

Tonna galea (Linnaeus, 1758)
Giant Tun

Class Gastropoda
Family Tonnidae

Classification according to Turgeon *et al.* (1998)
References used: Description from Abbott (1974)

Diagnostic characters: 5 to 7 inches in length; shells thin but strong; whitish to light coffee-brown, sometimes slightly mottled; 19 to 21 broad, flattish ribs.

Habitat: Uncommon; 0 to 33 m.

Range: North Carolina to Texas and the West Indies; Brazil.

