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Firemen catch 70kg python at oil palm estate

KLUANG: The Renggam Fire and Rescue Department captured a 7m-long python at an oil palm plantation in Kampung Bukit Nyamuk near here on Tuesday.

Chief of operations, Senior Fire Officer II Maznan Mohamad, said the department received a call about the situation at 4.59pm, and deployed a team of 10 personnel to the location.

He added that the 70kg serpent was found about 500m from Jalan Ayer Hitam, Johor Baru's main road.

"The team did not have much difficulty in catching the python, because it could barely move after consuming a young pig.

"It took only 20 minutes to put the snake into a special cage. The python was later released in a forest in Kahang, away from human settlements," he said.



Firemen examining the 7m-long python at Kampung Bukit Nyamuk, Simpang Renggam, on Tuesday. PIC COURTESY OF RENGAM FIRE AND RESCUE DEPT