

Home Page



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http://www.animalfactsencyclopedia.com/

Subject

Animals--Encyclopedias

Accessibility

Free

Language

English

Publisher

Jenise Alongi

Brief History

The Animal Facts Encyclopedia is created in 2011 by Jenise Alongi.

Scope and Coverage

In the home page the article can be found under the heading “Animals Around the World”, “Animal Family Tree”, “Animal Fun Stuff”, “A to Z”. Through this encyclopedia, one can get articles about African Animals, Australian animals, ocean animals, rainforest and desert animals. The encyclopedia give information on baby animals, Africa’s most popular animals. The heading “Animal Family Tree” provides articles under “Big Cat Facts”, “Bear Facts”, “Great Apes Facts”.

**Kind of Information**

The article in this encyclopedia provides mainly different key facts on animals around the world. The article starts with introduction about the particular animal, physical descriptions, some amazing facts about the animal, their reproduction behavior and suitable atmosphere for their living, etc. and many more. The important key facts about the animals are also provided in a table form. As for example an article on Elephant Fact provides following table of facts:

Elephant Facts - animalstats -			
MALE	FEMALE	YOUNG	SOCIAL UNIT
bull	cow	calf	herd
HOME	HABITAT	LIFESPAN	FAVORITE FOOD
Africa, Asia	savanna, forest, grasslands	60-80 years	grass, leaves, fruit, roots, bark
AFRICAN ELEPHANT - population in wild - 500,000			
TRUNK	AVG. HEIGHT	AVG. LENGTH	AVG. WEIGHT
5-7ft 350lbs	7 - 13 feet at shoulder	12 - 22 feet	5,000 - 15,000lbs
ASIAN ELEPHANT - population in wild - 30,000			
TRUNK	AVG. HEIGHT	AVG. LENGTH	AVG. WEIGHT
5-6ft 300lbs	6 - 11 feet at shoulder	10 - 20 feet	4,500 - 12,000lbs
TOP SPEED	GESTATION	BIRTHWEIGHT	AT BIRTH:
22 mph	22 months	180-220 lbs	sighted,coarse hair
RAISED BY	# OF YOUNG	EYES OPEN	BABY STANDS
herd	1, rarely 2	at birth	1.5 - 2 hours
WEANED	INDEPENDENT	MATURITY	ENDANGERED?
2-4 years	6 - 8 years	16-20 years	vulnerable

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Along with this table the article contains lots of images. The scientific classification on elephant is also provided. This is as follows:

Scientific Classification:

- Kingdom
  - Anamalia
- Phylum
  - Chordata
- Class
  - Mammalia
- Order
  - Proboscidae
- Family
  - Eliphantidae
- Genus
  - Loxodonta
- Species
  - africanus (African bush)
  - cyclotis (African forest)
- Genus
  - Elaphas
- Species
  - maximus (Asian)

There are several links to other animal's facts articles from this encyclopedia.

### Special Features

- The encyclopedia contains lots of animals' color images, videos.
- There is an option for facebook liking of the pages.
- Through this encyclopedia users can give vote for their favorite animals. In the following screen shot the top down menu gives option to choose the animal for voting. The encyclopedia gives statistics of this voting.



### Arrangement Pattern

The home page there are some headings (see scope and coverage) under which all the sub headings are arranged topic wise. Ex.:



Under each sub headings, articles are arranged alphabetically with images. Ex.:



**Remarks**

The encyclopedia is an amazing source of knowledge about animals around the world. This is very suitable reference source for children as well as adult.

**Comparable Tools**

- NatureServe Explorer: An Online Encyclopedia of Life. (<http://explorer.natureserve.org/>)
- Encyclopedia of Life (<http://eol.org/>)
- Internet Orchid Species Photo Encyclopedia (<http://www.orchidspecies.com/>)
- A-Z Animals: Online Animal Encyclopedia (<https://a-z-animals.com/>)

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