

National Marine Fisheries Service - Pacific Islands Region

Pacific Remote Island Areas (PRIA) Daily Troll and Handline Catch Report

Name of Vessel _____

Permit Number _____

Logbook page # series -

Privacy Act Statement

Authority: The collection of this information is authorized under the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act, 16 U.S.C 1801 et seq.

Purpose: The Magnuson-Stevens Act requires that conservation and management measures must prevent over fishing while achieving, on a continuing basis, the optimum yield from each fishery. Vessel logbooks are essential tools in the management of fishery resources. Section 303(a)(5) of the Magnuson-Stevens Act specifically identifies the kinds of data to be collected for fishery management plans (FMPs).

Routine Uses: The Department will use this information for effective fishery management. Disclosure of this information is permitted under the Privacy Act of 1974 (5 U.S.C. Section 552a), to be shared within NMFS offices, in order to coordinate monitoring and management of sustainability of fisheries and protected resources, as well as with the applicable State or Regional Marine Fisheries Commissions and International Organizations.

Disclosure of this information is also subject to all of the published routine uses as identified in the COMMERCE/NOAA-6, Fishermen's Statistical Data.

Disclosure: Submission is mandatory for those persons falling under the requirements of 50 CFR 665.14. If the information is not provided, permit status may be affected.

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This information is being collected to ensure accurate and timely records about the fishing activity of persons licensed to participate in fisheries under Federal regulations in the Pacific Islands region. This will enable the National Marine Fisheries Service and the Western Pacific Fishery Management Council to (a) determine how those persons would be affected by changes in management; (b) ensure that they are informed about prospective changes in fishery regulations and the analysis of estimated impacts; and (c) determine whether the objectives of the fishery program are being achieved by monitoring the fishery and evaluating the impacts on stocks, the fishery participants, and related businesses. Responses to the collection are required to obtain the benefit of a license for the fishery involved (ref. 50 CFR 665.13). Data provided concerning the activities and business of the respondents are handled as confidential under the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act (Sec. 402(b)). Notwithstanding any other provision of the law, no person is required to respond to, nor shall any person be subject to a penalty for failure to comply with a collection of information subject to the requirements of the Paperwork Reduction Act, unless that collection of information displays a currently valid OMB Control Number.

Pacific Remote Island Areas (PRIA) include Howland and Baker, Jarvis, Wake, Kingman, Palmyra, and Johnston.

Vessel Reporting Requirements

The operator of any fishing vessel operating under a Federal Pacific Islands Region PRIA troll and handline permit must maintain onboard the vessel an accurate and complete record of catch, effort, and other data on report forms provided by the Regional Administrator, and must record the information on the forms within 24 hours after the completion of each fishing day. Each form must be signed and dated by the fishing vessel operator. The original logbook form must be submitted to the National Marine Fisheries Service within 30 days of the end of each fishing trip. (ref. 50 CFR 665.14)

Submit completed logs to:

NOAA Inouye Regional Center
Attn: NMFS/PIFSC/Fishery Monitoring Branch
1845 Wasp Boulevard, Building 176
Honolulu, Hawaii 96818

For additional logbooks call: (808) 725-5325

NMFS Pacific Islands Region - Pacific Remote Island Area (PRIA)

Expiration date: xx/xx/xxxx

PRIA DAILY TROLL & HANDLINE LOG

Num. _____

VESSEL NAME _____

PERMIT NUMBER: _____

Date of Departure from Port (mm/dy/yr): ____/____/____

Departure Port: _____

Date of Return to Port (mm/dy/yr): ____/____/____

Return Port: _____

FISHING INFORMATION

Observer on Board (check if yes): []

DATE FISHED (mm/dy/yr): ____/____/____	PRIA (area) FISHED: _____
TIME STARTED FISHING (24 hour clock): _____	TIME END FISHING (24 hour clock): _____
BEGIN FISHING LOCATION: Position: _____° _____' N/S	Latitude; _____° _____' E/W Longitude
END FISHING LOCATION: Position: _____° _____' N/S	Latitude; _____° _____' E/W Longitude
Target species:	

EFFORT INFORMATION

Total Number of Hours Fished - _____
 (fill in the total number of hours fished for the day-may be less than the sum of hours by gear listed below)

Fishing Effort by gear – total hours by gear		Amount of Gear—number of poles or lines used
Trolling (all methods-lure, bait, etc)	hours	Number of lines used
Handline (ika-shibi, palu ahi, etc)	hours	Number of lines used
Other(describe-short longline, etc)	hours	Number of other gear used

CATCH INFORMATION (number of fish kept + number of fish released = total number caught)

Species Name (code #)	FISH KEPT (retained)		FISH RELEASED	
	Number of fish kept	Estimated total weight of fish kept	Number of fish released alive	Number of fish released dead
Albacore (tonbo) (15)				
Skipjack tuna (aku) (22)				
Yellowfin tuna (17)				
Bigeye tuna (16)				
Mahimahi (11)				
Wahoo (<i>ono</i>) (13)				
Blue Marlin (<i>kajiki</i>) (1)				
Striped Marlin (<i>nairagi</i>) (2)				
Other species (specify)				

PROTECTED SPECIES INFORMATION

Species (code #)	Number released			Species (code #)	Number released		
	Uninjured	Injured	Dead		Uninjured	Injured	Dead
Monk Seals (51)				Green Turtle (53)			
Dolphin/Porpoise				Leatherback Turtle (54)			
Whales				Loggerhead Turtle (60)			
Laysan Albatross (74)				Olive Ridley (59)			
Black-footed Albatross (73)				Unidentified Hardshell (65)			
Short-tailed Albatross (75)				Scalloped Hammerhead			
Unidentified bird				Other species (specify)			

I certify that the above information is complete and true to the best of my knowledge:

VESSEL CAPTAIN/OPERATOR: Print name: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Instructions for the NMFS PRIA DAILY TROLL AND HANDLINE FISHING LOGBOOK

VESSELNAME: Enter name of vessel.

PERMIT NUMBER: Enter Federal WP PRIA Troll and Handline fishing permit number.

**DATE OF DEPARTURE
FROM PORT:** Enter date vessel left port (month/day/year).

DEPARTURE PORT: Enter port of departure.

**DATE OF RETURN
TO PORT:** Enter date vessel returned to port (month/day/year).

RETURN PORT: Enter port of return.

OBSERVER ON BOARD: Check (✓) if observer is on board for the trip.

DATE FISHED: Enter date (month/day/year) of fishing activity.

PRIA (area) FISHED: Enter name of area fished. **If fishing more than a single discrete island or bank in a day use a separate log sheet for each discrete bank or island.**

**TIME STARTED/ENDED
FISHING (24 hour clock):** Enter the time (using 24 hour clock - Local Time) the fishing activity started and ended.

**BEGIN FISHING
LOCATION:** Enter latitude and longitude. Use degree ° and minute ‘; circle N for north or S for south latitude; circle W for west or E for east longitude, as appropriate.

**END FISHING
LOCATION:** Enter latitude and longitude. Use degree ° and minute ‘; circle N for north or S for south latitude; circle W for west or E for east longitude, as appropriate.

TARGET SPECIES: Enter the name of the species of fish targeted.

**TOTAL NUMBER OF
HOURS FISHED:** Total number of hours fished for the day. May be less than the sum of hours fished by method since some methods may be used simultaneously.

**FISHING EFFORT by
GEAR:** Enter the number of hours fished using each individual gear type. The sum may be more hours than the total hours fished.

AMOUNT OF GEAR: Enter the number of lines or amount of gear used for each method.

**FISH CATCH
INFORMATION:** **NUMBER OF FISH KEPT + NUMBER OF FISH RELEASED = TOTAL NUMBER OF CATCH.
FISH RELEASED = FISH RELEASED ALIVE + FISH RELEASED DEAD.**

NUMBER OF FISH KEPT: Enter the numbers for Kept for each species. Note: No tally column is provided in this logsheet. Please enter only the numbers of fish Kept.

**ESTIMATED TOTAL
WEIGHT OF FISH KEPT:** Estimate to the best of your ability the cumulative weight by species of the associated number of fish listed in the kept column.

**NUMBER OF FISH
RELEASED ALIVE:** Enter the numbers of fish released alive by species. Injured fish that are believed to be able to survive should be included in this count.

**NUMBER OF FISH
RELEASED DEAD:** Enter the number of fish released dead by species. Injured fish that do not look like they will survive should be included in this count.

**PROTECTED SPECIES
INFORMATION:** Enter the numbers of protected species released uninjured, injured, or dead.

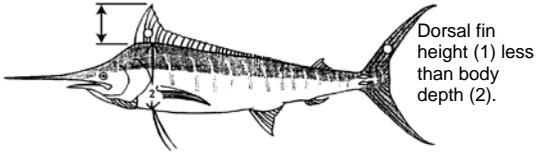
Note: Some species, including the Indo West Pacific Scalloped Hammerhead shark, are listed under the Endangered Species Act (ESA) as distinct population segments that are similar in appearance to other sub-populations that are not ESA-listed. NMFS regulations at 50 CFR 665.14 require that you report all catch and effort. If you are unsure of the species identification, you should record your best judgment and explain any uncertainty in remarks on the back of the form.

**VESSEL CAPTAIN/
OPERATOR:** Print name and provide signature of the captain/operator.

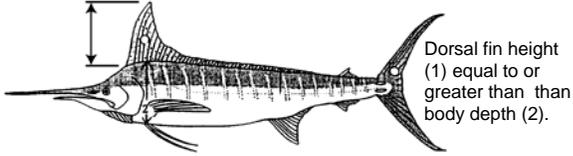
DATE: Enter date (month/day/year) when the log sheet was “completed and signed” by the vessel captain/operator.

WESTERN PACIFIC PELAGIC MANAGEMENT UNIT SPECIES

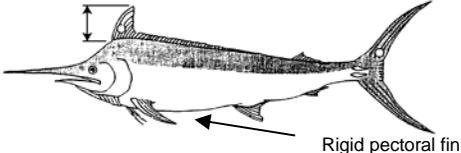
(1) Blue marlin (Kajiki)



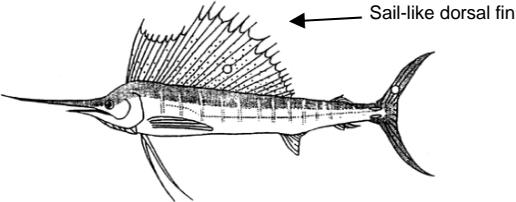
(2) Striped marlin (Nairagi)



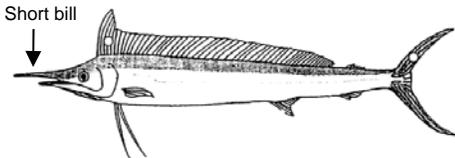
(3) Black marlin (Hida)



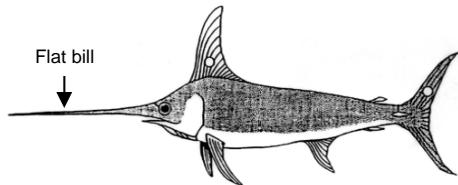
(4) Sailfish



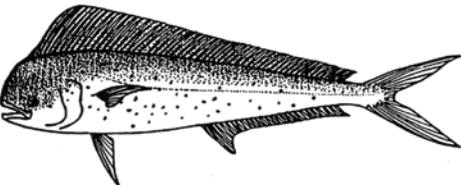
(5) Short-nosed spearfish (Hebi)



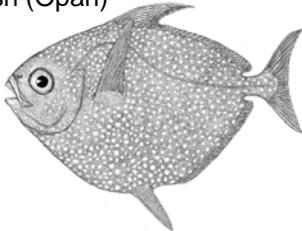
(6) Swordfish (Broadbill)



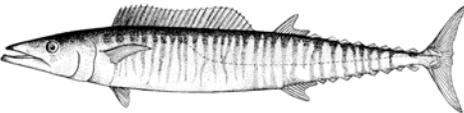
(11) Mahimahi



(12) Moonfish (Opah)

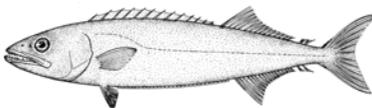


(13) Wahoo (Ono)

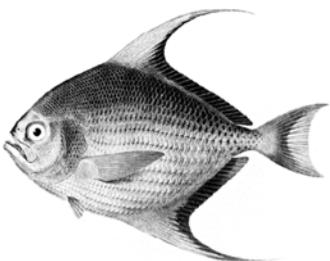


(20) Oilfish (Walu)

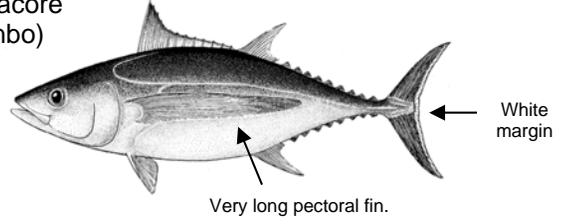
Dark brown coloration.



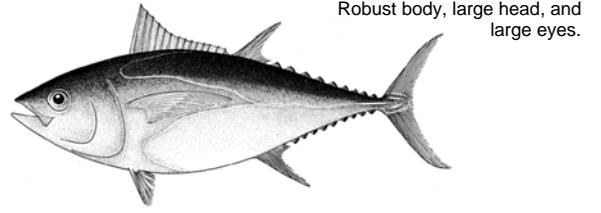
(21) Pomfret (Monchong)



(15) Albacore (Tonbo)

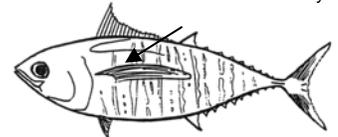


(16) Bigeye tuna

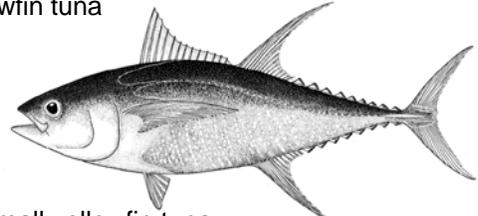


Small bigeye tuna

Bars spaced unevenly with no angles. Fewer bars than in yellowfin.

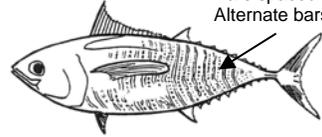


(17) Yellowfin tuna

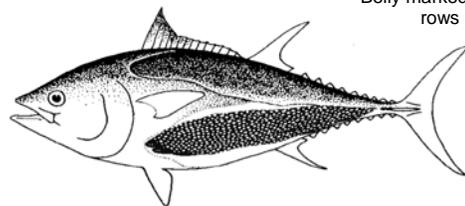


Small yellowfin tuna

Bars spaced evenly and angled. Alternate bars are dotted.

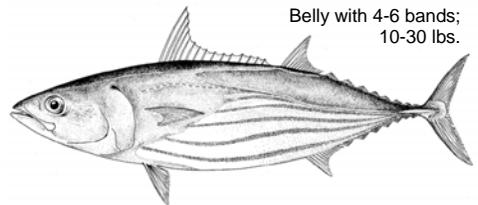


(19) Northern bluefin tuna



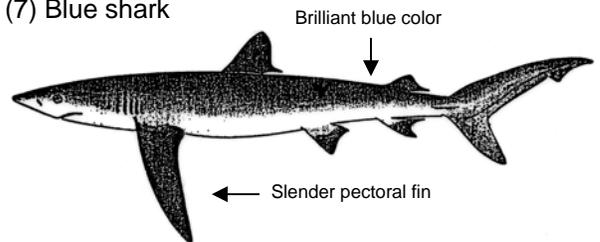
Belly marked by faint traverse rows of lines and dots.

(22) Skipjack tuna (Aku)

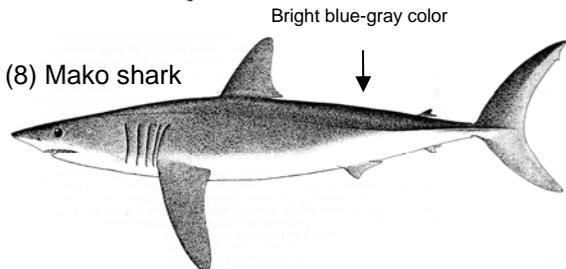


Belly with 4-6 bands; 10-30 lbs.

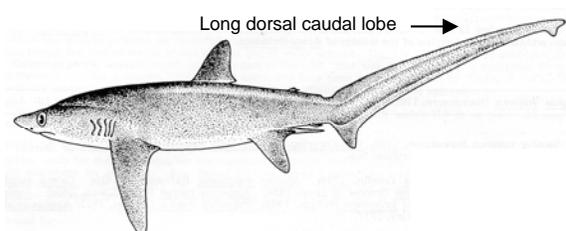
(7) Blue shark



(8) Mako shark



(9) Thresher shark

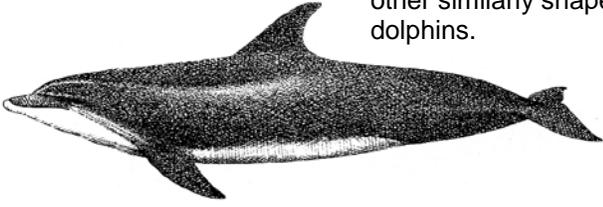


PACIFIC ISLANDS PROTECTED SPECIES

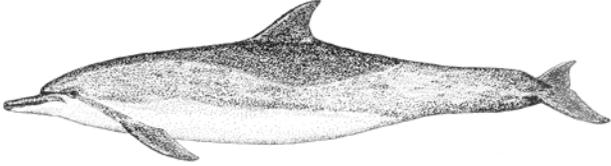
DOLPHINS

(70) Bottle-nose dolphin

Round-shaped body when compared with other similarly shaped dolphins.

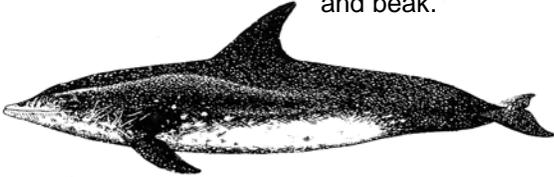


(71) Spinner dolphin



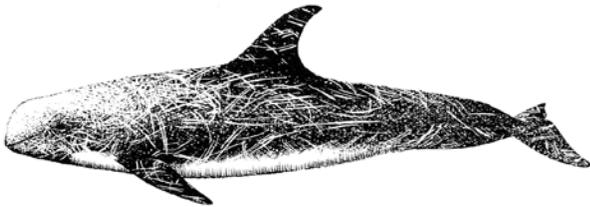
(76) Rough-toothed dolphin

"Steno"; no distinct break between the forehead and beak.



(68) Risso's dolphin

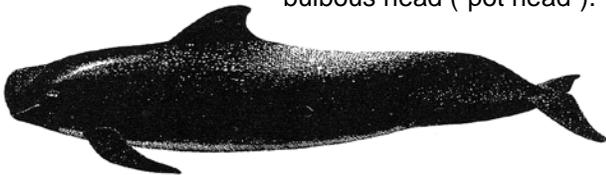
Distinct melon-shaped forehead; no beak; mature animals often scarred over much of their backs.



WHALES

(67) Pilot whale

Large black dolphin; rounded bulbous head ("pot head").



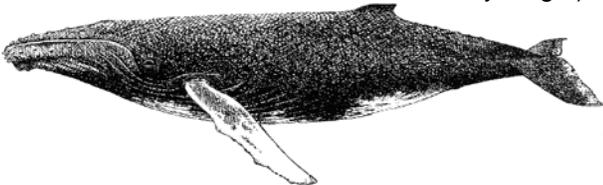
(52) False killer whale

Large black dolphin; head is bullet-shaped.



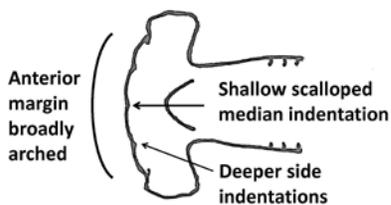
(66) Humpback whale

Long flippers (about 1/3 of body length).



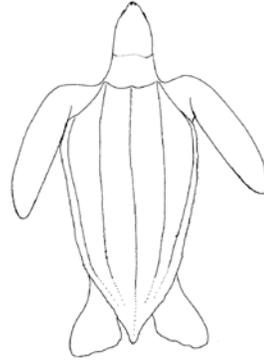
SHARKS

(77) Scalloped Hammerhead Shark



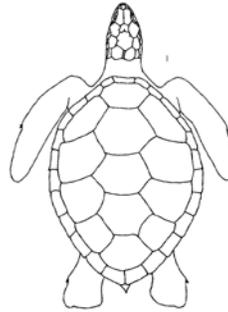
TURTLES

(54) Leatherback (softshell)



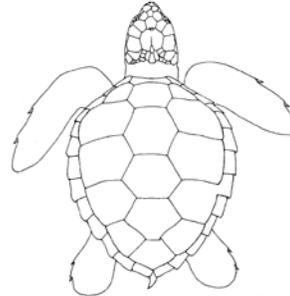
Black leathery shell with distinct ridges along the back; often has white spots on flippers and underside; largest sea turtle (4-6 ft).

(53) Green turtle



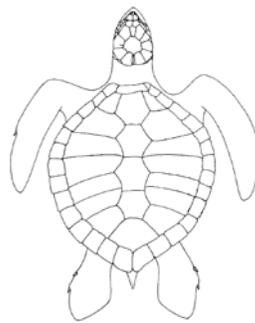
Dark brown to olive with lighter stripes and spots; head small in comparison to body size; blunt beak; only sea turtle with serrated jaw.

(60) Loggerhead turtle



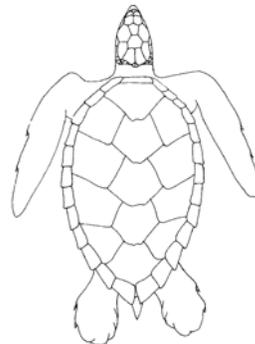
Reddish-brown shell and flippers; head large in relation to body.

(59) Olive ridley turtle



Slate gray to olive brown; width of shell usually equal to or greater than length.

(64) Hawksbill turtle



Elongated shell often with overlapping scales; usually dark brown with yellow streaks and spots ("tortoise-shell"); head relatively small with long neck; long and narrow hawk-like beak.

(51) Monk seal

Light brown to silver gray in coloration; 3 - 8 ft in length; 150 - 600 lbs.

