

White Rhino Becoming Rare

The white rhinoceros, the third largest of living animals, is rapidly decreasing in numbers. They haunt a small area on the Nile in Uganda, where there are wide expanses of papyrus swamps and intense heat. These huge mammals, noted for their shyness and their remarkably keen sense of smell, are not really white, but a pale, dust brown. The herd is thought to number only about 45 animals and is under government protection.
