camouflaged, so that it is extremely difficult to sight it, especially since it spends much of the day lying still.



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# Hog Deer

*Naemorhedus*



## LENGTH

Male **3-4** ft.  
Female **3.5** ft.



## WEIGHT

Male **30-40** kg.  
Female **30-35** kg.



## LIFESPAN

in wild **10-20** years  
in Zoo **25** years



## DIET

Herbivore

**Geographical Distribution:** India, Nepal & Northern Pakistan

**Habitat:** Himalayan Forests

**Breeding:** Gestation period: **5-7** months, litter size: **1** calf

**Trivia / Special Features:** : The Himalayan goral is very agile and

can run quickly. Due to its coloration it is very well camouflaged, so that it is extremely difficult to sight it, especially since it spends much of the day lying still.



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# Indian Porcupine

*Hystrix indica*



LENGTH

Male **2-3** ft.  
Female **2-2.5** ft.



WEIGHT

Male **11-18** kg.  
Female **9-14** kg.



LIFESPAN

in wild **20-25** years  
in Zoo **25-30** years



DIET

Omnivore

**Geographical Distribution:** Southern Asia and Middle East Asia

**Habitat:** Rocky hillsides, tropical & temperate scrublands, grasslands & forests

**Breeding:** Gestation period: **110-115** days, litter size: **2-4** cubs

**Trivia / Special Features:** Nocturnal. Body covered in multiple layers of modified hair called quills. In case of danger, erects the quills



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# Sambar Deer

*Rusa unicolor*



## LENGTH

Male **5.3-8.3** ft.  
Female **4.7-7.5** ft.



## WEIGHT

Male **150-350** kg.  
Female **100-300** kg.



## LIFESPAN

in wild **16-20** years  
in Zoo **25** years



## DIET

Herbivore

**Geographical Distribution:** India, Nepal, Bhutan, China, Bangladesh and other Southeast Asian Nations

**Habitat:** Forests, Scrublands, Grasslands and Wetlands

**Breeding:** Gestation period: **8-9** months, litter size: **1** calf

**Trivia / Special Features:** Yellowish brown to dark grey shaggy coat. Male exhibit dense mane around neck and antlers. In case of threat, it can make short and high-pitched sounds. Communicate by scent marking and foot stamping.



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# Emu

*Rusa unicolor*



## LENGTH

Male **4.9-6.2** ft.  
Female **4.9-6.2** ft.



## WEIGHT

Male **50-60** kg.  
Female **50-60** kg.



## LIFESPAN

in wild **12-20** years  
in Zoo **25** years



## DIET

Omnivorous

**Geographical Distribution:** Oceania

**Habitat:** Open grasslands with bushes close to the water

**Breeding:** Incubation period: **50-56** days, Clutch size: **2-4** eggs

**Trivia / Special Features :** Emus can jump to a height of up to 7 feet. When frightened, emus can run up to 80 kmph and jump and kick to defend themselves.



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# Blue Bull

*Boselaphus tragocamelus*



LENGTH

Male **5.7-6.11** ft.  
Female **5.7-6.11** ft.



WEIGHT

Male **109-288** kg.  
Female **100-213** kg.



LIFESPAN

in wild **18** years  
in Zoo **22** years



DIET

Herbivore

**Geographical Distribution:** Indian Nepal & Pakistan

**Habitat:** Short bushes and scattered trees in scrub forests and grassy plains

**Breeding:** Gestation period: **8-9** months, litter size: **1** calf

**Trivia / Special Features :** Nilgai are the largest Asian antelope.



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# Barking Deer

*Boselaphus tragocamelus*



## LENGTH

Male **3-4** ft.  
Female **3-3.5** ft.



## WEIGHT

Male **20-57** kg.  
Female **20-33** kg.



## LIFESPAN

in wild **10-15** years  
in Zoo **18** years



## DIET

Omnivore

**Geographical Distribution:** South and Southeast Asia (including India)

**Habitat:** Dense to sparse forests & fringes of forests

**Breeding:** Gestation period: **7** months, litter size: **1** calf

**Trivia / Special Features:** One of the smallest deer species. Males have short antlers and long canine teeth, called as tusks. On alarm call sounds like barking, hence called as barking deer.



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# Gharial

*Gavialis gangeticus*



LENGTH

Male **9-19.5 ft.**  
Female **8-14.5 ft.**



WEIGHT

Male **160-170 kg.**  
Female **120-180 kg.**



LIFESPAN

in wild **50-60 years**  
in Zoo **65 years**



DIET

Fishes & Frogs

**Geographical Distribution:** Northern India, Nepal, Bhutan and Pakistan

**Habitat:** Rivers like Ganga, Brahmaputra and Mahanadi

**Breeding:** Incubation period: **60-90** days, Clutch size: **20-100** eggs

**Trivia / Special Features:** : Long protruding snout with 110 saw like teeth. Male has a bulb at the end of the snout, which resemble an earthen pot, called as 'ghara', hence the name Gharial.



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# Marsh Crocodile

*Boselaphus tragocamelus*



LENGTH

Male **10-12** ft.  
Female **6.5-8.5** ft.



WEIGHT

Male **180-250** kg.  
Female **120-200** kg.



LIFESPAN

in wild **28** years  
in Zoo **35** years



DIET

Carnivore

**Geographical Distribution:** India, Nepal, Bangladesh, Sri Lanka, Pakistan, Iran, etc.

**Habitat:** Rivers, ponds & marshy areas

**Breeding:** Incubation period: **55-75** days,  
Clutch size: **30-40** eggs

**Trivia / Special Features:** Snout is wide and strong. Crocodiles have smooth skin on their bellies, while their dorsal surfaces are armoured with large osteoderms. Streamlined body enables it to swim swiftly.



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Russell's Viper  
*(Daboia russelii)*



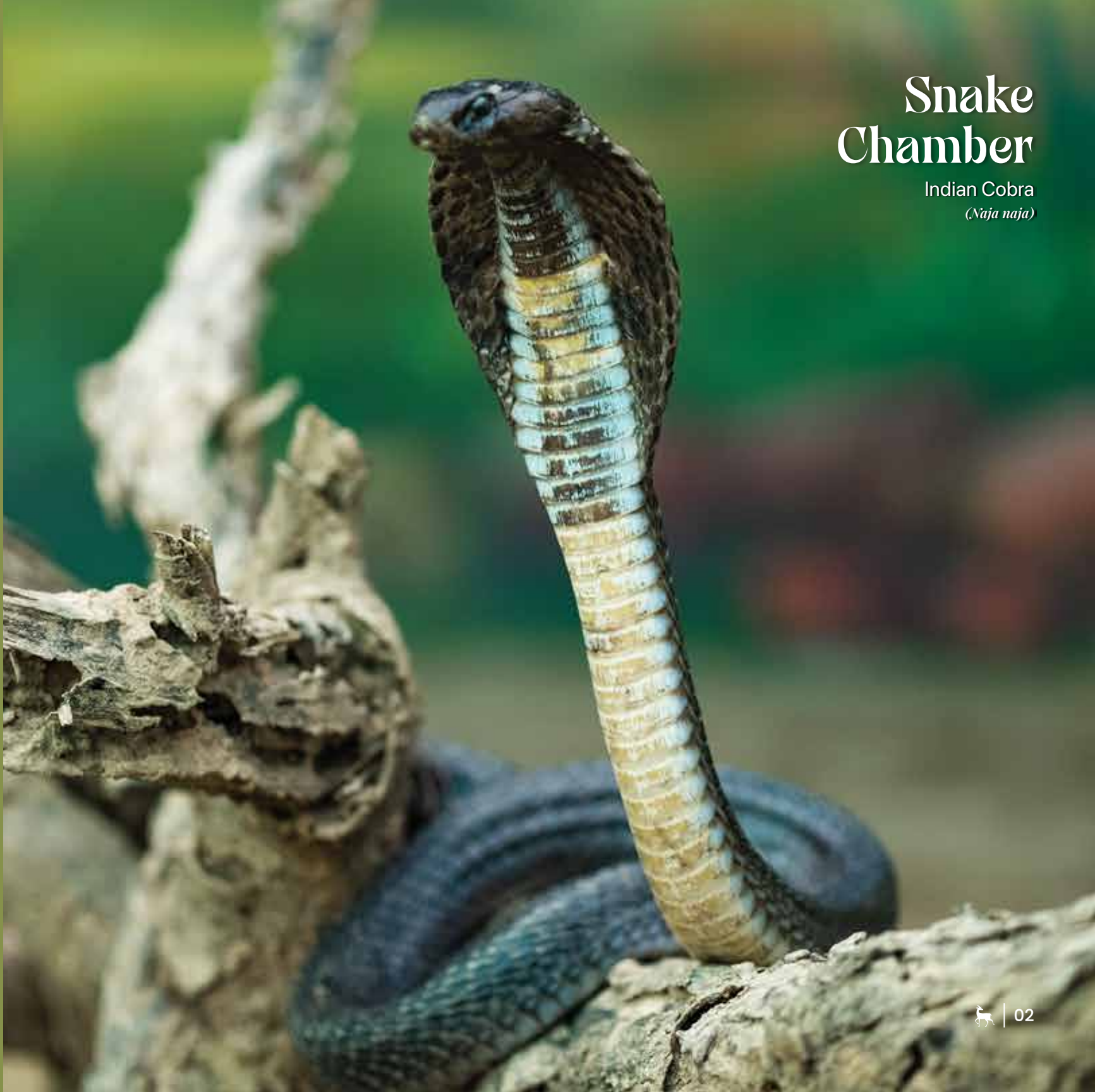
Indian Rock Python  
*(Python molurus)*



Diadem Snake  
*(Spalerosophis diadema)*



Rat Snake  
*(Ptyas mucosus)*



Snake  
Chamber  
Indian Cobra  
*(Naja naja)*





Other  
**Amenities  
& Services**  
at Jambu Zoo

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Jambu Zoo attracts visitors globally, and the Department of Wildlife, Government of Jammu and Kashmir, is dedicated to offering the best experience. Numerous amenities and facilities have been introduced at Jambu Zoo for the convenience of all visitors, some of which are highlighted in the following section.



## BATTERY OPERATED VEHICLES



## CAFETERIA





## FOOD AND BEVERAGES KIOSK



## VISITOR RESTING SHEDS





## INTERPRETATION CENTRE



## ORIENTATION CENTRE





## VIEW POINTS



## CHILD CARE ROOM





## PARKS



## HYGIENIC TOILETS





## DRINKING WATER POINTS



## SOUVENIR SHOP





## AMPHITHEATRE



## PARKING





## CLOAK ROOM



## JAMBU DI DHAKKI







# ZOO MAP

The Jambu Zoo team is dedicated to establishing an ecosystem where every animal species enjoys top-notch facilities resembling their natural habitats. Our goal is to provide an entertaining, informative, and safe environment for wildlife enthusiasts and all the other visitors.



## LEGENDS -



DRINKING WATER POINT



TOILET



CHILD CARE ROOM



SOUVENIR SHOP



BATTERY CAR STAND



TICKET COUNTER



PARKING



WATER BODY