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Re: Is this a tiger trout?

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sandfly wrote:

A tiger whether in th wild or hatchery will have the fins of a brook trout, if not then its a plain old brown . There are several species of brown, the most common is the german brown, the others are from scotland, ireland, etc.

Look again at the pelvic fins on the fish in picture (the fins under the pinky). They're one of the reasons I think it could be a tiger.

Then look at the tiger in the picture (which clearly is a tiger) on this link:

[Tiger from Gunpowder Falls](#)

You'll notice that the pectorals are not particularly brookie like.

There is only one species of brown trout, *Salmo trutta*. There are some subspecies (sea trout, Caspian salmon, marbled trout, etc, none of which are in this country.) The Loch Levan strain (whence most of the trout here) and the "German" strains are the same subspecies, although markings do vary somewhat depending on the ancestral region. (Much as there's only one species of dog -- certainly there's a lot of variation possible.)