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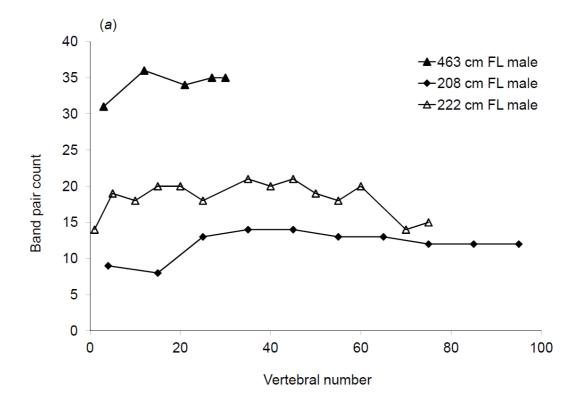
Age and growth of the white shark, *Carcharodon carcharias*, in the western North Atlantic Ocean

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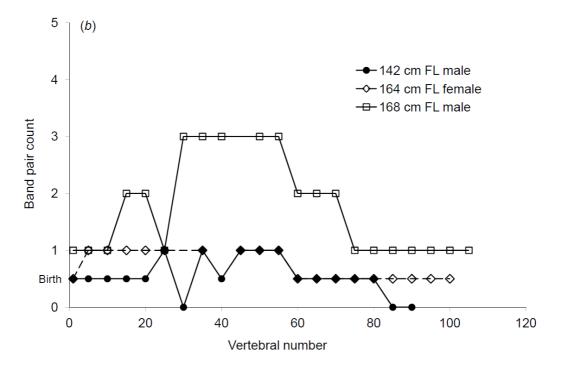


Fig. S1. Relationship between band pair number and vertebral number for six white shark, *Carcharodon carcharias*, specimens using Criterion A: (*a*) specimens with less than five band pairs; (*b*) specimens with more than five band pairs. Specimen 70 only includes vertebrae 3–30.

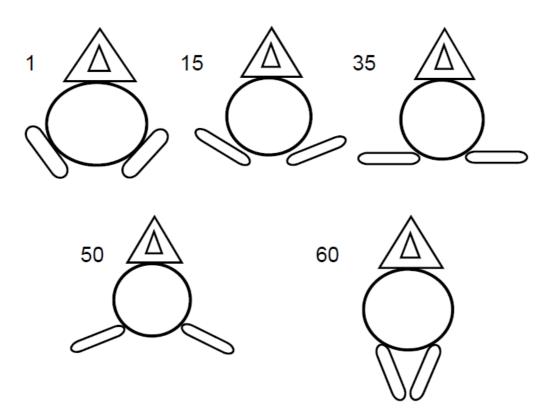


Fig. S2. Diagram of vertebral morphology along a white shark, *Carcharodon carcharias*, vertebral column. Vertebral number along the column is noted and the processes used to determine position along the column are indicated.