

Poisonous animals 4.5 Jelly fish

## <u>Scientific name</u> : Scyphozoa

## Identification :

- 1. These fish are **bioluminescent** which means that they produce their light.
- 2. Their bodies may look complex due to the way they look but they are quite simple.
- Jellyfish have a smooth body with <u>tentacles that contain tiny cells that can be used</u> when they use their stinging capabilities.
- 4. They have no bones, brains, heart, or eyes. Their mouths are found in the center of their bodies.
- 5. They are usually about 0.5 to 16 inches and can grow up to 7 feet and usually weigh around 440 pounds.

**Nature of venom :** Hemolysins, DNAase, and histamine releasers have been identified in some venoms.