

Animal Fact Sheet

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Dall Sheep

Ovis dalli

The Dall sheep is a striking white wild sheep native to the mountainous regions of northwestern North America. These agile mammals are well-adapted to rugged, rocky slopes and are easily recognized b...

Quick facts

Classification: Mammal**Family:** Bovidae**Habitat:** Mountainous tundra and alpine meadows**Diet:** Herbivore**Conservation status:** Least Concern**Lifespan:** 10-16 years**Weight:** 70-110 kg (154-243 lbs)**Scientific name:** *Ovis dalli*

Did you know?

- Dall sheep's horns can weigh up to 15 kg (33 lbs), which is more than the weight of all their bones combined!
- Dall sheep are excellent climbers and use precipitous cliffs to escape predators. Their horns grow continuously throughout their lives, forming disti...

What I learned
