

Adding Taxonomic Synonyms

How to record a preferred local synonym to the ZIMS Taxonomic List and how it displays in Reports.

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ZIMS lets you add a preferred local synonym for both Common and Scientific Names. Go to Taxonomy > Details > Synonym > Add New.

1. Select Common or Scientific Name
2. Language is optional. ZIMS is available in English, Spanish, Russian and Japanese.
3. Enter the desired synonym.
4. You can add a Reference URL if you want.
5. If you want this Name to display in records and reports you will need to check the Preferred box.
6. Add any details that you want included.

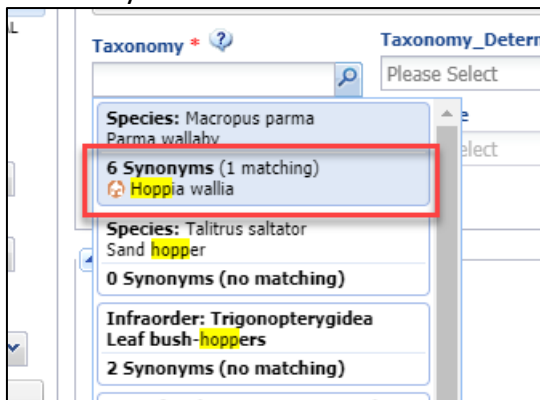
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The synonyms will display in the Synonym grid. The house icon indicates they were added locally and the Preferred check indicates these are your Preferred Names.

Synonym						
	Synonym Type	Language	Synonym	Reference URL	Preferred	Description
	Common Name	Russian	Белогрудый валлаби		✗	
	Common Name		Wallaby, White-fronted		✗	
	Common Name		Wallaby, Parma		✗	
	Scientific Name		MACROPUS PARMA		✗	
	Scientific Name	English	Hoplia wallia		✓	
	Common Name	English	Cute little wallaby		✓	Because they are cute

Both the new synonyms will appear in the dropdown lists for selection when searching for Taxonomy.




In the Basic Info grid, both your preferred synonyms and the globally recognized names will display.

Basic Info	
Individual	GAN: HSV19-00156 / Alive / Female
Local ID	[20/GREENVISC]
Preferred ID	20
Species	<div> Hoplia wallia Macropus parma </div> <div> Cute little wallaby Parma wallaby </div>
	IUCN: NT Studbooks: BIAZA, AZA
Birth Location	General Public
Birth Type	Captive Birth/Hatch
Birth / Age	Jul 01, 2019 / 4 Months
Current Collection	Main Institution Animal Collection
Current Enclosure	GREENVISC
Health Status	Define Status
Body Condition Score	Undetermined

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On Specimen Reports the globally recognized Scientific Name will display first, your local synonym Common Name and Scientific Name will follow.



Specimen Report

Species360 HSV19-00156 Local ID: GREENVISC / 20

GAN

Macropus parma Cute little wallaby Hoppia wallia

~~STUDBOOKS~~ ~~BIAZA, AZA~~

Order Diprotodontia Family Macropodidae

IUCN Near Threatened (NT) CITES

Start Date Jan 01, 1800 End Date Nov 01, 2019

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Basic Animal Information

Sex - Contraception Female -

Birthdate - Age Jul 01, 2019 - 0Y,4M,0D

Origin General Public

Birth Type Captive Birth/Hatch

Sire Undetermined

Current Collection Main Institution Animal Collection

Clutch / Litter

Status Alive

Preferred ID GREENVISC / 20

Rearing

Hybrid Status Not Hybrid

Dam Undetermined


Collection Trip

Enclosure GREENVISC

No Local Data Differences Found

Visit History

On Inventory Reports your local synonyms will display.



Detailed Inventory Report for

Mammalia/Mammals

Report Start Date Jan 01, 2019 Report End Date Nov 01, 2019

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Taxonomy	Beginning	Births	Acquisitions	Change	Deaths	Dispositions	Ending Status
<i>Monodelphis domestica</i>	IUCN: Least Concern (LC)						Grey short-tailed opossum
Owned And Onsite	0.2.0	0.0.0	0.0.0	0	0.0.0	0.0.0	0.2.0
<i>Hoppia wallia</i>	IUCN: Near Threatened (NT)						Cute little wallaby
Owned And Onsite	0.0.0	0.0.0	0.1.0	0	0.0.0	0.0.0	0.1.0
<i>Ateles fusciceps</i>	CITES: II,B/IUCN: Critically Endangered (CR)						Black-headed spider monkey
Owned And Onsite	1.2.0	0.0.0	0.0.0	0	0.0.0	0.0.0	1.2.0
<i>Colobus angolensis</i>	CITES: II,A/IUCN: Least Concern (LC)						Angolan colobus
Owned And Onsite	1.1.0	0.0.0	0.0.1	0	1.0.0	0.0.0	0.1.1
<i>Symphalangus syndactylus</i>	CITES: I,A/IUCN: Endangered (EN)						Siamang
Owned And Onsite	3.1.0	0.0.0	0.0.0	0	0.0.0	0.0.0	3.1.0
<i>Pongo abelii</i>	CITES: I,A/IUCN: Critically Endangered (CR)						Sumatran orangutan

Taxon Reports will continue to display the globally recognized Common and Scientific Names.

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