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Animal Fact Sheet

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Wandering Sea Hare

Aplysia brasiliana

The wandering sea hare is a large marine mollusk known for its soft, elongated body and wing-like flaps called parapodia. Typically olive green to reddish-brown in color, it can reach lengths of up t…

Quick facts

Classification: Invertebrate
Family: Aplysiidae
Habitat: Shallow coastal waters, seagrass beds, and rocky substrates
Diet: Herbivore
Conservation status: Least Concern
Lifespan: 1-2 years
Weight: 100-400 grams
Scientific name: Aplysia brasiliana

Did you know?

- The wandering sea hare is a simultaneous hermaphrodite, meaning it possesses both male and female reproductive organs and can mate with any mature in…
- Wandering sea hares can rapidly change their coloration to blend in with their surroundings. Despite their name, they are not true hares but are so n…

What I learned

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