



## Woolly Mammoth



The Woolly Mammoth was believed to have become extinct about 10,000 years ago, but a dwarf species on Wrangel Island survived until about 4,000 years ago. On March 25, 1993, Russian paleontologists published these findings in *Nature Journal*.

This 50 year old *Mammuthus imperator* or Imperial Mammoth was found on the Black Rock Desert in Nevada.

Note: The museum only displays casts from the originals in the Nevada State Museum collection.