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## Plant and Animal Partners



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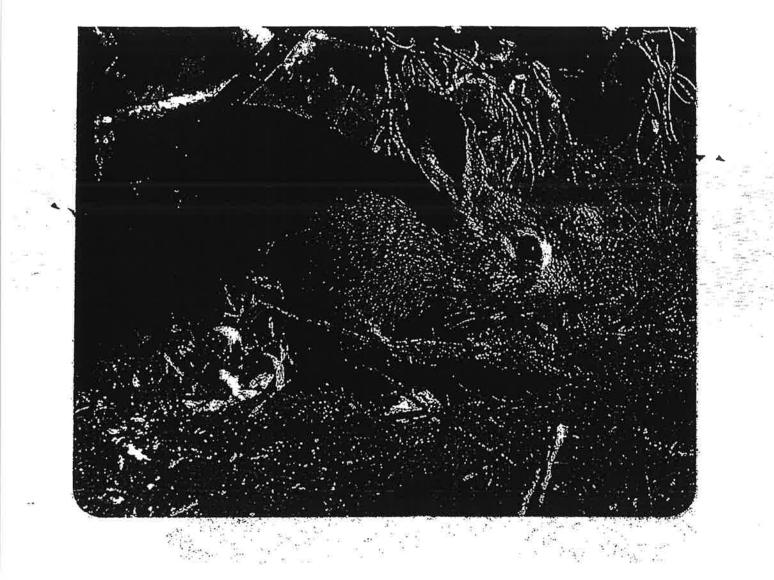
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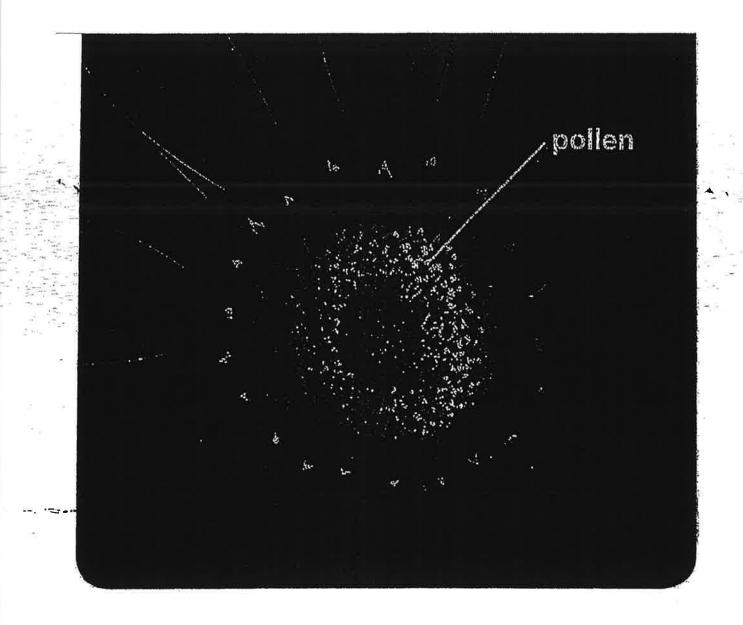
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Plants help keep animals safe.
A rabbit can hide in tall grass.
A bug can hide on a leaf.
A deer can hide near the trees in a forest.



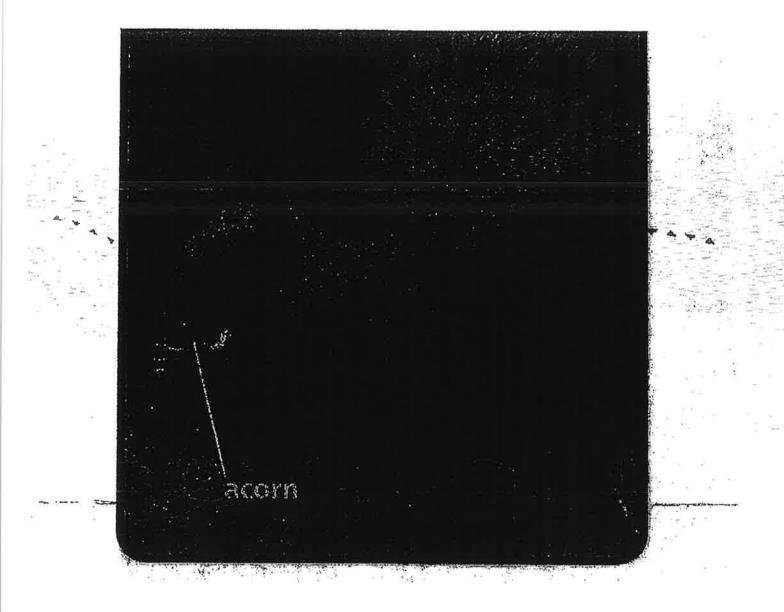
Plants also make food for animals. Some animals, such as sheep, eat only plants.
Plants give these animals all the food they need.



When bees take the sweet drink, they also take grains of pollen. They spread the pollen to other flowers.

Pollen helps the flowers make seeds.

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Squirrels dig holes for acorns.
They plan to come back
and eat them later.
Sometimes they forget!
Then the acorns grow into trees.

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