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The Continent of Antarctica

Fill in the blanks using the correct word from the box.

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Snow Petrel, 90%, snowfalls

1. Antarctica is the World's _____ - largest continent.
2. Antarctica is Earth's _____ continent.
3. Antarctica is surrounded by the _____ Ocean.
4. _____ of the land area is permanently covered with ice.
5. Antarctica is the _____ place on Earth.
6. There are _____ countries in Antarctica.
7. Heavy _____ are common in Antarctica.
8. The continent has about _____ of the world's ice.
9. Antarctica has no _____ residents but a number of governments maintained research stations throughout the continent.
10. The _____ is one of only three birds that breed exclusively in Antarctica.

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1. Antarctica is the World's fifth - largest continent.
2. Antarctica is Earth's southernmost continent.
3. Antarctica is surrounded by the Southern Ocean.
4. 98% of the land area is permanently covered with ice.
5. Antarctica is the coldest place on Earth.
6. There are no countries in Antarctica.
7. Heavy snowfalls are common in Antarctica.
8. The continent has about 90% of the world's ice.
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