

NMFS WESTERN PACIFIC DAILY BOTTOMFISH FISHING LOG

No. _____

VESSEL _____ **PERMIT NUMBER** _____

Date of Departure from Port: ___/___/___ **Port:** _____

Date of Return to Port: ___/___/___ **Port:** _____

NMFS USE ONLY Trip Type: _____ Trip No.: _____

BOTTOMFISH OPERATIONS INFORMATION

Observer on Board: []

Fishing Date ___/___/___	No. of Lines _____	No. of Hooks/Line _____	Fishing area/bank _____
Fishing Location: _____° _____' N___/S___ Latitude;		_____° _____' E___/W___ Longitude	
Hours Fished _____	Begin Time: _____:	End Time: _____:	(24 hr. clock)
Anchor/Drift _____	Fishing Depth Range (fathom) _____		
Wind Speed (knots)/Direction _____/_____		Wave Height(feet) _____	
Bait Type _____		Chum used (circle one) Yes/No	

INFORMATION ON OTHER FISHING METHODS USED

(Enter catch data into the "CATCH FROM OTHER METHODS USED")

Date of Fishing: ___/___/___	Other gear type (specify-troll etc.): _____	Number of lines: _____
Fishing area/bank _____		Location: _____° _____' N___/S___ Lat.;
		_____° _____' E___/W___ Long.
Hours fished: _____	BEGIN Time: _____:	END Time: _____:
(24 hr. clock)		

BOTTOMFISH SPECIES CATCH				BOTTOMFISH SPECIES CATCH cont.			
SNAPPERS:	Pounds Kept	No. Kept	No. Release	Other species:	Pounds Kept	No. Kept	No. Release
Onaga				Dog tooth tuna(white tuna)			
Yellowtail Kalekale				(specify)			
Ehu				(specify)			
Gindai				(specify)			
Uku				Sharks			
Lehi				(specify)			
Opakapaka				(specify)			
Yelloweye opakapaka							
Taape (Sas)				CATCH FROM OTHER METHODS USED			
OTHER (specify)				MISC. SPECIES	Pounds Kept	No. Kept	No. Release
				(specify)			
GROUPERS:				(specify)			
Lyretail Grouper				(specify)			
Blacktip Grouper							
Eight-banded Grouper							
OTHER (specify)				PROTECTED SPECIES			
				MARINE MAMMALS:	Uninjured	Injured	Dead
EMPERORS:				(specify)			
Mafuti (Redgill Emperor)							
OTHER (specify)				TURTLES:			
OTHER (specify)				(specify)			
JACKS:				SEA BIRDS:			
Black Jack				(specify)			
Amberjack							
OTHER (specify)							

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

VESSEL CAPTAIN/OPERATOR: Print name: _____ Date: _____

Please submit to: NMFS Pacific Islands Fishery Science Center, ATTN: FMAP, 2570 Dole St., Honolulu, HI 96822

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This information is being collected to provide information needed by NMFS to regulate and monitor bottomfish management unit species under the Fishery Management Plan for Bottomfish in the Western Pacific Region (FMP) and to evaluate the effectiveness of management by assessing the status of stocks and the status of the fisheries. The information will provide a basis for determining whether changes in management are needed to sustain the productivity of the stocks or to respond to interactions between fishing vessels and protected species and to address economic problems in the fishery. The information is also used to provide a basis for evaluating the magnitude and distribution of impacts resulting from changes to the regulations. Responses to the collection are required under 50 CFR 665.14. Proprietary data provided concerning the vessel and/or 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.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR DAILY BOTTOMFISH FISHING LOGBOOK FORM

DAILY BOTTOMFISH LOGBOOK INFORMATION

<u>VESSEL:</u>	Enter name of vessel.
<u>PERMIT NO.:</u>	Enter Federal Offshore fishing permit number (vessel's Official No.)
<u>DATE OF DEPARTURE FROM PORT/PORT:</u>	Enter date vessel left port. Enter port of departure.
<u>DATE OF RETURN TO PORT/PORT:</u>	Enter date vessel returned to port. Enter port of return.
<u>OBSERVER ON BOARD:</u>	Check (✓) if observer on board.
<u>FISHING DATE:</u>	Enter date (month/day/year) of fishing.
<u>NO. OF LINES:</u>	Enter number of fishing lines/line haulers.
<u>NO. of HOOKS/LINE:</u>	Enter typical number of hooks on each fishing line/rig.
<u>FISHING AREA/BANK:</u>	Enter name of fishing area/bank.
<u>FISHING LOCATION:</u>	Enter latitude and longitude of the fishing area/bank. Use degree ° and minute ' ; check (✓) N for north or S for south latitude; check (✓) W for west or E for east longitude, as appropriate.
<u>HOURS FISHED:</u>	Enter the total number of hours fished.
<u>BEGIN TIME:</u>	Enter time (using 24 hour clock - Local Time) of start of fishing.
<u>END TIME:</u>	Enter time (using 24 hour clock - Local Time) of end of fishing.
<u>ANCHOR/DRIFT:</u>	Circle the major type of bottomfishing activity.
<u>FISHING DEPTH RANGE (fathom):</u>	Enter the depth of fishing in fathoms. If the depth varies as while using a drift method of fishing then the range of depths fished should be entered.
<u>WIND SPEED(knots) /DIRECTION:</u>	Enter the estimated wind speed in knots. Enter the estimated wind direction-E, NE, N, NW, W, SW, S, SE.
<u>WAVE HEIGHT (feet):</u>	Enter the estimated wave height in feet.
<u>CURRENT SPEED(knots)/DIRECTION:</u>	Enter the estimated current speed in knots. Enter the estimated current direction- E, NE, N, NW, W, SW, S, SE.
<u>BAIT TYPE:</u>	Enter the type(s) of bait used.
<u>CHUM USED:</u>	Circle yes if chum was used and no if chum was not used.
<u>BOTTOMFISH SPECIES CATCH information:</u>	Enter the total Pounds Kept, No. Kept, and No. Release by species for all fish caught. If the species is not listed write the species name in the OTHER(specify) box and fill in the required information. Additional information must be filled in when using a gear type other than bottomfish gear. Enter date of fishing, specify type of gear used, number of lines, fishing area/bank, fishing location, hours fished, begin time, and end time. Catch should be listed in the "CATCH FROM OTHER METHODS USED" section of the logbook page. Catch information instructions are identical to those required for the bottomfish species (see above).
<u>INFORMATION ON OTHER FISHING METHODS:</u>	
<u>PROTECTED SPECIES:</u>	Enter the numbers of protected species released uninjured, injured, or dead.
<u>VESSEL CAPTAIN/ OPERATOR/DATE:</u>	Print name of the captain/operator. Enter date (month/day/year) when the log sheet was completed by the vessel captain/operator.

- **The Vessel Captain must record ALL catch and effort information in the logbook within 24 hours of completing the daily fishing activities.**
- **The Vessel Captain must submit completed Trip Level logbook sheets to the National Marine Fisheries Service within 72 hours following his or her return to port after each trip.**

Please submit form to: NMFS, Pacific Islands Fisheries Science Center
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