

GREEN TURTLE

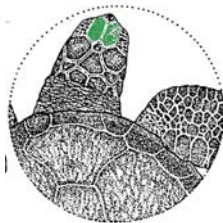
Chelonia mydas



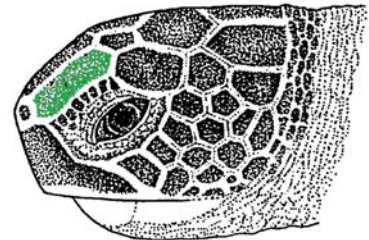
HOW TO IDENTIFY:

• HEAD

ROUND SHAPE



**1 PAIR OF SCALES
BETWEEN THE EYES**



• CARAPACE

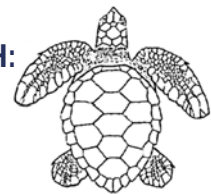
OVAL SHAPE

NON-OVERLAPPING
SCUTES

-  5 CENTRAL SCUTES
-  4 LATERAL SCUTES



CARAPACE LENGTH:
ADULTS > 80cm
JUVENILES < 50cm



Illustrations: Research and Management Techniques for the Conservation of Sea Turtles, IUCN-SSC; Sea Turtle Curriculum, UF/IFAS

SIZE: up to 140cm

COLOUR: can vary (brown/yellow/green)

DIET: seagrass, algae but never says no to a
yummy jellyfish

Remember to report your sightings!



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