DEGU SUPPLY CHECKLIST

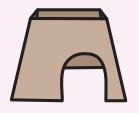
CAGE

2 cubic feet per degu minimum.



SHELTER

Degus like to hide in shelters when they are nervous or relaxing. Wood or grass huts, cardboard boxes, etc.



WATER BOTTLE



FOOD

Timothy pellets and timothy hay, orchard grass, or meadow hay. If you are unable to find degu specific food, molasses-free guinea pig pellets can be mixed with chinchilla pellets at a 50/50 ratio.



FOOD DISH

Ceramic is best to prevent chewing.



BEDDING

Fleece.



HAMMOCKS

Degus love hammocks! Monitor for chewing.



WHEEL

Solid base only. No wire, bars, or mesh. Wood or solid metal base is ideal.



BED

Many pocket pets enjoy relaxing in a cozy bed such as a dog or cat bed, a small animal bed, or extra fleece. Monitor for chewing.



CHEW TOYS

Wood, lava, etc.



ENRICHMENT

Degus are busybodies! Be sure to provide them with lots of fun toys. Check out our homemade toys page for ideas.



DUST

Make sure to get volcanic dust, not sand.



DUST BATH

You can purchase a ceramic dust bath or use a sturdy bowl.



CARRIER



