



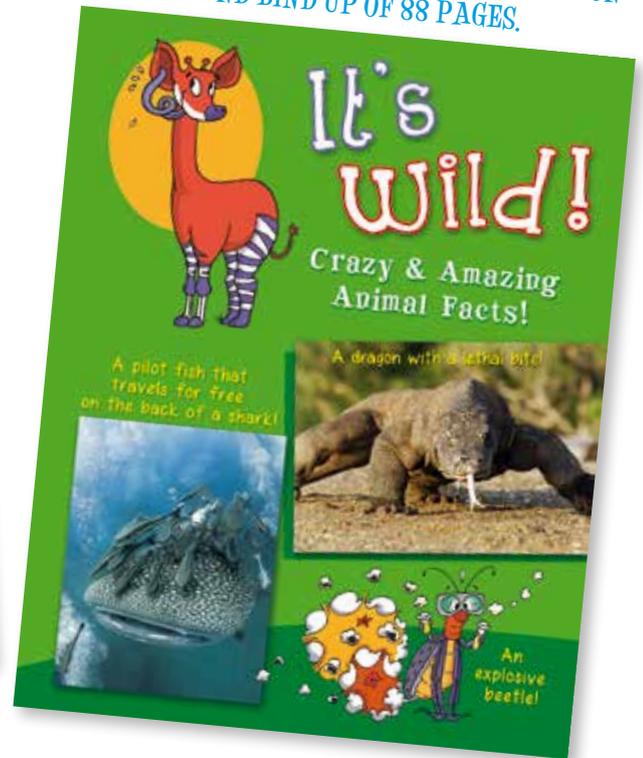
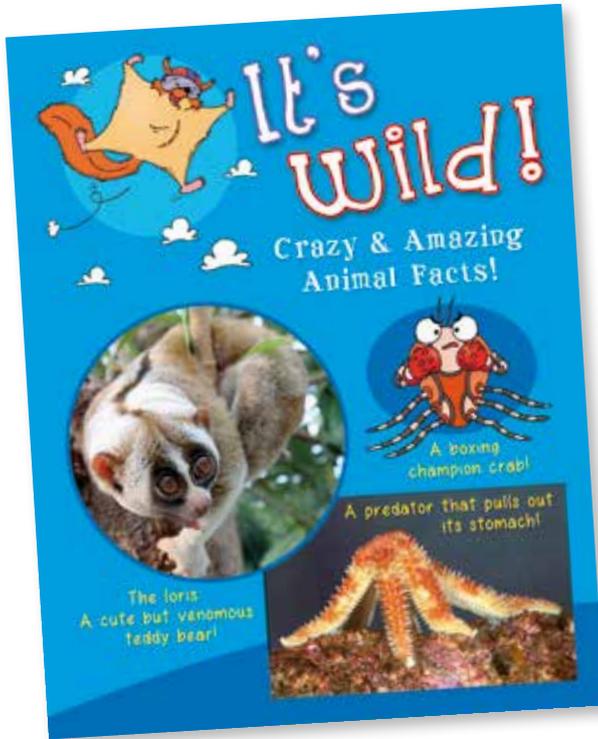
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Notes



40,000 KILOMETRES FOR A JAR OF HONEY

The bees gather pollen and nectar from the flowers. The nectar is just sweet water that the bees transform into honey. For every trip, a worker bee brings back less than one hundredth of a gram of nectar to fill up a jar! It has been calculated that 40,000 km of return trips are required to make 1 kg of honey. A trip around the world! If I feel like some honey, I just go to the corner shop and that takes the three minutes.

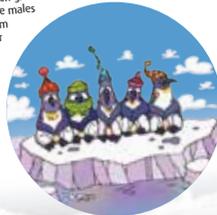


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THE LONG MARCH OF THE EMPERORS

The Antarctic winter is a frozen hell - 60 °C and winds of up to 200 km/het remains there to reproduce. It all begins with a long march inland where the female lays her egg. The males brood the egg by keeping it on their feet so that it doesn't touch the frozen ground. The females return to the sea to fish. The males huddle closely together to stay warm and wait more than two months for the females to return just after the eggs hatch to feed their chicks. It's about time! Then it's the males' turn to leave, covering more than 100 km over the ice to bring food back to their families.



THE INTEREST IN NOT BRUSHING YOUR TEETH...



They are called Komodo dragons. Lizards (more precisely varans) measuring 3 m long and weighing 100 kg! These are undoubtedly the living animals that most resemble prehistoric creatures, spreading about on their short stout legs and detecting odours with their forked tongue. These monsters are capable of hunting prey as large as a buffalo. A simple bite to the leg and the animal becomes infected with microbes; it falls sick and dies within a few days. Yes, the teeth of the Komodo dragon are so dirty that they smell!

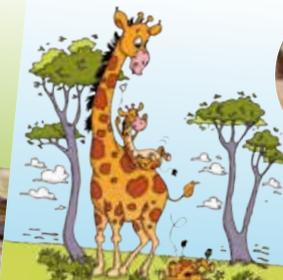


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THE BABY GIRAFFES DROP FROM HIGH UP

A mother giraffe is up to 5m tall and she remains standing when she gives birth to her baby giraffe. Crash! The baby (that weighs between 40 and 80 kg!) falls from that height! A drop of over 2m as its first step in life... It's hard and sometimes fatal. In fact, the unfortunate baby sometimes breaks its neck as it lands. But if it survives, the baby giraffe must quickly stand up. If it doesn't manage to do so within an hour of being born, it is abandoned by its mother.



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THE FRILL-NECKED LIZARD

It earned its name because of a large fold of skin that it normally keeps pressed against its neck. But when it feels threatened, this small lizard opens its mouth as wide as possible and unfolds its multi-coloured frill, as you would open an umbrella. This makes it look much larger and much scarier and at the same time, it whistles, spits and taps its tail on the ground. But if that doesn't work... it flees! It runs away at full speed on its back legs to hide in the nearest bushes.



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SCARE ME, CATERPILLAR!



Spingidae is a family of large moths that are recognisable because they are capable of flying on the spot and taking on provisions in flight by sucking up nectar from flowers with their trumpets. But it's their caterpillars that gave the name to the family: when they feel threatened, they inflate and stand up blowing out the front of their bodies to take on the appearance of an Egyptian sphinx. Some species also have false snakes' eyes on their skin and like a snake, they sway their heads from side to side to scare their attackers. The effect is striking!



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