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Lion

<u>Group:</u>	mammal
<u>Order:</u>	<i>Carnivora</i>
<u>Height:</u>	to the shoulder 1.3 meters (4 feet)
<u>Weight:</u>	150-250 kilograms (330-550 pounds)
<u>Type of feeder:</u>	meat eater (carnivore)
<u>Food:</u>	animals: zebra, buffalo, giraffe
<u>Where it lives:</u>	Africa
<u>Number of young:</u>	1 to 4
<u>Lifespan:</u>	16 years
<u>Other facts:</u>	The lion is known as “king of the animals” because of its great strength. The female is the hunter; the male protects the territory.

