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Catty tales

IT is the week of the big cats at the National Geographic channel. Two programmes showcase how the tigers live contrasting lives, as the hunted and the hunters. In *Tiger Skin Trade* on Sunday at 10 p.m., the channel follows undercover agents from the EIA (environmental investigation agency), as they dive into the murky world of illegal tiger trading. They are armed only with undercover cameras and a resilient dedication to protect the tiger from cold-blooded hunters. On Wednesday at 10 p.m., the channel travels to India to see another face of the tiger — as the last of the man-eaters. *Killer Tigers of India* takes viewers to the Sunderbans, which are one of the last enclaves where tigers hunt, kill and eat humans. Fishing or gathering firewood in the gnarled mangroves can prove fatal. Up to 80 persons every year are killed here and eaten by tigers. This stunning documentary showcases the Sunderbans, where people understand that humans are not the most dominant animals.