PERCH DISSECTION

pictures to go along with lab

Sources used to put presentation together:
Pictures from Mr. Tippett's Biology Class at
http://www.flushing.k12.mi.us/srhigh/tippettl/biology/perch/index.html

Lab modified from Massengale's Biology Place found at http://sps.k12.ar.us/massengale/perch_dissection2.htm

EXTERNAL ANATOMY

Locate the 3 body regions of the perch



Locate and label the upper jaw or maxilla and the lower jaw or mandible.



Locate the nostrils and label



Locate and note the location of the eyes



Find the bony covering on each side of the fish's head called the operculum



Cut away operculum and look at gill

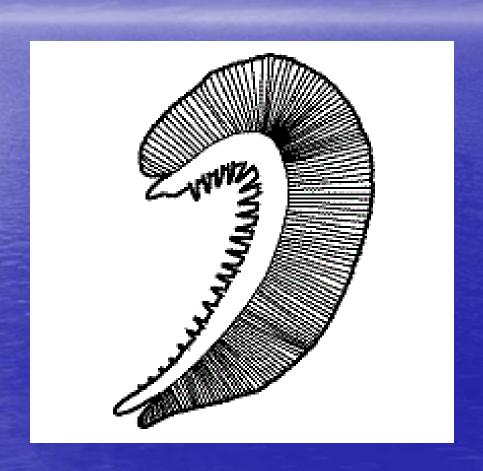


Gill Arch

GillFilament



Find the cartilage support called the gill arch and the soft gill filaments that make up each gill. Label the parts



Label the different fins on the perch

Pectoral Fin



Dorsal



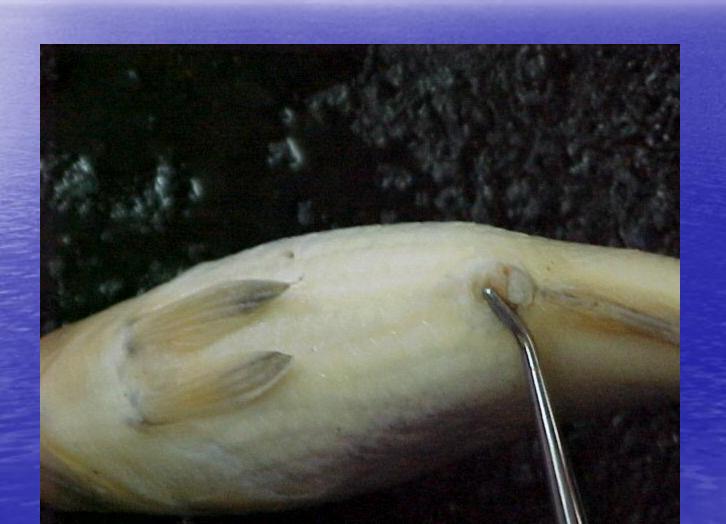




LATERAL LINE

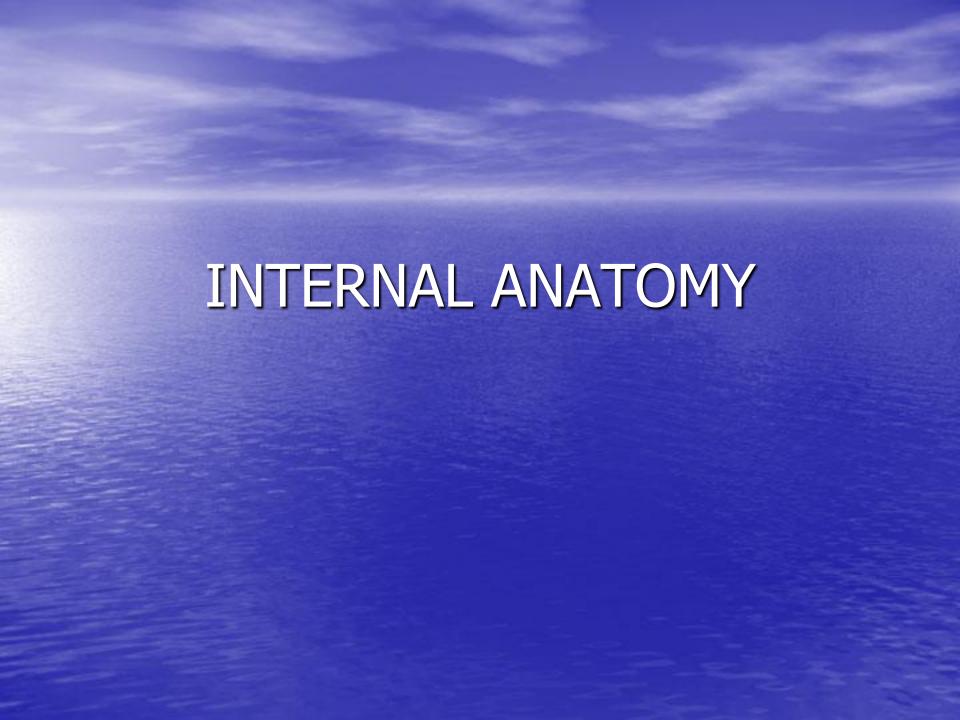


Male Urogenital Pore



ANUS





LIVER



STOMACH



INTESTINE



SPLEEN



HEART



SWIM BLADDER



GONAD



IF YOU HAVE TIME.....TRY LOOKING AT THIS

BRAIN



CEREBRUM



OPTIC LOBES



MEDULLA OBLONGATA



OLFACTORY TRACT

