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Mardereinbruch in ein „gesichertes“ Gehege

Break-in of a marten into a „safe“ enclosure

Abstract

This article deals with an unexpected break-in of a marten (*Martes foina*) into a tortoise enclosure that was protected against predators, from the ground as from above. The latter route was secured by a fine net. The marten destroyed one mesh and came into the enclosure through it. Five young tortoises had been displaced, of which we 2 found dead and 3 injured. Information of the successful and unsuccessful medical treatments is given, as well as ideas on how really to be protected against martens.

Key words

Testudines: Testudinidae, predators in captivity, Mustelidae, *Martes foina*

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