

Deadly and Dangerous Facts

Poison and venom aren't the same thing. Animals release poison when they are touched or swallowed. But animals inject venom with a bite or a sting.

The black widow spider doesn't just have deadly venom. It also spins silk that's as strong as steel, but it's six times lighter.

Think venom is always bad? Wrong! Scientists have made some powerful painkillers from the venom of the cone snail.

Sometimes the Brazilian wandering spider lifts its front legs and sways back and forth. But it doesn't want to dance—it's trying to warn its victims to back off!

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