



SAND TIGER SHARK

The Sand Tiger Shark is a large species of shark with a unique appearance characterised by its protruding teeth and a sleek, sand-coloured body.

SCIENTIFIC NAME: *Carcharias taurus*

DIET: Other smaller sharks, fish, crustaceans, and cephalopods.

DISTRIBUTION: Can be found worldwide in most subtropical/warm temperate waters, except for the eastern Pacific.

MAXIMUM SIZE: 3.2m

HABITAT: Shallow waters, sandy shallow bays, estuaries or rocky reefs. Can be found up to 200m deep.

DISTRIBUTION MAP:



CONSERVATION STATUS:



**Critically
Endangered**