



Prairie Dogs A Wildlife Handbook Johnson Nature

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Johnson Books. Paperback. Book Condition: New. Paperback. 184 pages. Dimensions: 8.1in. x 5.4in. x 0.5in. A combination illustrated field guide, fact book, and folklore collection, *Prairie Dogs* is a unique and practical guide to these intriguing creatures and their social structure. Unlike other rodents, prairie dogs live in colonies and have long inspired humans with their complex social interactions. Up until the mid-1800s they were found in large numbers throughout most of the states west of the Mississippi, coexisting with buffalo and antelope on the broad plains. But farming, ranching, and urban sprawl have all contributed to a dramatic reduction in their numbers. For some species, they are now endangered. A detailed resource both for armchair naturalists and observers in the field, this concise handbook provides an accurate, informative portrait of prairie dogs and their natural surroundings. Included in this title are detailed guides to the behavior, biology, and ecological impact of the various species of prairie dogs. An important focus covers the interactions between family members and groups, a complex and sophisticated arrangement of bonds, communication, and support that helps these animals survive in harsh conditions. Also discussed is the equally complex relationship between prairie dogs and their predators, including...



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