



Healthy Jaguars, Healthy Forests, Healthy People

MAJOR THREATS TO JAGUARS:



Fragmentation and habitat loss



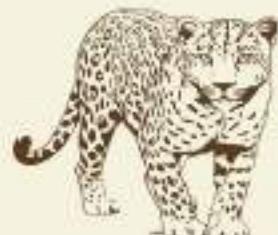
Decline of prey population



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.

