## **FACT FILE**





## **BLUE SHARK**

Blue sharks are regarded by many as the most heavily fished shark on the planet. They are also the most migratory most wide-ranging of any shark species. of any species, travelling over 9000km during their yearly migration.

**DISTRIBUTION**: Worldwide in temperate and tropical oceanic waters. Possibly the

**SCIENTIFIC NAME**: Prionance glauca

**DIET**: Small fishes and carrion.

MAXIMUM SIZE: 3.84m

HABITAT: 0-1000m in the open-ocean. Sometimes closer to shores at night.

## **DISTRIBUTION MAP:**

## CONSERVATION STATUS:





Near **Threatened**