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GENTOO PENGUINS



It is easily identified by its white patch on the top of the head behind the eyes. Chicks have a gray back and white frontal area. Gentoo penguins are the fastest penguins underwater, reaching 36 km/h (22 mph).

Gentoo penguins nest on several sub-Antarctic islands. The main colonies are found on the Falkland Islands, South Georgia and Kerguelen; smaller populations are found on Macquarie Island, Heard Island, South Shetland Islands and the Antarctic Peninsula. The total breeding population is estimated at more than 300,000 pairs.

Two subspecies are recognized; the typical *Pygoscelis papua papua*, which is larger and sub-Antarctic, and *Pygoscelis papua elsworthi*, which is smaller and breeds from the South Shetland Islands to the Antarctic Peninsula.