

## Creepy Fish Facts

The Fangtooth fish is only a few inches long but has sharp teeth about the size of a human's.

Most fish have taste buds all over their body.

Most brands of lipstick contain fish scales.

Octopuses have blue blood.

The word "piranha" is from the Tupi (Brazil) pira nya and means "scissors."

The biggest fish in the world is the giant whale shark. It has over 4,000 teeth and can grow to nearly 60 feet (the length of two school buses).

Anableps are four-eyed fish that can see above and below water at the same time.

Sometimes tornadoes pick up fish while traveling over water and carry them over land, where the fish rain down. These "fish showers" have been happening for thousands of years.

Hagfish are some of the slimiest animals on earth. An Atlantic hagfish can make enough slime in one minute to fill a bucket. Gross!

