

# CRABS



Q1. How many species of crabs are there?

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Q2. What do crabs have to do as they grow?

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Q3. What is it called when crabs shed their exoskeletons?

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Q4. Link each statement to the answer. One has been done for you.

Crabs are closely related to...	5.5 metres
Most crabs walk...	sideways
Crabs are...	in snail shells when they are young
The size of the world's biggest crab is...	lobsters, shrimps, woodlice and insects
Decorator crabs...	cover their shells with plants and animals
Coconut crabs live...	omnivorous



**Q5.** What do crabs eat?

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**Q6.** How do crabs help to keep the oceans clean?

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**Q7.** Find four words which are contracted, then write them below.

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**Q8.** Tick three statements that are correct.

Crabs belong to a big group of animals called crustaceans.

A decorator crab covers its shell with plants and animals.

All crabs recycle their shells.

Crabs moult their exoskeletons.

