

In captivity at the Waikiki Aquarium
possibly for as long 6 years.

Female 36" straight carapace length
26 $\frac{1}{4}$ " " " width

285 lbs
when released off Island of Lanai
on March 24, 1973

Recapture in 65' water off south coast
of Lanai December 9, 1973.
approx 175 miles from release point.

Laminae shedding in thick sections -
"new" shell apparent underneath.
Although not reweighed - divers felt
that animal was considerably lighter
than 285 lb (approx 240)!

Animal again released on December 9
off Lanai

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