

# ectotherm *(ec-to-therm)*

## Definition

n. an animal that relies on external sources for body heat.

## Example Sentence

The snake is an **ectotherm**, relying on external sources for body heat.

## More Example Sentences

Lizards are examples of ectotherms.

## Synonyms

cold-blooded animal; reptile; amphibian

## Antonyms

endotherm

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