

Kingdom: Animalia

Class: Mammalia

Species: Orca

Family: Delphinidae

Phylum: Chordata

Genus: Orcinus

Order: Cetacea

Organisms able to move around and get energy from another living thing

Organisms that have a backbone

Organisms that give birth to live young and drink milk from their mothers

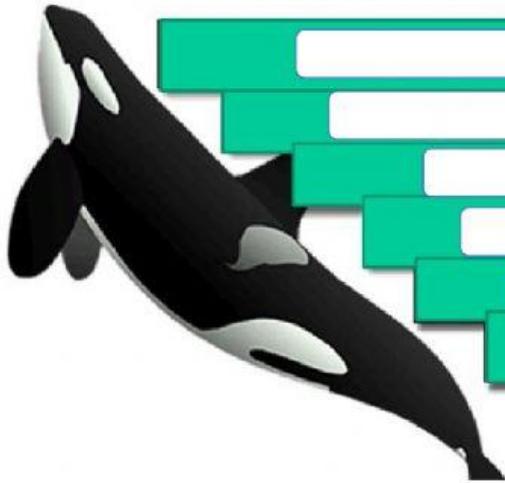
The orca or killer whale is a toothed whale belonging to the oceanic dolphin family.

Delphinidae are generally fast, streamlined animals with a pronounced beak, or rostrum.

Cetaceans: Group of marine mammals that includes whales, dolphins.

Orcinus is a genus of Delphinidae, the family of carnivorous marine mammals known as dolphins.

Levels of Taxonomy



Characteristics of each level