



HELODERMA HORRIDUM.
(YOUNG)
(TEHUANTEPEC.)

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The Beaded Lizard (*Heloderma horridum*) is one of only two species of venomous lizards (the other is the Gila Monster, *H. suspectum*). Because of persecution motivated by fear of a dangerous animal and habitat alteration or destruction, Beaded Lizard populations are declining throughout the range of the species. This illustration of a juvenile appeared as a colored lithograph in some printings of Albert C. L. G. Günther's *Biologia Centrali-Americana* (reproduced with permission from the 1987 Facsimile Reprint in Herpetology by the Society for the Study of Amphibians and Reptiles, Ithaca, New York). See related information on p. 300.



Anolis (Norops) johnmeyeri is a large anole found in Cusuco National Park, Honduras, that is unusual among anoles in that both males and females have large dewlaps with a blue central spot; females, such as this individual, have the blue spot surrounded by yellow, whereas in males, it is surrounded by red. The bright red "dots" are ectoparasitic "chiggers" (larval trombiculid mites). See article on p. 242.