

Fisheries Harvest Questionnaire

Prior to survey questions, the following information is obtained:

Interviewer: "Are you planning to fish today?"

If NO → END CONTACT

If YES → My name is _____. I'm from the University of Hawaii. We're helping the National Park Service conduct a survey of fishing in this park. Would you be willing to answer a few questions about your fishing today? The questions will take about 15 minutes to complete. All of your answers are voluntary and anonymous.

If NO → Thank you for your time. Have a good day.

If YES → Are you 18 years old or older?"

___ NO → END CONTACT (proceed to next person in group)

___ YES → Would you be willing to participate?" (If "No" - END OF CONTACT)

If "Yes," follow with survey questions:

- 1) What fish species are you fishing for today? [Topic Area 3: Individual Activities and Uses of Park Resources]

Don't know/Refused

- 2) About what time did you start fishing today? _____ [Topic Area 2: Trip/Visit Characteristics]

Don't know/Refused

- 3) About what time do you expect of stop fishing today? _____ [Topic Area 2: Trip/Visit Characteristics]

Don't know/Refused

4) How many hours do you usually fish per trip? _____ [Topic Area 2: Trip/Visit Characteristics]

Don't know/Refused

5) On average, how many fishing trips do you make to this park per year? _____ [Topic Area 2: Trip/Visit Characteristics]

Don't know/Refused

6) What type of gear are you using, or have you used, on this trip? [Topic Area 2: Trip/Visit Characteristics]

Don't know/Refused

7) Would you mind if I measured your catch? [Topic Area 3: Individual Activities and Uses of Park Resources]

If HAS NO CATCH → Go to question 8.

If YES → Make measurements, then go to question 8.

If NO →

7a) What type (species) of fish did you catch today?

_____ [Topic Area 3: Individual Activities and Uses of Park Resources]

Don't know/Refused

7b) How many fish did you catch (weight)?

_____ (record total number and/or weight) [Topic Area 3: Individual Activities and Uses of Park Resources]

Don't know/Refused

8) Would you like to add anything else about your catch, gear, or time you spent here? [Topic Area 6: Individual Perceptions of their Park Experiences]

9) Would you like to add anything else about fishing? [Topic Area 6: Individual Perceptions of their Park Experiences]

***Additional Information Provided upon Request.**

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