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(plural: dolphins | dol-fin | 'dɒl fɪn)

The Dolphin (Delphinus) is a carnivorous mammal and a member of the Artiodactyla family. Dolphins are considered one of the world's most intelligent and highly social animals. Dolphins will often live in groups, known as pods, made up of dozens of males, known as boars and females, known as cows. Dolphins typically feed on fish and squid. Male dolphins will typically mate with multiple females every year; however, female dolphins will only mate every two to three years. Young dolphins are known as calves, and the dolphin's distinctive colour helps them conceal themselves from predators.

Interesting Fact: Dolphins are known to engage in same-sex relationships and behaviours, typically displaying bisexual attributes. There are reports of Amazon Dolphins engaging in sexual activity in groups of three to five, mainly made up of young males.

