



SMALLSPOTTED CATSHARK



Smallspotted Catsharks, as their name suggests, is the little sibling to the Greater-Spotted Catshark (Nursehound). They are smaller and have more spots than the Nursehound.

SCIENTIFIC NAME: *Scyliorhinus canicula*

DIET: Molluscs, small fishes, cephalopods and crustaceans.

DISTRIBUTION: Northeast and Eastern Central Atlantic Ocean and Mediterranean, including the Black Sea.

MAXIMUM SIZE: 1 m

HABITAT: Sandy, algal and muddy bottoms down to 800 m deep.

DISTRIBUTION MAP:



CONSERVATION STATUS:



**Least
Concern**