

mini-critters

care sheet

size

10-20 in, 1 lb avg

lifespan

10-20 years

active times

Night

diet

Chinchilla pellets, grass hay, twigs from safe trees can be given as treats

exercise

Chinchillas need to be out of their cage for exercise for at least 1-2 hours per day with many toys to keep destruction down, and have access to a running wheel always. Give them chewing toys to maintain their teeth, which do not stop growing.

maintenance

Spot clean cage daily, change bedding and wash the cage and toys weekly. Chinchillas require a dust bath at least twice a week; remove dust after 15 to 30 minutes. Fur may be brushed with a soft brush. Avoid getting your chinchilla wet.



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