



SHARK
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OCEANIC WHITETIP SHARK

SCIENTIFIC NAME: *Carcharhinus longimanus*

MAXIMUM SIZE: 350 - 395cm

DIET: Bony fishes, cephalopods, sea birds, stingrays, turtles, carrion & garbage

DISTRIBUTION: Worldwide.

HABITAT: Oceanic. Open-ocean, far offshore from the surface to 1082m. Warm waters of 18°C - 28°C. Occasionally in shallow waters off oceanic islands.

CONSERVATION STATUS:

DISTRIBUTION:



FUN FACT!

Oceanic Whitetips used to be the most abundant warm water shark!



Critically Endangered

