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1. Stegosaurus means "roofed lizard."

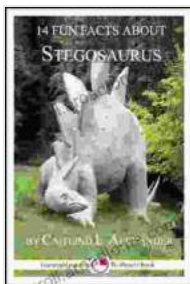
The name Stegosaurus comes from the Greek words "stego" (roof) and "saurus" (lizard). This name was given to the dinosaur because of the large plates on its back, which resembled a roof.

2. Stegosaurus lived during the Late Jurassic period.

Stegosaurus lived about 150 million years ago, during the Late Jurassic period. This period was characterized by a warm climate and lush vegetation.

3. Stegosaurus was one of the largest dinosaurs.

Stegosaurus was one of the largest dinosaurs, reaching lengths of up to 30 feet and weighing up to 4 tons. It was a herbivore, eating plants and ferns.



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4. Stegosaurus had a small brain.

Stegosaurus had a very small brain, about the size of a walnut. This small brain limited its intelligence, but it was still able to survive in its environment.

5. Stegosaurus had a long neck and tail.

Stegosaurus had a long neck and tail, which it used to reach food and defend itself from predators. Its neck was up to 10 feet long, and its tail was up to 20 feet long.

6. Stegosaurus had plates on its back.

The most distinctive feature of Stegosaurus was its plates on its back. These plates were made of bone and were up to 2 feet long. They served as a defense mechanism, protecting Stegosaurus from predators.

7. Stegosaurus had spikes on its tail.

In addition to its plates, Stegosaurus also had spikes on its tail. These spikes were made of bone and were up to 2 feet long. They were used to defend Stegosaurus from predators.

8. Stegosaurus lived in herds.

Stegosaurus lived in herds of up to 100 individuals. These herds helped to protect Stegosaurus from predators.

9. Stegosaurus was a herbivore.

Stegosaurus was a herbivore, eating plants and ferns. It had a large stomach, which allowed it to store food.

10. Stegosaurus was slow-moving.

Stegosaurus was a slow-moving dinosaur, reaching speeds of up to 10 miles per hour. This made it vulnerable to predators.

11. Stegosaurus was a solitary dinosaur.

Stegosaurus was a solitary dinosaur, except when it was breeding. It spent most of its time eating and sleeping.

12. Stegosaurus was a long-lived dinosaur.

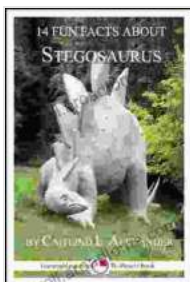
Stegosaurus lived for up to 20 years. This was a long lifespan for a dinosaur.

13. Stegosaurus was a successful dinosaur.

Stegosaurus was a successful dinosaur, surviving for over 100 million years. It was one of the most common dinosaurs of its time.

14. Stegosaurus is one of the most popular dinosaurs.

Stegosaurus is one of the most popular dinosaurs, thanks to its distinctive plates and spikes. It has been featured in numerous movies, TV shows, and books.



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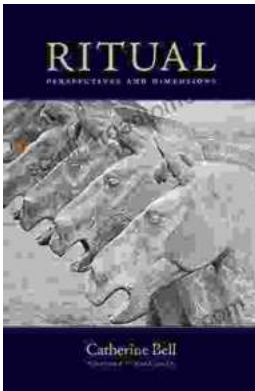
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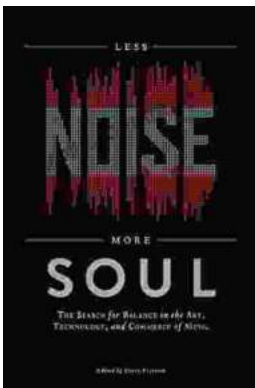
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