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SPECIESISM

*Fishing boats, aquaculture farms
and slaughterhouses kill
three billion animals every day
around the world.*

WoDES - World Day
for the End of Speciesism

The killings of animals for consumption are not seen as problematic in our culture because, unlike us humans, animals are not considered people.

However they are beings **endowed with subjectivity** and a personality of their own. They have interests, such as avoiding pain, living, feeling pleasure:

we say that they are sentient.



*Neglecting the interests of animals simply because they are not human is discrimination and is called **speciesism**.*

Using the criterion of species to discriminate against individuals is no more morally defensible than using 'race' or gender: it is an unjust and arbitrary criterion.

Animals are sentient and that's what matters.



So let's take the interests of sentient animals seriously and act together against speciesism!

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