

SPC / FFA REGIONAL DEEP-WATER SNAPPER LOGSHEET

FILL IN A LOGSHEET FOR EVERY TRIP. THE START OF A TRIP IS DEFINED TO OCCUR WHEN A VESSEL TRANSITS TO A FISHING AREA AFTER UNLOADING SOME OR ALL OF THE CATCH, REGARDLESS OF WHETHER THE UNLOADING TOOK PLACE IN PORT OR AT SEA. THE END OF A TRIP IS DEFINED TO OCCUR WHEN A VESSEL UNLOADS SOME OR ALL OF THE CATCH, REGARDLESS OF WHETHER THE UNLOADING TOOK PLACE IN PORT OR AT SEA.

VESSEL DETAILS

Vessel Name: Record the full name for the vessel as written on the licensing application; if relevant include any numbers associated with the vessel name.

IRCS: Record the International Radio Call Sign for the vessel if available.

License No. Fill in the current license(s) or permit(s) number(s) assigned to the vessel.

No. of Crew: Record the total number of crew that were fishing on the vessel during the trip. **Do not include the skipper, or any non-fishing crew (cook etc).**

Departure and Arrival Date / Time Record the date to indicate the time the vessel threw off its ropes to transit to the fishing grounds, or the time the ropes were secured to the vessel at the end of the trip. (Use this format - year – month- day - hh: mm)

Unloading Date/Time: Record the first day when the catch was offloaded from the vessel. This includes any unloadings at sea. (Use this format - year – month- day - hh: mm)

Departure / Arrival Port Record the name of the port. Record the name of the port where the fish were unloaded. Note the name of the fishing company that was responsible for managing the offloading.

Trip No. Record the trip number in consecutive order. Trip one is the first trip to take place after the new year.

No. of Reels: Record the total number of operational reels that the fishing vessel has on-board.

No. of hooks per reel. Record the average number of hooks per reel.

CATCH LOG

Date: Print the date for every day of the fishing trip. Use the local date and time. Use this format for the date (year/ month /day).

Activity Code: Use Activity Code 1 if the fishing gear was deployed on the corresponding date. Use Activity Code 2 (A day at sea but not fished and not in transit – please specify) if the vessel was at sea, but the gear was not placed in the water on that day and the vessel was not in transit. For instance – the crew spend the day repairing the gear. Specify what the vessel’s activity was for the day. Use Activity Code 3 (‘Transit’) if no sets were made and the vessel spent most of the day in transit. Use Activity Code 4 (‘In port - please specify’) if no sets were made and the vessel spent most of the day in port.). If no code exists, please describe the activity on the form.

Position of Fishing or Position at 12.00 hrs (when no fishing that day). Record the vessel’s position at the start of fishing (when the first hooks are deployed into the water). If all of the hooks are removed from the water and the vessel travels to a new fishing area on the same day a new ‘Position of Fishing’ must be recorded on the line below. If there is no fishing during the day record the position at mid-day local time.

Fishing start time: Record the time the first fishing hook was placed into the water.

Total no of hooks: Record the total number of hooks deployed during fishing. {This can be calculated as the total number of fishing reels multiplied by the total number of hooks per reel.}

Total hours fishing: Record the total number of whole hours that the vessel was fishing for. {From the time the first hook was deployed into the water, until the time the last hook was removed from the water}. Include all whole hours even if fishing continues overnight. **Depth (m)** Record the depth the hooks were fishing in. Check the depth markers on the line or use the Sonar.

No – Record the total number of each species landed. **Kg** – Record the total weight of each species landed in kilograms.

Totals – Add up the total number and the total weight in kilograms for each species landed during the entire trip at the end of each column.

Captain’s Name: Record the Captain’s name clearly in block capitals. **Captain’s Signature:** The Captain / Fishing Master should sign and **Date** the logsheet.