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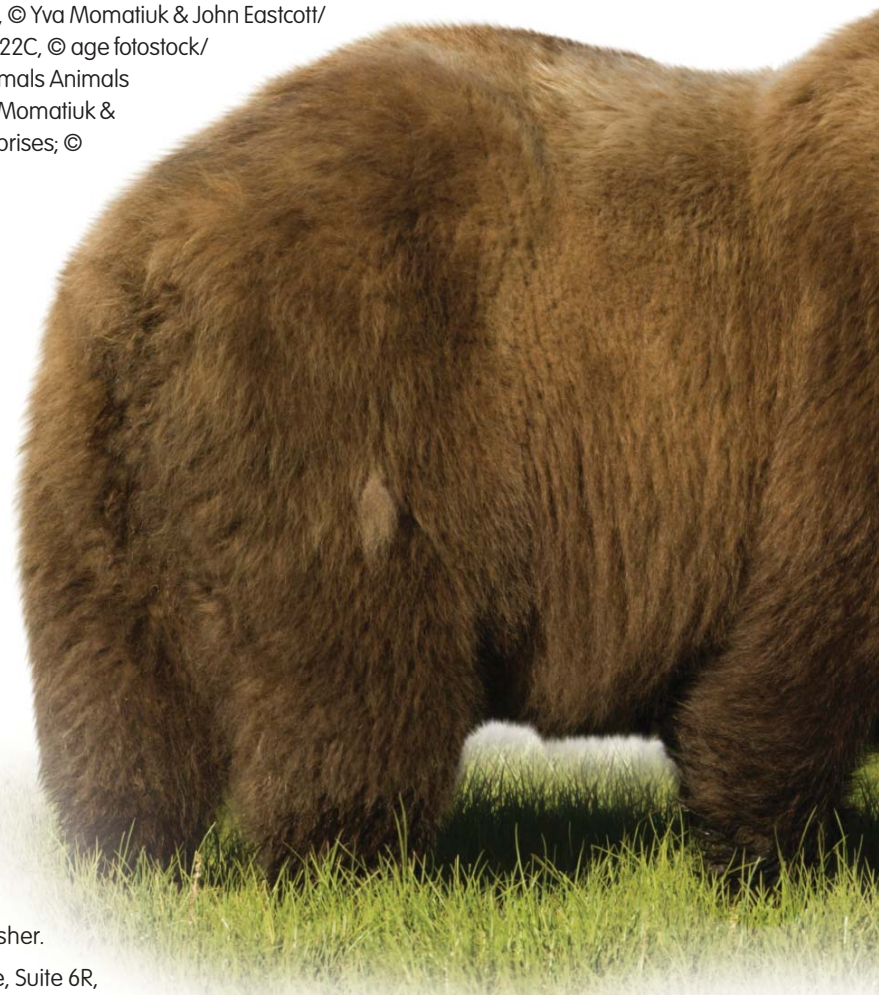
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# Beary Big

The brown bear is the biggest meat-eating animal on land.



An adult brown bear standing on its back legs is nearly as tall as a basketball hoop!



Brown bears can grow to stand about 9 feet (2.7 m) tall. They may weigh up to 1,500 pounds (680 kg). Males are bigger than females.



# An Outdoor Home

Brown bears live on mountains, in forests, and by rivers in parts of North America, Europe, and Asia.

During most of the year, they live outdoors and sleep on a bed of grass or leaves.

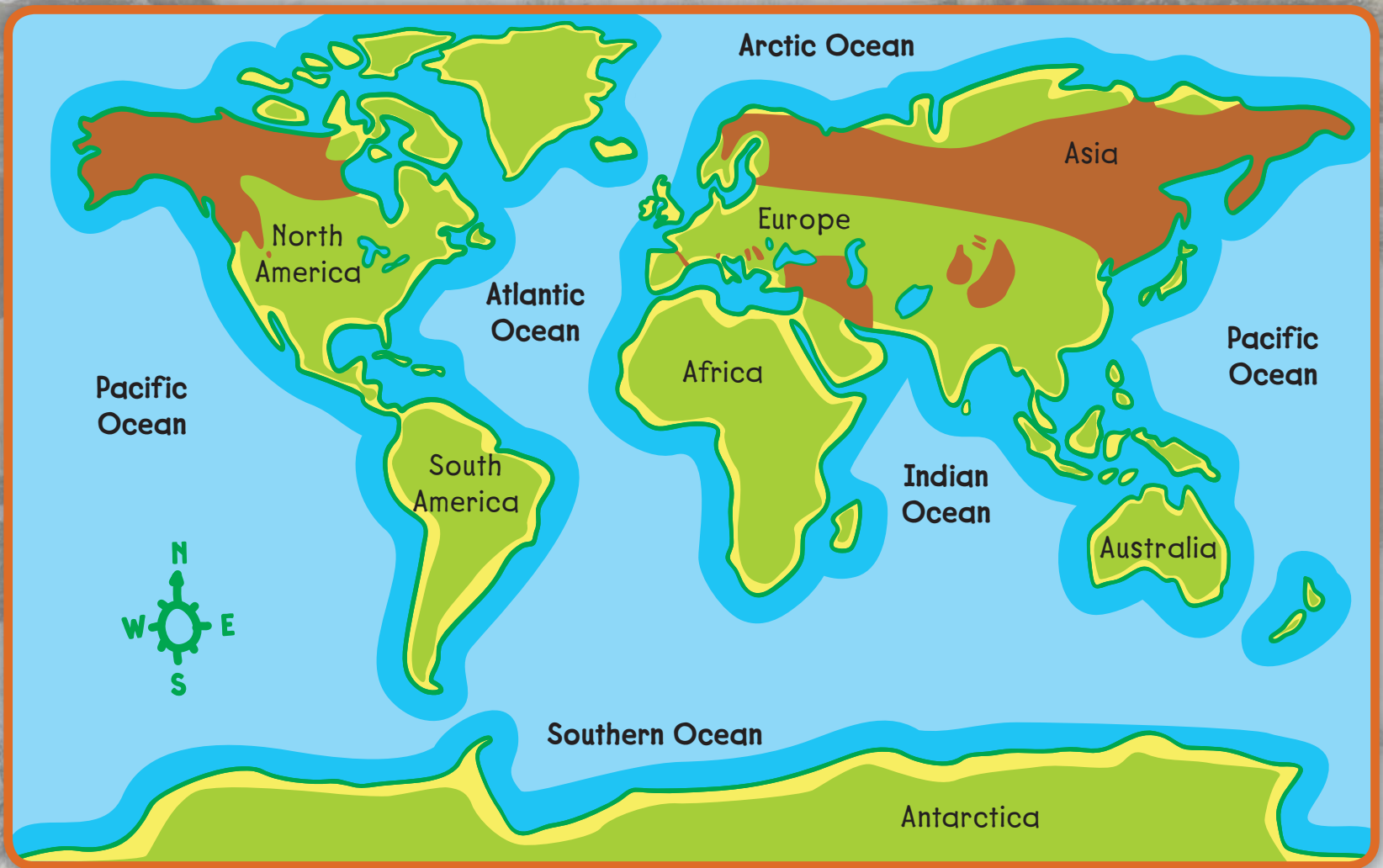
They usually make their homes where people don't live.



Most North American brown bears live in Alaska and Canada. Some, however, live in parts of Wyoming, Montana, Idaho, and Washington State.



# Brown Bears in the Wild



Where brown  
bears live

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### The Biggest Meat-eater on Land

Brown bears are huge! They can tip the scale at 1,500 pounds (680 kg), and when standing on their back legs, they can be up to 9 feet (2.7 m) tall. That's nearly as tall as a basketball hoop.

Look inside to learn more about the biggest meat-eater on land. Find out where it lives, how it hunts for food, and how it takes care of its young.

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