



The **Tuojiangosaurus** was the best-known plated dinosaur from China. On its back were fifteen pairs of pointed plates and on the end of its tail were

two pairs of spikes—similar to the **Stegosaurus**. These four-ton plant eaters measured twenty-three-feet long and stood seven-feet high.

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