

**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


