

Resource Summary Report

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EOL - Encyclopedia of Life

RRID:SCR_005905

Type: Tool

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Resource Information

URL: <http://eol.org/>

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Description: Database that gathers, generates, and shares taxa, images, videos, and sounds to freely provide knowledge about life on earth to increase awareness and understanding of living nature. Free EOL memberships are ranked so members have greater authority and editorial abilities based on their level of expertise.

Abbreviations: EOL

Synonyms: Encyclopedia of Life

Resource Type: database, data or information resource, portal

Defining Citation: [PMID:24891832](#)

Keywords: life, encyclopedia, environmental sciences, ecology, ecological survey, life sciences, specie, species diversity, diversity, taxon, image, video, audio, FASEB list

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Ratings and Alerts

No rating or validation information has been found for EOL - Encyclopedia of Life.

No alerts have been found for EOL - Encyclopedia of Life.

Data and Source Information

Source: [SciCrunch Registry](#)

Usage and Citation Metrics

We found 151 mentions in open access literature.

Listed below are recent publications. The full list is available at [SPARC SAWG](#) .

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