



DANGER LEVEL: HIGH



LEOPARD SEAL

LIFESPAN: 20-25 YEARS

DIET: PENGUINS, FISH, SQUID

FUN FACT: THEY'RE FIERCE PREDATORS AND CAN LEAP OUT OF WATER TO CATCH PENGUINS! THEY ARE INSULATED FROM FRIGID WATERS BY A THICK LAYER OF FAT KNOWN AS BLUBBER.

RARITY: LAST CONCERN



DANGER LEVEL: LOW



MACARONI PENGUIN

LIFESPAN: 10-20 YEARS

DIET: KRILL, SMALL FISH, SQUID

FUN FACT: THEIR BRIGHT YELLOW FEATHERS LOOK LIKE CRAZY HAIRDOS AND THEY USE LOUD, TRUMPETING CALLS TO COMMUNICATE IN NOISY COLONIES.

RARITY: VULNERABLE



DANGER LEVEL: HIGH



KILLER WHALE

LIFESPAN: 30-90 YEARS

DIET: SEALS, FISH, SHARKS

FUN FACT: ORCAS MEASURE BETWEEN 5.5 AND 9.8 METRES. THEY'RE A TOP PREDATOR AND CAN PREY ON OTHER WHALE SPECIES MORE THAN TWICE THEIR SIZE.

RARITY: DATA DEFICIENT





DANGER LEVEL: HIGH



ELEPHANT SEAL

LIFESPAN: 15-22 YEARS

DIET: FISH, SQUID, SHARKS

FUN FACT: SOUTHERN ELEPHANT SEALS ARE THE DEEPEST DIVING SEALS IN THE WORLD—THEY CAN PLUNGE MORE THAN 1,500 METRES AND STAY UNDERWATER FOR UP TO 2 HOURS!

RARITY: LEAST CONCERN ★



DANGER LEVEL: LOW



ADELIE PENGUIN

LIFESPAN: 10-20 YEARS

DIET: KRILL, SMALL FISH, SQUID

FUN FACT: ADÉLIE PENGUINS ARE THE SMALLEST PENGUIN SPECIES IN ANTARCTICA (ABOUT 70 CM TALL) AND ARE FAMOUS FOR LEAVING THEIR CHICKS IN A BIG “PENGUIN CRÈCHE”—A GROUP DAYCARE—WHILE BOTH PARENTS GO HUNTING.

RARITY: LEAST CONCERN ★



DANGER LEVEL: HIGH



SOUTH POLAR SKUA

LIFESPAN: 11 YEARS

DIET: FISH, BIRDS, PENGUIN CHICKS

FUN FACT: THESE BIRDS CAN REACH FLIGHT SPEEDS OF UP TO 50 KM PER HOUR AND ATTACK HUMANS WHO VENTURE TOO CLOSE TO THEIR NESTS!

RARITY: LEAST CONCERN ★