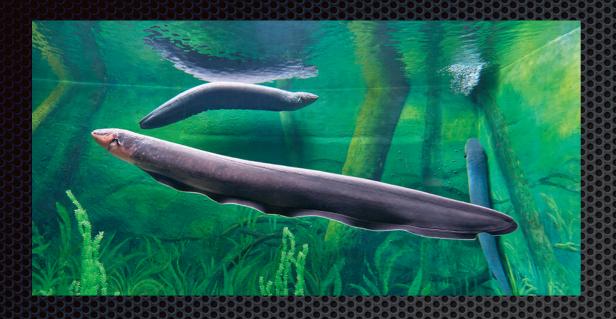
# Dangerous Animals

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## 1. Electric Eels.





Electric eels are dangerous because they have sharp teeth and electricity. So, if it bites you or if somebody touches it, the person could die of an electric shock. The color of electric eels are yellow or orange on the belly.

#### 2. Centipedes.





They have a pair of elongated mandibles, and two pairs of maxillae. The first pair of maxillae form the lower lip, and bear short palps. The first pair of limbs stretch forward from the body to cover the remainder of the mouth. These limbs end in sharp claws and include venom glands that help the animal to kill or paralyze its prey.

While a bite to an adult human is usually very painful and may cause severe swelling, chills, fever, and weakness, it is unlikely to be fatal. Bites can be dangerous to small children.

#### 3. Scorpions. All scorpions have a venomous sting, but most of the species are not dangerous to people. If a scorpion stings a young kid or an old person, they may die, but healthy adults would just get very sick.





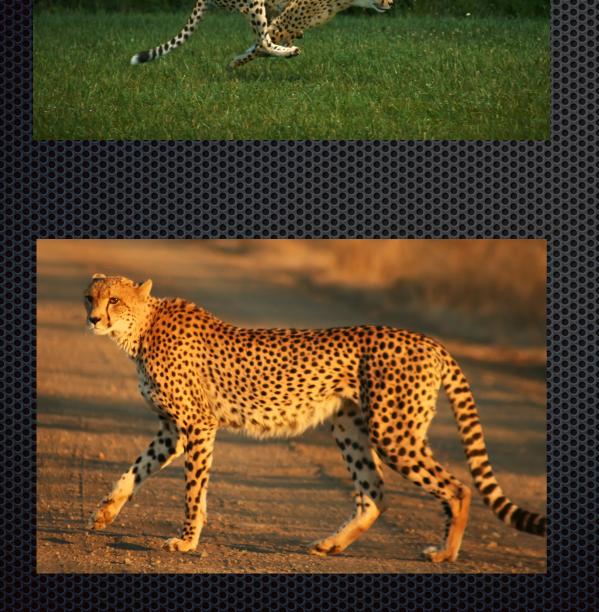
#### 4. Rhinos.

Rhinos are big, fast and great fighterswhen they want to be. They can be very dangerous, but they prefer to keep to themselves. If you scare a rhino or make it angry, then it may charge at you. They have long, sharp horns, and are very heavy at 2300 kilograms. They can charge up to 40 miles per hour.





#### 5. Cheetahs.



African cheetahs run up to 40 km/h, but when hunting can run at 112 km/h for short distances. This means they are great hunters and will always catch its prey. They are the fastest land animal.

### 6. Black Widow Spiders



According to National Geographic, black widows are considered the most venomous spider in North America. Their habitat is dark sheltered places such as fallen branches, logs, and rocks. Sometimes they live in garages, sheds and basements.

Their venom is reported to be 15 times stronger than a rattlesnake's. Black widows are highly poisonous, but fortunately, they only bite humans when disturbed.





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