

# mongoose *(mon-goose)*

## Definition

n. any of various civetlike; Old World carnivores family Viverridae; esp; any of a sometimes domesticated genus *Herpestes* noted for their ability to kill poisonous snakes; rodents; etc.

## Example Sentence

The **mongoose** chased the bird.

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