



Healthy Jaguars, Healthy Forests, Healthy People

MAJOR THREATS TO JAGUARS:



**Fragmentation
and habitat loss**



**Decline of prey
population**



**Retaliatory Killing
associated with
human-jaguar conflict**



**Poaching and illegal
trafficking of their parts
(pelt, teeth, and claws)**



Jaguars are the largest wildcat species native to the Americas. Their prey consist of armadillo, paca, peccary, and deer.

Lifespan in the wild : 12 to 15 years
Size: 3.8 to 6 feet in length (Head to Tail)
Weight : 70 to 246 lbs (Adult)
IUCN Status : NT (Near Threatened)
Population : decreasing

Jaguars have unique patterns called rosettes. Similar to humans, rosettes serve to identify each jaguar.

