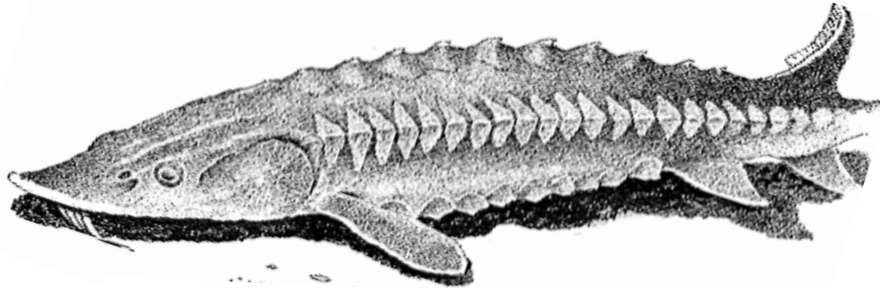


Trail Critters

As you follow our Endangered Species Trail, see if you can find the Critter on this card.

The Shortnose Sturgeon



1. Go the RIVERS GALLERY.
2. Follow the trail markers to the tank with a colored STATUS SYMBOL. (see back of this card)
3. Find the fish with “whiskers” on its chin.
4. Look closely at the special “plates” that cover the sides of this fish.
5. Read the FACT or FICTION board.
6. Complete the back of this card.

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Submit the BOTTOM part of this card at station #1 and we'll *add your name to our online honor roll* for

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(<http://www.maritimeaquarium.org>)

How Endangered is this Critter?

Look at the STATUS SYMBOLS below. Put an “X” on the one that matches the symbol at the tank for this Critter.



Fact or Fiction

After you find your Critter, read its FACT or FICTION board. Then circle FACT or FICTION below.

FACT FICTION There are so few shortnose sturgeon, that they may become extinct.

FACT FICTION There are fewer of these fish, because of pollution in rivers and loss of habitat.

FACT FICTION These fish have been on Earth since before the dinosaurs.

Something interesting about the shortnose sturgeon is:

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PLEASE PRINT STUDENT FIRST NAMES ONLY:

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