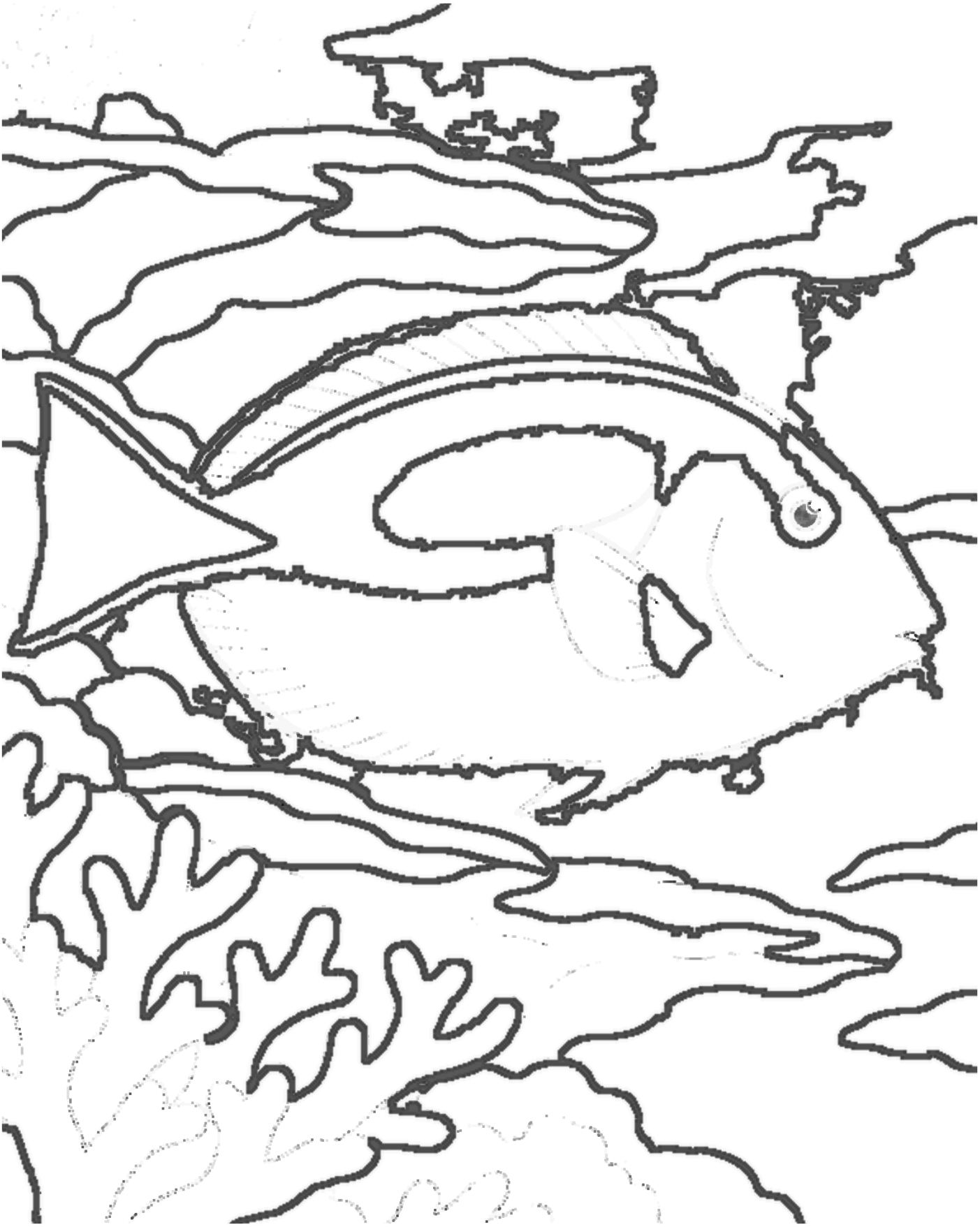
Blue Tang

Why is a blue tang called a surgeonfish?



Did you know? Like other surgeonfish, the blue tang has a sharp spine near the base of its tail. The spine looks a little like a surgeon’s blade and can help defend the fish if it is threatened.