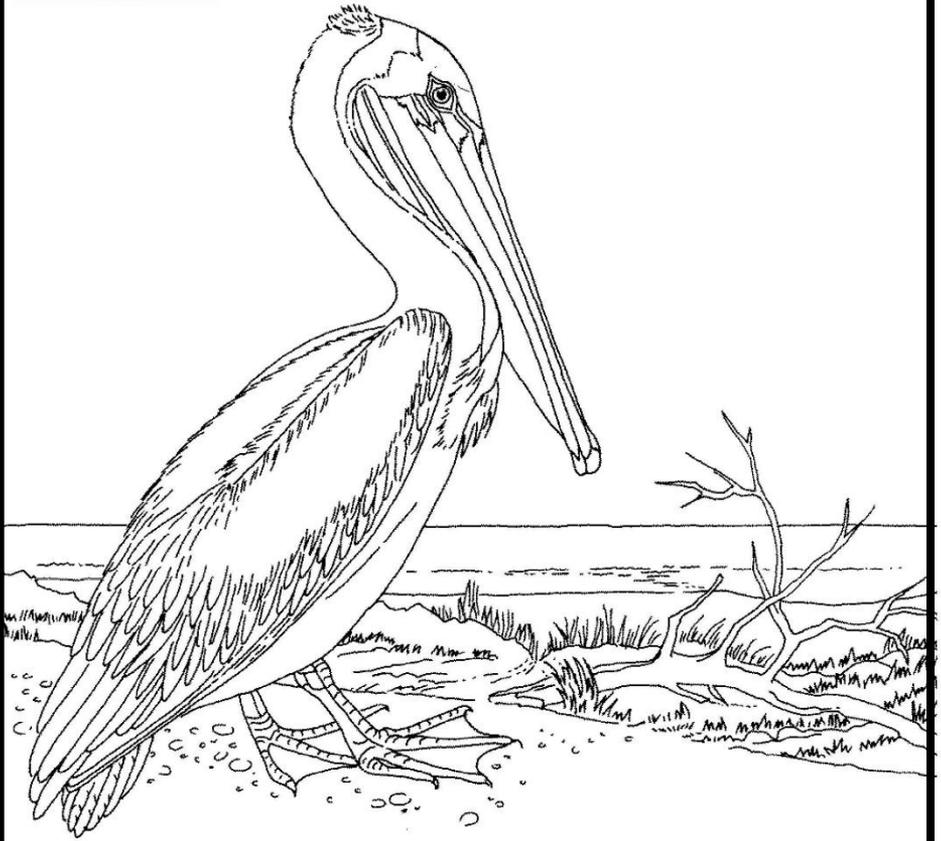




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Pelicans are stout birds with long pouched beaks. Brown pelicans are the most common in Florida and can reach 3-5 feet in length. They feed by diving out of the sky into the water head first and catching fish in their pouches.