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## Landing of tiger shark *Galeocerdo cuvieri* at New Ferry Wharf, Mumbai

Two tiger sharks, *Galeocerdo cuvieri* were landed at New Ferry Wharf, Mumbai during 13th September 2003 and 16th October 2003 by trawl net which operated at 50-60 kms away on north and west of Mumbai coast at a depth of 40-50 meters.

### The morphometric measurements of the specimen in cm. are given below:-

Total length	393.5	411.5
Length of the first dorsal fin along outer margin	32.5	46.0
Length of the second dorsal fin along outer margin	17.45	20.32

Length of the upper lobe of the caudal fin along outer margin	76.00	86.00
Length of the lower lobe of the caudal fin along outer margin	36.0	46.0
Length of anal fin	19.00	25.0
Length of pelvic fin	16.0	21.0
Length of pectoral fin	46.0	51.0
Interorbital space	49.0	55.0
Sex	Male	Male
Price at the landing centre. (In Rs.)	10,000	19,000

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