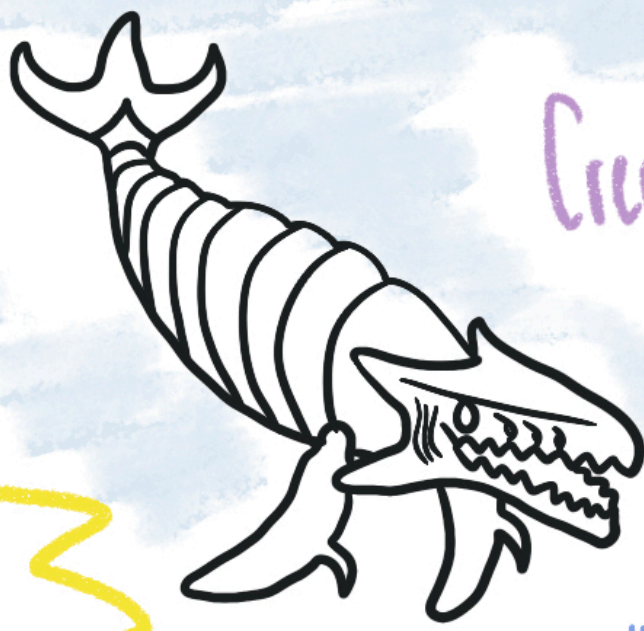


MISSING BODIES



Creatures act like predators

"in subnautica mind goes beyond horror and into terror"

You are alone

withholding information from player

terrifying glimpses

Keeps player guessing

↑
bioluminescences of creatures



Damage is low

No reward for killing

low

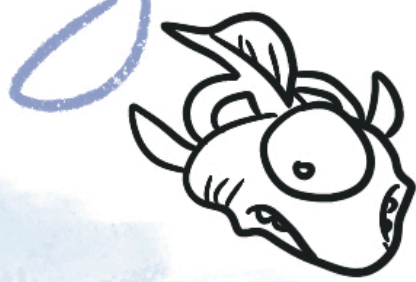
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VISIBILITY

SOUND

Reaper
Leviathan

↓
roars

↓
TERRIFIES



TERROR IN SUBNAUTICA

Idea of pure terror all in your head

TERROR

VS.

HORROR

suspense + threat
insidious in nature
happens in imagination

scaring + grossing out
primal + shocking
provide endorphine thrill
but cheap

↓
fear based elements

"expands the soul and awakens the faculties to a high degree"



"freezes and nearly annihilates them"