



A ten-armed embrace

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Duration: 13'

Versions:   

Format: HD

Perhaps its familiarity has prevented the cuttlefish from being the subject of intensive study. Actually, this animal still holds many mysteries. For example, we know it can change color very easily and that the various colors function as a kind of language. However, we have not yet been able to interpret the meaning of these colors. The documentary shows how the male courts the female and convinces it to mate. It also illustrates the care with which the male defends its companion from the scheming attentions of other admirers. Each phase of its behavior is accompanied by sudden changes on the color of its stripes.



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