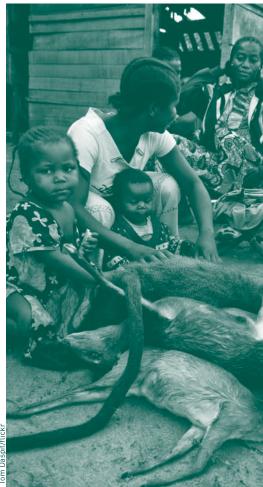
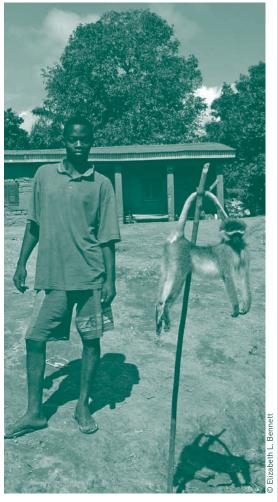
## **Bushmeat: a source of protein and trade**







Bushmeat is a major source of protein for forest-dependent communities. It is also an important source of income through trade in local, national and international markets. However, the illegal bushmeat trade has led to wildlife being hunted in an unsustainable manner. This has resulted in the "bushmeat crisis", with many species becoming endangered.

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