

Desert Food Web Game Cards

HUMAN WILD CARD

You are a human. You eat jack rabbits and cottontail rabbits, desert tortoise, kingsnakes, rattlesnakes, chuckwallas and desert spiny lizards, mesquite beans, Indian rice grass, prickly pear cactus, and Mojave yuccas.

Intelligence: 6
Speed: 2
Strength: 7

GLOBAL WARMING Wildcard RED BROME GRASS

You are a population of the invasive red brome grass. The desert climate is changing and you are well-adapted! You are thriving while native plants are dying off!



JACKRABBITS

You are two jack rabbits or cottontail rabbits. You eat Indian rice grass, mesquite trees, and prickly pear cactus.

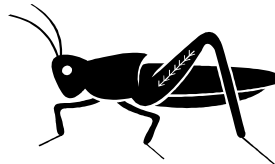


Speed: 3
Strength: 1

INSECTS

You are 4 grasshoppers or cicadas. You eat Indian rice grass, prickly pear cactus, and mesquite trees.

Strength: 1



MESQUITE TREE

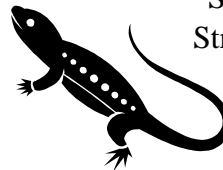
Each time an animal eats you, you gain $\frac{1}{2}$ of a strength point.



LIZARDS

You are 2 chuckwallas or desert spiny lizards. You eat insects (cicadas and grasshoppers) and prickly pear cacti flowers.

Speed: 1
Strength: 1



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COYOTE

You eat desert tortoise, jack rabbits, sick bighorn sheep, antelope ground squirrels, lizards, and mesquite tree beans.

Intelligence: 4

Speed: 4

Strength: 5



GREATER ROADRUNNER

You eat rattlesnakes, kingsnakes, desert spiny lizards, and chuckwallas.

Intelligence: 2

Speed: 4

Strength: 6



FOX

You eat cottontail rabbits, wood rats, kangaroo rats, mesquite tree beans, and antelope ground squirrels.

Intelligence: 5

Speed: 4

Strength: 4



SICK BIGHORN SHEEP

You eat prickly pear cacti, Mojave yuccas, and Indian rice grass.

Intelligence: 1

Speed: 1

Strength: 2



KANGAROO RATS

You are 4 Kangaroo rats! You eat seeds from Indian rice grass, Mojave yuccas, and mesquite beans.

Speed: 2

Strength: 1



WOOD RATS

You are 4 wood rats! You eat prickly pear cactus pads, Mojave yucca seeds, and mesquite beans.

Speed: 2

Strength: 1



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DESERT TORTOISE

You eat prickly pear cactus pads, Indian rice grass, mesquite tree flowers.

Intelligence: 5

Speed: 1

Defense Strength (hard shell): 10



BIGHORN SHEEP

You eat prickly pear cacti, Mojave yuccas, and Indian rice grass.

Intelligence: 3

Speed: 4

Strength: 7



ANTELOPE GROUND SQUIRREL

You are two antelope ground squirrels. You eat Indian rice grass seeds, prickly pear cactus, Mojave yucca.

Speed: 3

Strength: 1



TURKEY VULTURE

Turkey vultures eat kingsnakes, wood rats, kangaroo rats, lizards, cottontail rabbits, and antelope ground squirrels.

Intelligence: 3

Speed: 4

Strength: 6



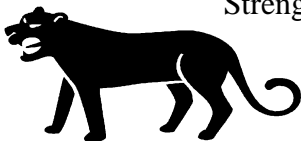
MOUNTAIN LION

You eat bighorn sheep, pronghorn, deer, jack rabbits, and humans (rarely).

Intelligence: 5

Speed: 5

Strength: 9



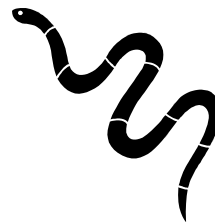
KINGSSNAKE

You eat rattlesnakes, wood rats, kangaroo rats, desert spiny lizards, and antelope ground squirrels.

Intelligence: 2

Speed: 4

Strength: 5



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INDIAN RICE GRASS

Each time an animal eats you, you gain ½ of a strength point.



MOJAVE RATTLESNAKE

Rattlesnakes eat wood rats, kangaroo rats, chuckwallas (lizards), and antelope ground squirrels.



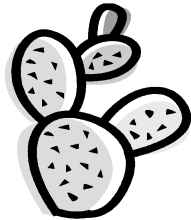
Intelligence: 2

Speed: 4

Defense Strength: 6

PRICKLY PEAR CACTUS MOJAVE YUCCA

Each time an animal eats you, you gain ½ of a strength point.



RED BROME GRASS TAMARISK TREE

IF an animal eats you, they will get sick. If they eat you a second time, the animal will not survive.



Make Your Own

You eat ...

Intelligence: ____

Speed: ____

Strength: ____

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You eat ...

Intelligence: ____

Speed: ____

Strength: ____