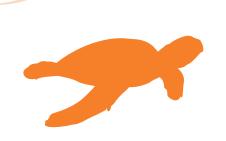
Why sea turtle farming must end

Conditions at the Cayman Turtle Farm make it impossible for the turtles to express their natural behaviour and can lead to disease, injury and even cannibalism.

In the wild



Green sea turtles are peaceful, solitary creature that rarely interact with each other outside of mating.



Small groups of fish often cluster around the green turtle, pecking away at the patches of green algae, helping to keep them clean.

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As adults, sea turtles are herbivorous, feeding mainly on seagrass and algae.

In fact, the seagrass will grow healthier and faster with a daily trim from grazing turtles!



They undertake vast migrations, known to swim more than **2,600 kilometres** between nesting grounds and dive depths of over 100 metres.

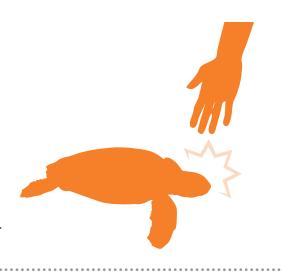
At the Farm

The Cayman Turtle Farm is the last place on Earth that breeds sea turtles for human consumption.

Kept in **appalling conditions**,

these endangered creatures spend their whole lives fighting for space in cramped, filthy tanks. Visitors are allow to pick up the turtles at their own will, causing **great stress**. Sometimes they are dropped on the floor.

Turtles are kept in **dirty**, **bacteria-filled** enclosures & fed on an **unnatural diet** of fish pellets.



Extreme distress leads to **aggressive behaviour** and even **cannibalism**.

The turtles are **rarely cleaned** at the Farm.

Some turtles are born with **missing eyes** or **misshapen** skeletons.

Together, we can Stop Sea Turtle Farming stopseaturtlefarm.org