Animal Couples

The females of some animals have distinct names, while some of them are known by the same name. **Hen** and **cock** are the names used for female and male chickens respectively, whereas the crow and the sparrow are known by their common names.

Match the following animal couples :

Male	Female
1 Bull	a Mare
2 Lion	b Ewe
3 Stallion	c Peahen
4 Dog	d Doe
5 Sheep	e Vixen
6 Stag	f Cow
7 Peacock	g Goose
8 Fox	h Sow
9 Gander	i Bitch
10 Boar	j Lioness

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Seahorses are monogamous and mate for life. Rarer still, they are among the only animal species on earth in which the male bears the unborn young. The male seahorse carries the eggs in his pouch until they hatch, then releases fully formed, miniature seahorses into the water. As little as 5 or as many as 1,500 young ones can be born.

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