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Animal Fact Sheet

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White-spotted jellyfish

Phyllorhiza punctata

The White-spotted jellyfish is a large, visually striking jellyfish known for its translucent bell adorned with distinctive white spots. Native to the southwestern Pacific region, particularly around…

Quick facts

Classification: Invertebrate
Family: Mastigiidae
Habitat: Coastal and estuarine waters
Diet: Omnivore
Conservation status: Least Concern
Lifespan: 1-2 years
Weight: Up to 2.5 kg (5.5 lbs)
Scientific name: Phyllorhiza punctata

Did you know?

- Despite their size and appearance, White-spotted jellyfish have a very mild sting and are almost harmless to humans.
- White-spotted jellyfish can filter up to 50 cubic meters of seawater per day. This species is known to form large blooms, sometimes consisting of tho…

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