

BIG PREDATORS IN POLAND

Hunting lynxes, bears and wolves, and destroying their habitats has almost caused their disappearance. We are building more and more roads and settlements, so forests are divided into smaller areas where these animals can hardly survive. Another problem is poaching and excessive shooting of deer which are their natural nutrient.

Despite the fact that the predators are protected, the number of them is not increasing. In Poland there are only about 200 lynxes, 600 wolves and 90 bears.

There are a lot of organizations which take care of big predators. One of them is WWF (World Wide Fund for Nature). The protection of the lynx, the bear and the wolf focuses on instructing tourists how to behave in forests and on mountain trails. WWF provides farmers with special equipment deterring the predators from attacking their livestock.

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