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# Animal Fact Sheet

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# Marine Otter

*Lontra felina*

The Marine Otter is a small, elusive otter species native to the rocky coastal regions of South America, particularly along the Pacific shores of Chile and Peru. Adapted to life in the marine environ…

## Quick facts

**Classification:** Mammal
**Family:** Mustelidae
**Habitat:** Rocky marine coastlines
**Diet:** Carnivore
**Conservation status:** Endangered
**Lifespan:** 10-15 years
**Weight:** 3-5 kg
**Scientific name:** Lontra felina

## Did you know?

- Despite living in the ocean, Marine Otters never venture far from shore, often staying within 30 meters of the coastline.
- Marine Otters are the only otter species that live almost exclusively in marine environments. They are known for their playful behavior, often seen s…

## What I learned

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