



NURSE SHARK

GINGLYMOSTOMA CIRRATUM

THEY DO NOT NEED
TO SWIM TO
BREATHE!



I'M JUST
TAKING A REST



DIET

Fish, conch, lobster, squid, clams and stingrays.

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VULNERABLE

FACTS

Nurse Sharks are primarily nocturnal. Their pups are born with dark spots all over their body.



SUPER
SUCKERS!

Nurse sharks have suction equivalent to 10 vacuum cleaners!

SIZE Average length of 2.4 m (8 ft)



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7 YEAR OLD

They can weigh up to 165-230 pounds!

RANGE

Coastal tropical and sub-tropical waters of the Atlantic Ocean.

