



Comparative and Superlative

Read the following information about animals and complete the sentences (comparative or superlative).



ELEPHANT

Lifespan: 60-70 years

Age: 37 years old

Weight: 7 000 kg

Length: 7.5 metros

Population: 1.3 million

Characteristics:

intelligent, sensitive, wild, sociable, friendly, with a good memory.



HIPPOPOTAMUS

Lifespan: 80-100 years

Age: 10 years old

Weight: 500 kg

Length: 4.2 metros

Population: 300 000

Characteristics:

aggressive, unfriendly, wild, lonely, a good swimmer.



LION

Lifespan: 25-30 years

Age: 18 years old

Weight: 250 kg

Length: 2 metros

Population: 21 000

Characteristics:

adventurous, fast, wild, proud, a good hunter, strong.

COMPARATIVE

- Lions have a _____ (short) lifespan than elephants.
- Elephants live _____ (long) than lions.
- Elephants are _____ (intelligent) than hippopotamus.

SUPERLATIVE

- The elephant is _____ (big) of the three.
- The lion is _____ (light).
- The elephant is _____ (heavy).
- The hippopotamus is _____ (young).



- d) Lions are _____ (good) hunters
than hippopotamus.
- e) The hippopotamus in the picture is
_____ (young) than the elephant.
- f) The elephant is _____ (sociable)
than the hippopotamus.
- g) The hippopotamus has a _____
(bad) memory than elephant.

- e) The lion is _____ (proud).
- f) The hippopotamus has _____
(long) lifespan.
- g) The elephant is _____ (young).