



8,848 METER
(HIGHEST MOUNTAIN ON EARTH)

5,695 METER

4,401 METER

4,809 METER

MOUNT KILIMANJARO
(TANZANIA, AFRICA)

MONT ELBERT
(ROCKY MOUNTAINS, USA)

MONT BLANC
(FRANCE/ITALY)

MOUNT EVEREST
(HIMALAJA, ASIA)



7.5 CM

High up in the mountains

MOUNT EVEREST IS THE HIGHEST MOUNTAIN ON EARTH. THAT'S AS HIGH AS **117,974** PLAYMOBIL FIGURES STACKED ON TOP OF EACH OTHER.



Summiteer

THERE ARE **14** EIGHT-THOUSANDERS ON EARTH (MOUNTAINS THAT ARE HIGHER THAN 8,000 METRES)

ONLY **33** MOUNTAINEERS HAVE CLIMBED ALL 14 EIGHT-THOUSANDERS.



Resilient flora

THE HIGHER UP PLANTS GROW IN THE MOUNTAINS, THE SMALLER THEY ARE. THAT'S HOW THEY ARE PROTECTED AGAINST THE WIND, COLD AND SNOW.



Adaptable fauna

MOUNTAIN GOATS HAVE A KNACK FOR CLIMBING AND THEY CAN STORE WATER.



Brave rescuers

IT TAKES ABOUT **3** YEARS TO TRAIN A RESCUE DOG TEAM. RESCUE DOGS CAN TRACK MISSING PERSONS EVEN AT DISTANCE OF **500** METRES.



EXCURSION: Sleepy mountain dwellers

MARMOTS HIBERNATE A TOTAL OF **6-8** MONTHS. THEY PREFER COLD TEMPERATURES AND SPEND ABOUT **90%** OF THEIR LIFETIME UNDERGROUND.

Tunneller

MARMOTS DIG COMPLEX TUNNELS: THE RECORD LENGTH IS **113** METERS!



Danger cries!

MARMOTS DON'T MURMUR. WHEN IN DANGER, THEY LET OFF A VERY DISTINCTIVE CRY.

