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SHORTFIN MAKO SHARK



The Shortfin Mako Shark, known for its incredible speed and sleek body, is a formidable apex predator of the ocean, boasting a distinctive crescent-shaped tail and a reputation as one of the fastest swimmers in the sea.

SCIENTIFIC NAME: *Isurus oxyrinchus*

DIET: Bony fish, squid, larger individuals

may eat small marine mammals.

DISTRIBUTION: Worldwide in temperate and tropical waters.

MAXIMUM SIZE: 3.1 m

HABITAT: Coastal and oceanic 0-888 m in water warmer than 16°C.

DISTRIBUTION MAP:



CONSERVATION STATUS:

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Endangered