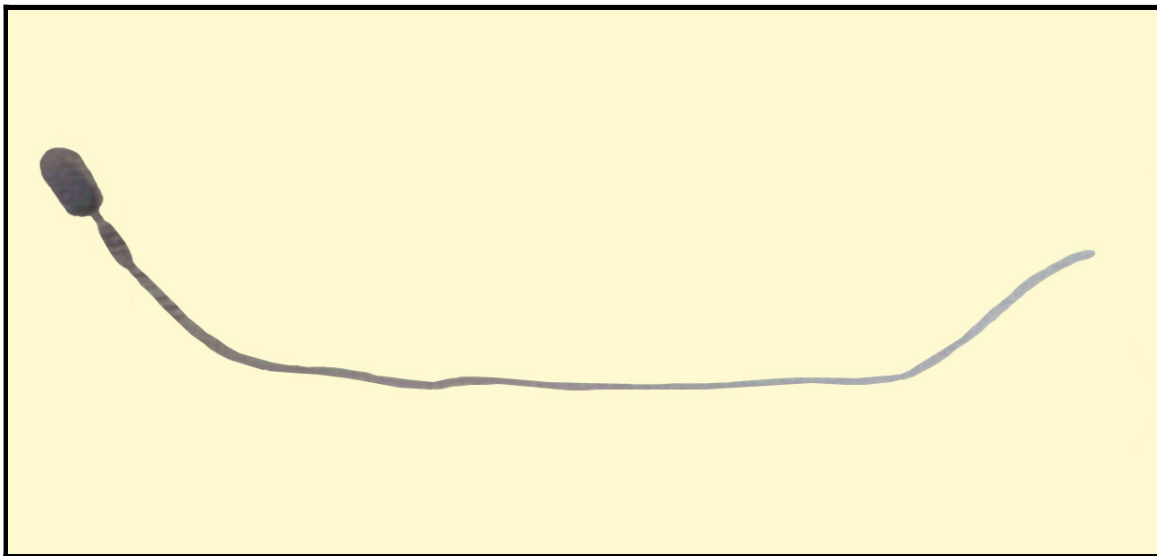


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COMMON NAME

**Bottlenose Dolphin**

PICTURE



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CLASS

*Mammalia*

RP NUMBER

03-216

ORDER

*Cete*

STAIN

Pap

SUBORDER

*Cetacea*

HEAD SHAPE

Oval

FAMILY

*Delphinidae*

ANIMAL PICTURE

SUBFAMILY

*Delphininae*

GENUS

*Tursiops*

SPECIES

*T. aduncus*

SUBSPECIES

MEASUREMENTS ( $\mu\text{m}$ )

Head Length

4.72

Head Width

2.46

Midpiece Length

3.67

Tail Length

54.35

Measure Total

62.74

NOTES



Cytoplasmic droplet present due to sperm being extracted directly from the vas deferens  
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