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The cons of having wild animals travel and perform in circus shows outweigh the pros. In my opinion it's as simple as that.

In modern society we have an enormous amount of entertainment sources - this was not the case 50 years ago, when the circus was sometimes the only game in town. Times change, we should change with them.

Shows like Cirque De Soleil have shown us that we can still maintain the exciting feel of a big top tent show even without the use of animals. I think the circus should follow that formula. And I'd have to imagine removing animals from the equation would decrease the logistics and complexity (and costs) of the circus significantly as well.