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## **Report on a baleen whale stranded at Colaba, Mumbai**

The carcass of a baleen whale was washed ashore on the Pilot Bunder beach at Colaba, Mumbai at 11 P.M. on 14.02.06 in a highly putrefied condition. The carcass measured approximately 9.12 m and weighed about

15 tons.

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