**Octopus**

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| <p>To swim, an octopus stretches its body into a long, thin shape and shoots backwards through the water.</p> | To swim, an octopus stretches its \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ into a long, thin shape and shoots backwards through the water.  |
| <p>An octopus escapes from danger by squirting dark-colored ink. The ink hides the octopus while it slips away.</p> | An octopus escapes from danger by squirting dark-coloured \_\_\_\_\_\_\_. The ink hides the octopus while it slips away.  |
| <p>An octopus has eight wiggly arms called <vocabulary>tentacles.</vocabulary> Rows of strong suckers on the tentacles help an octopus grip rocks.</p> | An octopus has eight wiggly arms called \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Rows of strong \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ on the tentacles help an octopus grip rocks.  |
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