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India's Wildlife History
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The ideology of conservation in India today faces a crisis. Nature lovers, photographers, tourists continue to flock to the National Parks, hoping to see tigers in Ranthambor, lions in the Gir forests, and rare birds in Bharatpur. But smugglers and poachers, supported by politicians and business interests, sheltered by local communities, raid the protected forests for valuable exports. This tract traces the roots of such problems to the very ideology of conservation in India, and discusses its historical and conceptual basis.

Concepts In Wildlife Management 3Rd Revised And Enlarged Edn PHI Learning Pvt. Ltd.

A fully updated edition of the bestselling guide to the mammals of India. Covering the rich diversity of mammal species in India, from tigers, elephants, rhinoceros and whales to primates, rodents and bats, *Indian Mammals* is field-ready, illustrated and

comprehensive in approach. Rigorously researched, *Indian Mammals* reflects a lifetime's work by Vivek Menon, one of India's leading authorities on Indian wildlife. Planned for easy reference, this compact guide is the essential resource for wildlifers of any age, including animal watchers, eco-tourists and active conservationists. * More than 440 species of both terrestrial and aquatic mammals with introductory pages on each order * Describes key identification features, biometrics, behaviour, social strategies, habitat and distribution * Over 1,000 carefully curated photographs and supplementary illustrations * 140-plus updated distribution maps * Colour tabs for sections to facilitate ease of use * Live-action field notes from the author
Indian Hotspots Springer
his book attempts to cover the whole gamut of wildlife in India portraying its different dimensions and conservation. Comprising thirteen chapters, the book is enriched with principles, theories, methods and tools of wildlife study, latest findings in Indian

perspective including supportive data, and photographs of wildlife species in their natural habitat inclusive of colour plates. The chapters on 'Wildlife tools and techniques', 'Special wildlife management programmes' and 'Wildlife legislations and initiatives' will certainly attract special attention of the readers. The students who wish to pursue career in wildlife biology will be benefited with the book as it provides comprehensive understanding of the common field methods in wildlife research. The present text is a pioneer effort of the authors to fulfill the course requirement of undergraduate and postgraduate students of wildlife biology and zoology. The book will be equally valuable for the wildlife conservationists, academicians and those who are actively engaged in wildlife research.

Sacred Animals of India
Penguin UK

A comprehensive and user-friendly photographic field guide covering more than 1,000 birds, mammals, insects, reptiles, and plants. The Indian subcontinent is exceptionally rich in wildlife because of its

wide variety of habitats and climates, ranging from the ocean to the Himalayas and from the Rajasthan desert to Mawsynram in Meghalaya, one of the wettest places on earth. This diversity supports a huge range of charismatic species, from the iconic Tiger to Clouded Leopards, crocodiles to King Cobras, hornbills to eagles. Covering these animals and many others, as well as trees and flowers, this color photographic field guide describes and illustrates more than 1,000 species from all over India, including the Andaman and Nicobar islands. The guide begins with an overview of India's climate and geography, its wildlife habitats and how to enjoy them, and threats to wildlife. The main part of the book includes concise species descriptions of 770 birds, 114 mammals, 72 butterflies and other insects, 54 reptiles, and 54 plants, each accompanied by a photograph. The book concludes with a section on wildlife-watching in the national parks and wildlife sanctuaries, which offer the best chance of seeing many of the species described. Describes and illustrates more than

1,000 species from all across India—including some 770 birds, 114 mammals, 72 butterflies and other insects, 54 reptiles, and 54 plants. Features more than 1,000 color photographs. Includes a guide to national parks and wildlife sanctuaries and the key species to be seen there. *Wildlife of India* Princeton University Press. This book on "Wild Animals Of India" has been written with a motive to provide information at a glance to the readers interested in wildlife. The animals chosen for the study were of greater interest because they have been declared endangered, critically endangered, vulnerable or priority species in the IUCN Red data book and most of the species are included as course material at undergraduate and post graduate levels in Indian Universities. Hence, this is an endeavour to create awareness among the student community on Wild Life Biology. Efforts have been made to acquaint the readers with geographical distribution, habit, habitat, reproductive behavior and conservation measures of the animals.

The Wild Animals Of

India Hachette India

This book, written in the late 1970s by Shri R.S. Dharmakumarsinji, is a unique record of observations on wildlife spanning more than five decades. The stories in this collection are told from both the shikari's and the naturalist's point of view, providing a glimpse into Indian wildlife of the not-so-distant past. Containing a lifsketch of the author and a select bibliography, this edition is essential reading for all interested in wildlife and conservation.

The Wild Life of India

Anchor Academic Publishing

Contains brief essays on forty-four national parks and sanctuaries in India, exploring the wildlife and habitat of the reserves. Special features include a fact file containing additional information on each of the forty-four reserves.

Wildlife Of India Penguin

Random House India

This is the third edition of the standard reference work on India's more common mammals. Based on the observations of the naturalists and sportsmen who have contributed to the journal of the Bombay Natural History Society for over a century, the book

describes and illustrates the habitat, characteristics, distribution, and other details of twenty-three different types of mammal. The comprehensive illustrations include 28 full colour plates depicting 141 species, by the distinguished artist M. Paul Barruel. There are also 40 black-and-white plates, and a 2-page colour map of India showing climatic forest types and the distribution of geographical races of the Indian Giant Squirrel. This is a book for anyone interested in Indian animals, at whatever level.

Wildlife of India Orient Blackswan

The Sole Purpose Of These Articles Is To Create An Awareness Among The People For The Preservation Of Wild Life-So Varied And Colourful-Which, Due To The Increasing Effects Of Urbanisation-The Conquest Of Forests And Waste Lands, The Radical Improvements In The Methods Of Rapidity Of Transport, Has Faced The Threat Of Extinction Of Total Annihilation During The Past. The Articles In The Book Are Highly Informative So As To Cover The Shape, Size,

Colour, Food, Habits And Other Distinctive Features Of The Mammals Of The Various Orders Of The Indian Empire. The Book Is Divided Into Four Parts: Part I & II Deal With Ungulates Or Hoofed Animals (Both Even-Toed And Odd-Toed) And Part III & IV Deal With Carnivora Or Beasts Of Prey. The Series Of Articles Are Replete With A Vein Of Critical And Searching Inquiry To Analyse And Examine The Physical Environment, Climatic Conditions And Vegetation Conducive To The Growth Of The Different Species Of Wild Life In The Various Regions Of The Country. Thus The Book Makes The People Alive To The Vast Treasures Stored In The Kingdom Of Animals Whose Existence Is Essential From The Ecological And Utilitarian Point Of View. This Book Will Be Beneficial To Lovers Of Nature, Agriculturists, Tourists And Visitors, Students Of Nature Study. The Forest Departments Of Provinces Will Also Find The Book Profitable For Formulating The Future Policies For The Preservation Of Wild Life In The Sanctuaries Or In The National Parks. Chapter 1: Introduction, Chapter 2: The Distribution Of Mammals,

Chapter 3: Ungulates Or Hoofed Animals: (A) Artiodactyla Or Even-Toed Ungulates, (B) Perissodactyla (Odd-Toed Ungulates), (C) Proboscidea (Elephants), Chapter 4: Carnivora Or Beasts Of Prey, (A) Eluroidea (Cat Section).

Indian Hotspots

Partridge Publishing Megadiversity is a much less discussed subject than biodiversity of the present day in India in the fields of flora and fauna. This term and another term Hot Spots have recently been used by World Bank and other World bodies for species diversity and endemism in the World's selected few rich floral and faunal zones. Two spots identified as Megadiversity and Hot Spots in India are North-eastern Himalayas and Western Ghat. But India as whole has been marked a megadiversity area. 11 other megadiversity zones are Mexico, Peru, Colombia, Ecuador, Brazil, Zaire, Madagascar, China, Indonesia, Australia and Malaysia. Indian people of today are not yet very much conscious and concerned about biodiversity loss and degradation of entire ecosystem. The authors

have brought into the sphere of discussions the correlation of the terms megadiversity (biodiversity) with conservation, sustainability, ecodevelopment and Protected Area concerning the north-eastern Indian states. They have also collated various definitions, concepts and values of Megadiversity (biodiversity) and presented them in charts and critical notes to make the subject perceptible to common readers. To highlight the megadiversity (biodiversity) rich resources and loss due to biotic impacts the authors have chosen the floral groups, medicinal plants and faunal groups of birds, fish, mammals, reptiles, lizards and amphibia for analysis on a broad base. In support to their findings they have adequate data, charts to nullify the much bloated other floral and faunal resources. As the conservation need is urgent in the face of depletion India needs a well designed strategy to protect these resources. During the exercise the authors have referred to the Herculean efforts of the Government of India how on war footing they

have been trying to save these resources from depletion. Hope this work will open up new vista on the status of our resources of flora and fauna, their present threats and action plan for conservation.

Megadiversity Conservation Springer Science & Business Media The Book Focuses On Key Landmarks In The History Of Indian Wildlife - Both Its Conservation And Decline. Chapters On The Ancient And Medieval Periods Sketch Out India`S Early Wildlife History. Nature`S Retreat Against Human Onslaught Over The Past Two Centuries, And Efforts To Reverse That Trend, Are Addressed In Detail. The Past Can Seve As A Guide To Options For The Present. It Can Reveal Strategies For A Future In Which Wildlife And People Coexist. This Book Ends By Looking Ahead And Identifies Workable Ways To Conserve India`S Vanishing Wildlife.

Wildlife Wealth of India Springer

These poems on wildlife of India are written to make you fall and rise in love with Indian wildlife.

Wild Animals Of India

Daya Books

Rare Animals of India is a unique book that presents

the biological and ecological accounts of the least known animal species of India in one comprehensive volume. The book gives comprehensive ecological accounts supported with data tables on rare and specific animal species of India and discusses the basis for their rarity and their conservation. It includes information about the Indian Gharial (*Gavialis gangeticus*) the endangered Forest Owlet (*Heteroglaux blewitti*), the Bengal Marsh Mongoose, Snow Leopards and many more. Readers are guided through several chapters each detailing a specific kind of animal, some of them being on the list of endangered species. With over 150 color illustrations, this intriguing reference will be of immense interest to zoologists, ecologists, naturalists and conservation biologists as well as general readers across the world interested in studying such rare animals found in the length and breadth of the Indian region.

Traveller`s Guide Wildlife Of India Bentham Science Publishers

This book tells the survival stories of ten of India`s rarest animals. A few have made truly

heroic comebacks from the very brink of extinction; others have not been so lucky and are spiralling to their almost inevitable doom. The Asiatic Lion | The Great Indian Bustard | The Blackbuck | The Vulture | The Rhino | The Hoolock Gibbon | The Forest Owlet | The Gharial | The Lion-tailed Macaque | The River Dolphin Conservation writer and award-winning novelist, Ranjit Lal writes an engrossing account of how human callousness has driven so many beautiful animals and birds out of their natural habitats.

Wild Animals in Central India Daya Books

This guide contains photographs and descriptions of 140 species you are likely to encounter either on a holiday or journey around India. Although the country is perhaps best known for the tiger or the Indian elephant, many other mammals, birds, reptiles, invertebrates, trees and shrubs are also included. In addition, there is information on India's history, climate, conservation, culture, finding and observing wildlife, and a section on the country's national parks.

Indian Wildlife Through

Poems Orient Blackswan
Can a populous country like India 'afford' to protect wildlife? Is there space for wildlife in a land-scarce, densely populated country, and can wild animals and people coexist, or is the relationship inevitably confrontational? Is conservation and protecting the flora and fauna a hindrance to the growth agenda? Is development inimical to ecological security? The *Vanishing* explores such burning issues that confront wildlife conservation today.

Megadiversity

Conservation Daya Books

This book describes the outstanding features of the ecology and biogeography of the Indian region, comprising former British India, Nepal, Bhutan, Ceylon and Burma. It summarizes the results of nearly four decades' studies and field explorations and discussions with students on the distribution of plants and animals, practically throughout this vast area and on the underlying factors. A number of specialists in geology, meteorology, botany, zoology, ecology and anthropology have also actively collaborated with me and have

contributed valuable chapters in their respective fields. India has an exceptionally rich and highly diversified flora and fauna, exhibiting complex composition, character and affinities. Although the fauna of the Indian region as a whole is less completely known than its flora, we are nevertheless fairly well acquainted with at least the salient features of its faunal characters to enable us to present a meaningful discussion on some of the outstanding peculiarities of the biogeography of India. A general synthesis of the available, though much scattered, information should prove useful to future students of biogeography throughout the world.

Endemic Vascular Plants

of India London : Collins

This book offers a comprehensive account of India's four biodiversity hotspots: the Himalaya, Indo-Burma, Western Ghats and Sri Lanka and Andaman and Nicobar Islands. With a focus on tropical rainforests, it includes more than 30 chapters covering different vertebrate fauna e.g. fishes, amphibians, reptiles, birds, and mammals, as well as topics such as

conservation and management aspects. Written by experts in the field of biodiversity conservation and management, it offers ample new insights into a number of subjects related to the faunal communities of tropical forest ecosystems, providing a valuable resource for conservationists and researchers in the field of flora and fauna diversity. *People, Parks, and Wildlife* Penguin Random House India Private Limited Public awareness about rich wildlife heritage of our country, the factors

affecting the survival of the species and an understanding of how we can contribute to their well being are the keys to successful conservation. The edition provides basic information on the rare and endangered animals of India and their conservation. *The Reptile Fauna of India* This book offers a comprehensive account of India's four biodiversity hotspots: the Himalaya, Indo-Burma, Western Ghats and Sri Lanka and Andaman and Nicobar Islands. With a focus on tropical rainforests, it includes more than 30

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