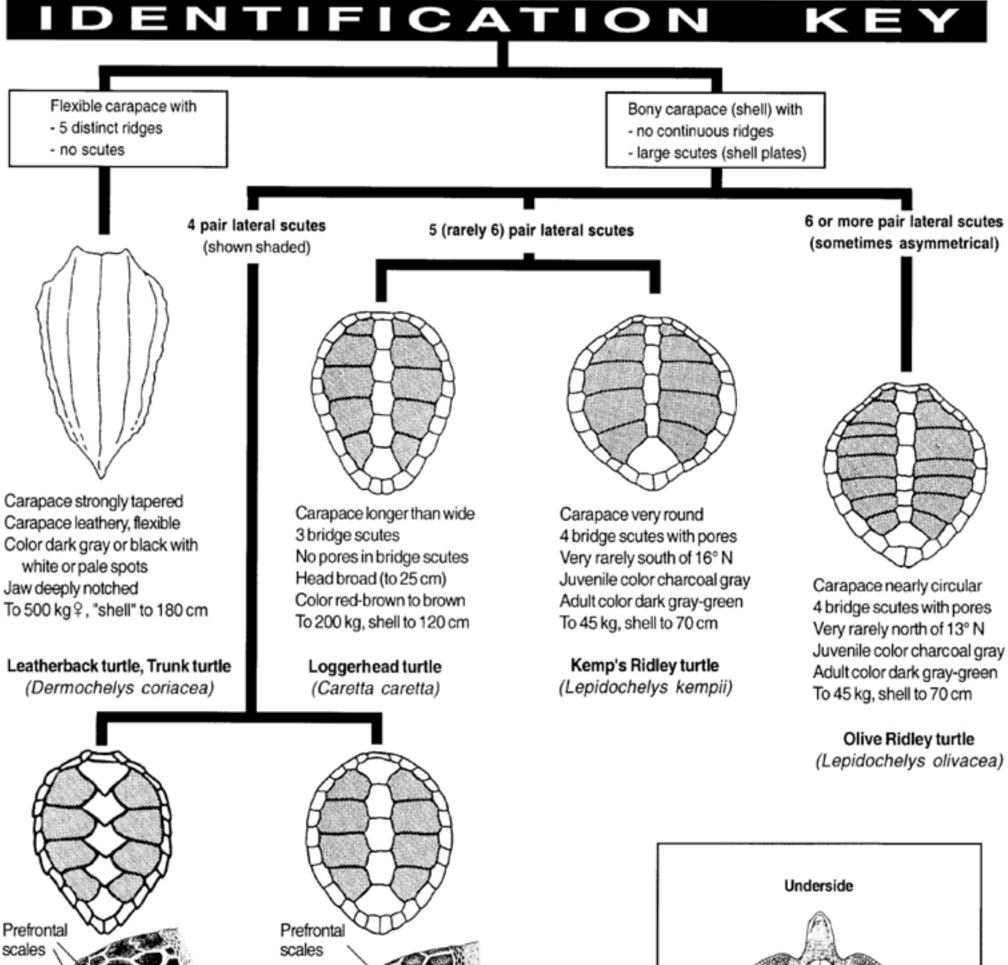
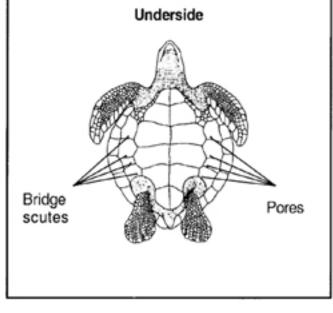
Sea Turtles of the Americas



2 pair prefrontal scales Over-lapping shell scutes Pointed face, distinct over-bite Juvenile color and pattern variable Adult color orange, brown, yellow To 85 kg, shell to 95 cm

Hawksbill turtle (Eretmochelys imbricata) 1 pair prefrontal scales
No over-lapping shell scutes
Round face, serrated jaw
Juvenile color and pattern variable
Adult color dark gray green
To 230 kg, shell to 125 cm

Green turtle (Chelonia mydas)



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