

Bull sharks and Fresh Water.

Bull sharks are known to swim up the Zambezi River to Zimbabwe, hence here in SA they are known as Zambezi's.

The Breede River Bull Shark



A huge bull shark discovered in the Breede River in the Southern Cape was caught and hauled onto a mud-bank for marine biologists to tag. It is believed that the 4m shark, the biggest bull shark ever recorded, is one of several living in the river. The discovery means bull sharks in South Africa waters occur far further south than thought. Scientists believed their southern limit was Cape St. Francis. The tag fitted has a continuous transmitter which would track the tagged bull shark for several weeks.

Great excitement also occurred in 2008 when a bull shark was caught and killed by fishermen on an inland lake with no apparent link to the Ocean in central Mozambique.



Bull shark killed in a lake in Mozambique.

The excitement died when a well camouflaged river connection was found.