

## Sommering Gazelle

### *Gazella soemmerringi berberana*

**DESCRIPTION** The Somali Soemmerring gazelle is the largest subspecies with the longest horns. It has the darkest facial blaze, being black or dark brown rather than reddish brown.

**DISTRIBUTION** Djibouti: Throughout. Ethiopia: The Awash Valley; the Ogaden region, including the Webi Shebelle valley; and near Dolo on the Genale River. Somalia: The far northwest near Djibouti; south of the north coastal (Guban) mountains from about Burao eastward; along the eastern (Indian Ocean) coast from about Ras Hafun almost to Mogadishu; and in the Webi Shebelle and Juba valleys.

**TAXONOMIC NOTES** Includes *erlangeri* (Awash Valley in Ethiopia) and *berberana* (northern Somalia and the Ogaden region of Ethiopia), with *berberana* Matschie, 1893 having priority.

We follow Yalden, Largen & Koch (1984) in classifying *erlangeri* as a race of Somali Soemmerring (*berberana*) rather than of Sudan Soemmerring (*soemmerringi*).



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