

Eastern Diamondback Rattlesnake: *Crotalus adamanteus*



What do I look like?

- Diamond pattern along the back
- Dark stripe through eye with light border
- Large tail rattle



Where do I live?

- Open canopy pine forests and sandhills
- Coastal Islands with secondary dunes
- In burrows and stump holes in dry, sandy soil



What do I eat?

- Small rodents
- Rabbits
- Squirrels

Look-a-like

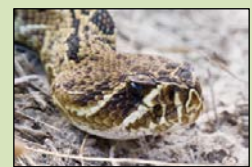


Pygmy Rattlesnake

- Vertical pupils
- Pit between eye and nostril
- Small tail rattle

Eastern Diamondback Fun Facts

I am the largest rattlesnake in the world



My rattle gets longer each time I shed my skin