

2. ASSIGNMENT NO.

6. INTERVIEWER TIME Time this interview was completed

3. INTERVIEWER ID

7. STATE CODE 8. COUNTY CODE 9. SITE CODE

4. YR/MO/DAY /

10. INTERVIEW STATUS (Key Item = *)

5. INTERCEPT NO.

- 1 Questionnaire Complete
- 2 Refused Non-Key Item
- 5 Refused Key Item

READ PRIVACY ACT:This study is being conducted in accordance with the privacy act of 1974. You are not required to answer any question that you consider to be an invasion of your privacy.

- *11. Would you say you were fishing from...
- SH { 0 Pier 1 Dock
 2 Jetty, Breakwater 3 Bridge, Causeway
 4 Other Man-made Structure 5 Beach or Bank
(Specify) (For Beach Bank only – additional hours required in Q16)
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- 6 Headboat 7 Charterboat
 8 Private Boat 9 Rental Boat

17. Were you fishing for any particular kinds of fish today? If Yes, what kinds?
- No Particular Species/ Anything
- 1st Target _____
- 2nd Target _____

- 11a. Were you tournament fishing today?
 1 Yes 2 No 9 Refused

- 11b. Did you see any sea turtles while fishing today?
 1 Yes, alive 2 Yes, dead 3 No

- *12. Was most of your (specify mode) fishing effort today in the Atlantic Ocean or another waterbody? (If other probe, use DMF waterbody code, and code Q13 as "8").
- 1 Atlantic Ocean
 2 Other, (use DMF waterbody code and code Q13 as "8"). _____

18. Not counting today, within the past 12 months, that is since (insert month) of last year, how many days have you gone saltwater sport finfishing in NC or from a boat launched in NC?
- No. of days
 998 Don't Know
 999 Refused

BOX A. If response to Q11 is SH mode AND response to Q12 is "ocean/gulf/open bay" code Q13 as "1," 3 miles or less. (If response to Q12 is "2" through "G," code Q13 as "Not Applicable")

- *13. Was that...
- 1 Three Miles or Less from Shore 8 NC waterbody Does not apply
 2 More than Three Miles

19. Not counting today, within the past 2 months, how many days?
- No. of days
 998 Don't Know
 999 Refused

- 13a. Were you fishing near an Artificial Reef?
 01 No 88 SH If yes, enter reef code 98=unknown

- *20. What is your state and county of residence? If county unknown ask: What city or town do you live in?
- State Code; Name: _____
 County Code; Name: _____

- 13b. What was the length of the boat used in feet? Boat length

21. What is the zip code of your residence?
- ZIP code
 99997 Foreign Country
 99998 Don't Know
 99999 Refused

14. What type of gear was primarily used? (Select only one)
- 01 Hook and Line 07 Trap
 02 Dip Net, A-frame 08 Spear
 03 Cast Net 09 Hand
 04 Gill Net 10 Other (Specify) _____
 05 Seine 98 Unknown
 06 Trawl 99 Refused

22. Do you live in a private residence, or in some type of housing such as a dorm, barracks, nursing home or rooming house?
- 1 Private Residence
 2 Institutional Housing
 8 Don't Know
 9 Refused

- 15a. To the nearest half-hour, how many hours have you spent (specify mode) fishing today? That is, how many hours have you actually spent with your gear in the water?
- No. of Hours Code as "99.9" if DK or Refused

23. At which of the following types of addresses does your household currently receive residential mail? Mark all that apply.
- YES NO
- Street address with a house or building number
 Address with a rural route number
 U.S. Post Office box (P.O. Box)
 Commercial mail box business (such as Mailboxes, Etc., or Mailboxes Are Us)
 Other (Specify) _____
 Don't Know Refused

- 15b. [If not SHORE] To the nearest half-hour, how many hours have you spent on the boat, away from the dock, today?
- No. of Hours Code as "99.9" if DK or Refused
- Not Applicable – SH mode

16. [Ask if Beach or Bank] How many additional hours do you expect to fish from shore today? That is, how many more hours will you actually have your gear in the water?
- Additional BB hours (only if Q11=5)
 Not fishing from beach or bank

- 23a. Sex 1 Male 2 Female

- 23b. How old were you on your last birthday?
- Age 99 Refused

24. In the event that my supervisor wishes to verify that I have been conducting interviews here today, or to contact you for a subsequent mail survey concerning saltwater angler preferences, may I have your name, address, a telephone number and an email address, if available?

Angler Name _____ D or N PHONE # - -

Street _____
 City _____ State Zip

Email address _____ @ _____ (If name and/or phone number not given, Q10 = Status 2)
 Angler aged 16 years or younger

BOX B. [If headboat ride-along:] Is this one of the anglers you monitored for discard (Type 9) catch? Yes No Not an HB ride

*25. **UNAVAILABLE CATCH** Did you catch any fish that are not here for me to look at? For example, any that you may have thrown back or used for bait? **NOT GROUP CATCH** - Only catch from Angler being interviewed.

Disposition Codes for Q25			
1 Thrown back alive	3 Eaten/plan to eat	5 Sold/plan to sell	7 Some other purpose
2 Thrown back - illegal	4 Used/plan to use for bait	6 Thrown back dead/plan to throw away	

TYPE 2 RECORDS: (CATCH UNAVAILABLE IN WHOLE FORM; FILLETS ARE UNAVAILABLE CATCH.)

Species Name	Species Code	# of Fish	Disp.
1.			
2.			
3.			
4.			
5.			

*26. Did you catch any fish while you were fishing that I might be able to look at?
 1 Yes
 2 No - Code Q26b, Q27, Q28, Q29 as "8's" Not Applicable
 3 Yes, BUT fish on another angler's form - Fill in interview # where fish are listed Code Q27, Q28, Q29 as "8's" Not Applicable

*29. How many anglers including yourself have their catch here? Please do not include anyone who did not catch fish. Only count those who have their catch here.
 No. of Contributors 88 Not Applicable

BOX C. If Q11 is SH mode, code Q30 as "888," and Code Box D as "8."

*26b. Were these fish all caught today (that is, from the time you woke up to the time you ended your fishing trip) while fishing from _____ (insert mode)?
 1 Yes 2 No 8 N/A

*30. How many people fished on your boat today?
 No. of People 888 Shore Mode

*26c. If No, how many waking days did you spend catching these fish?
 No. of days 88 Not Applicable

*BOX D. If response to Q30 is 1, code as "Not Applicable." Otherwise, is this the first angler from this boat that I have interviewed?
 1 Yes 8 Not Applicable
 2 No - Record interview # of 1st angler in the fishing party.

*27. Did you catch these yourself or did someone else catch some of them?
 1 All Caught by Angler - Code Q28, Q29 as "Not Applicable"
 2 Other Contributors 8 Not Applicable

*BOX E: Is vessel on DMF List?
 1 Yes 2 No 3 Non-coop. 8 SH
 Vessel Name _____
 No Name - Record Vessel number to determine "on list" status. If "on list" cannot be confirmed, Q10=Status 5. (Note: This question must be completed for all charter and headboat interviews).

*28. Can you separate out your individual catch?
 1 Yes - Code Q29 as "Not Applicable" 2 No 8 Not Applicable

***31. AVAILABLE CATCH - ASK: May I look at your fish? What do you plan to do with the MAJORITY of the (species)?**

Disposition Codes for Q31			
3 Eaten/ plan to eat	5 Sold / Plan to sell	7 Some other purpose	9 Refused
4 Used/plan to use for bait	6 Thrown back dead / Plan to throw away	8 Don't know / Didn't ask	

TYPE 3 RECORDS: (INDIVIDUAL CATCH AVAILABLE IN WHOLE FORM)

Species Name	Species Code	# of Fish	Length (mm)	Weight (kg)	Disp.
1.					
2.					
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6.					
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