

Animal Fact Sheet

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Hawaiian bobtail squid

Euprymna scolopes

The Hawaiian bobtail squid is a small, nocturnal cephalopod native to the shallow coastal waters around the Hawaiian Islands. This species is renowned for its symbiotic relationship with bioluminescence...

Quick facts

Classification: Invertebrate

Family: Sepiolidae

Habitat: Shallow coastal waters

Diet: Carnivore

Conservation status: Least Concern

Lifespan: 3-10 months

Weight: 2-5 grams

Scientific name: *Euprymna scolopes*

Did you know?

- This squid can regulate the amount of light it emits by controlling the population of its symbiotic bacteria daily.
- Hawaiian bobtail squid are famous for their ability to glow in the dark, thanks to the bacteria living inside a special light organ. They are frequen...

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