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Vertebrates: *Fish*



Slime

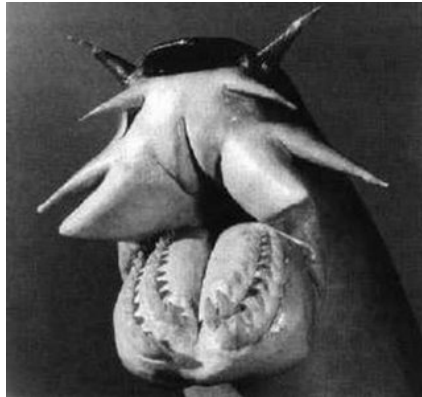
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1. This article is about slime eels. What are some other names for the slime eel?

2. What specific environment do slime eels inhabit? What do they eat?

3. Describe the *anatomy* (bodily structure) of the slime eel.

4. Slime eels do not have eyes. Why isn't this sensory organ necessary for their survival?



5. Drs. Heiser and Martini do not consider slime eels to be vertebrates. Why?

6. Slime eels get their name from the massive amounts of slime that they produce. What function does the slime perform?

7. What benefit do slime eels provide for humans?
