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Light Pollution

What is it?

Artificial light at night...
... which lights up the environment + creates 'sky glow'



Why is it a problem?

- Affects feeding, navigation, migration

- Direct light + sky glow affects wildlife

- Animals use moon + star light to navigate

- Obscures moon and stars

- Wastes energy


What can we do?

- Only use outdoor lights when needed

- Choose warmer colours
 
- For functional lighting: keep it directional
 

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