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**On the record of the largest (Giant) Bull Shark  
*Carcharhinus leucas* caught off Chennai**

A giant sized female bull shark *Carcharhinus leucas* measuring 356 cm in total length and

320 kg weight was caught by a gillnet operated at a depth of 50-60 m on 22-06-2005.

The fishing was done off Iskapalli, Ramathirtham (Nellore), 200 km north of Chennai and landed at Chennai fishing harbour. Other components of the catch were

tuna, rays, sailfish, seer fish and carangids.

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