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### Steep rise in Kaziranga rhino population

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GOLAGHAT: Event (/taxonomy/term/267) after unstoppable poaching there has been steep rise in rhino population in Kaziranga (/taxonomy/term/122) if the just concluded census on the world heritage site is any indication.

According to the three days rhino census which concluded on Wednesday, Kaziranga (/taxonomy/term/122) is now an abode of 2413 one horn rhino population, 12 more than the figure found (/taxonomy/term/1802) two years back.

The census started on March 25 with a huge team of 120 comprising forest department officials apart from a few NGO (/taxonomy/term/2157) activities who divided the national parks in 36 parts for census by elephants and gypsies.

Notably, repeated poaching incidents have been posing a serious threat to the one horn population forcing the authorities to deploy drone to deal

(/taxonomy/term/1922) with the escalating menace (/taxonomy/term/2371).

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