



SCRUB PYTHON

Morelia amethystina



weeks depending on size.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS

Sometimes referred to as the amethystine python. Largest teeth of any python species. Quite slender, and generally olive-brown with dark brown or black bands, and a pale cream belly. Distinctive marks on the neck - large scales on top of the head. In certain angles when light catches the scales, these pythons display amethyst colours, hence the name.

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KEEPING SNAPSHOT

Difficulty:	Expert
Max Growth Size:	8 metres
Temperament:	Sometimes snappy
Licensing:	Private Wildlife (Basic) Licence

HABITAT

Heating:	28 - 32 degrees C
Lighting:	UVA / UVB (Exo Terra 10.0 globes recommended)
Environment:	Tropical-style. Needs humidity.

RANGE

Indonesia, Papua New Guinea, Australia

FEEDING

Mice and rats for juveniles, adult snakes can eat rabbit, guinea pigs, and poultry. Feed adults fortnightly to every three