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LEVEL.3 - READING

Use the words in the boxes correctly to complete the text.

survive	species	population	ecosystems
quantity	diverse	stable	

Many people think that deserts are empty places devoid of all life. This is actually not true. Like all other places on earth, deserts too have unique 1. _____ which support 2. _____ plants and animals . We can find different 3 _____ of animals and insects like camels, foxes, gazelles, scorpions and beetles in a desert. Most of these animals can 4. _____ without water for long periods of time. Camels can store a large 5. _____ of water in their bodies and use it when water is not available.

(Biju C Thomas)