

Hidden pain

A new book, *Hidden: Animals in the Anthropocene* provides an unflinching look at our relationship with non-human animals in the 21st century, as depicted through the lenses of 40 award-winning photojournalists



■ A fisherman carries a shark at a market in Lombok, Indonesia, one of the largest exporters of shark fin to China. An estimated 100 million sharks are killed each year to satisfy global demand for shark fin, much of which is consumed as shark fin soup in Asian countries

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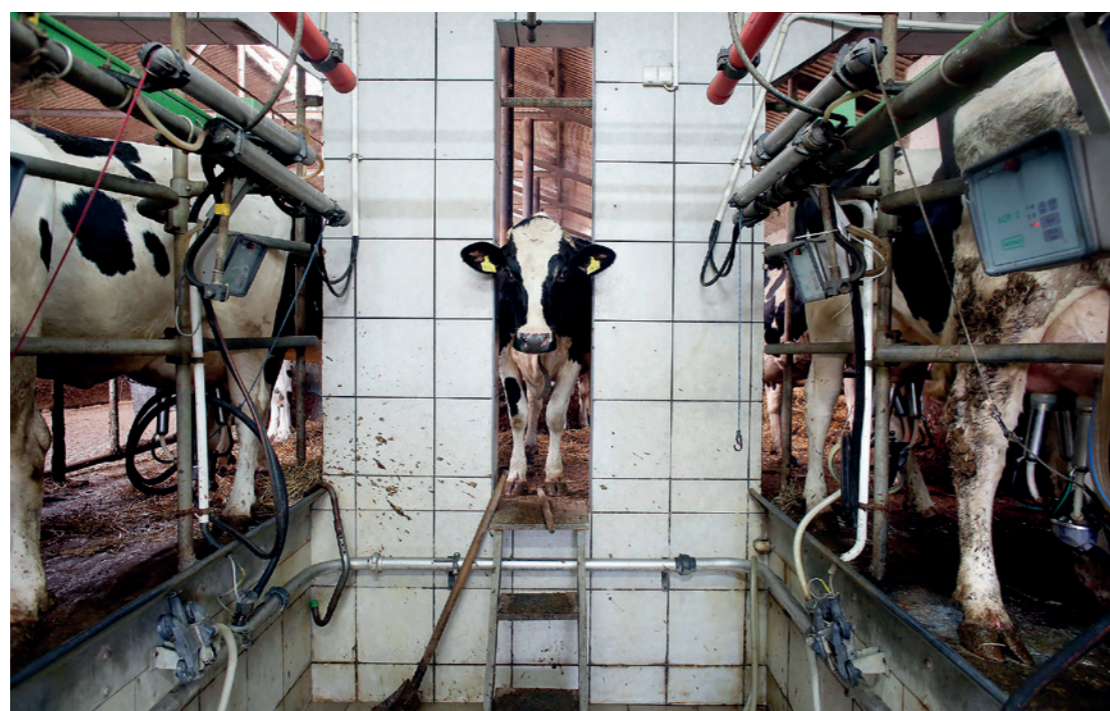


■ A sick pig left to die on the floor of a farm corridor in Finland. After chickens, pigs are the most popular land animal we eat, with approximately 1.5 billion slaughtered every year for food. That number does not include the hundreds of millions that have been killed in China alone following the first recorded outbreak of African Swine Fever there in 2018. KRISTO MUURIMAA



■ Tima the brown bear of the Gran Circo Holiday circus poses for a photo with children in Spain.
AITOR GARMENDIA

■ Steel barriers, concrete floors, tiled walls and push-button technology make up the habitat of the modern day dairy herd. Poland.
ANDREW SKOWRON



■ A caged fox on a fur farm in Poland, the world's third largest fur producer. The country recently voted to ban fur farming from 2021.
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■ A macaque performs in a popular street show in Jakarta, known locally as Topeng Monyet (Mask Monkey). Indonesia. **JOAN DE LA MALLA**

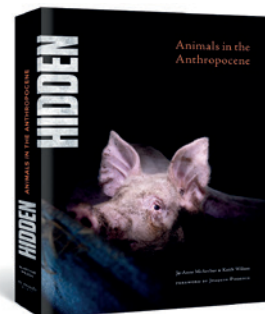




■ Who's next? At this dog slaughterhouse, a butcher chooses the dog he will beat to death with an iron bar while the other dogs look on. China. **JOSE VALLE**



■ Inglorious death. In the horse yard of the bullring in Azpeitia, a bull is hung by his hind leg to bleed out before being butchered at the local meat works. Spain. **AITOR GARMENDIA**



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