

3 Species across the World

Giant Japanese Salamander (hanzaki) : *Andrias japonicus*

A species native to Japan, they tend to grow to 150cm.
They have black spots on dark-brown skin.



Chinese Giant Salamander : *Andrias davidianus*

Native to China, they grow to around 170cm long.
With similar faces and bodies to those of the Japanese Giant Salamander, they have often been brought to rivers in Kyoto, where they have bred and created a hybrid salamander, which is becoming a problem.



American Salamander : *Cryptobranchus alleganiensis*

They are a relatively small salamander, growing at most to 70cm. Found in the waters of Missouri in the USA, there are two types, *alleganiensis* and *bishopi*.

With many creases and a semi-angular body shape, they also have a set of gills on their neck.



Main Habitats Around the World



Giant Salamander Fossil
Andrias scheuchzeri



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