



National Marine Fisheries Service - Pacific Islands Region

# PACIFIC ISLANDS PRECIOUS CORAL DAILY HARVEST LOG

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 <u>COMMERCE/NOAA-6</u>, 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.

### **Paperwork Reduction Act Information**

Public reporting burden for this collection is estimated to as much as 7 minutes (log) to 5 minutes (sales report) per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, searching existing data sources, gathering and maintaining the data needed, and completing and reviewing the collection of information. Send comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions for reducing this burden, to Regional Administrator, Pacific Islands Regional Office, National Marine Fisheries Service, 1845 Wasp Blvd., Bldg. 176, Honolulu, HI 96818.

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 these 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 and 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.

### **Vessel Reporting Requirements**

The operator of any fishing vessel operating under a Federal Pacific Islands Region precious coral 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 72 hours of each landing of management unit species, except for fishing in the Pacific Remote Islands Areas, where it is required that the forms be submitted to the Regional Administrator within 30 days of the end of each fishing trip. (ref. 50 CFR 665.14)

Submit log report to: NOAA Inouye Regional Center (IRC), NMFS/PIFSC/Fishery Monitoring Branch, 1845 Wasp Blvd., Bldg 176, Honolulu, HI 96818. For additional logbooks or information call (808) 725-5325.

### NOAA National Marine Fisheries Service Ser. No. \_\_\_\_\_ Pacific Islands Precious Coral Daily Harvest Log

Collector/Company Name		
Vessel Name:	PERMIT NO.:	Radio call sign:
Date of Harvest:	Harvest method:	Area Fished:
Start time (24 hr clock):	Start Lat.:	Start Lon.:
End time (24 hr clock):	End Lat.:	End Lon.:
Harvest depth range (fathe	oms-max/min):/_	
Number of Dives:	No. of hours fished (	bottom time):
Port of Landing:		
Video Record Provided: (	)Yes/( )No (applies to s	ubmersible/ROV harvest only)

### **Catch Information**

Common Name	Species (names subject to change)	Number of Coral Trees Harvested	Weight Harvested (pounds)
Pink Coral	Corallium secundum		
	Corallium regale		
	Corallium laauense		
Gold Coral	<i>Gerardia</i> sp.		
	Callogorgia gilberti		
	Narella sp.		
	Calyptrophora sp.		
Bamboo Coral	Lepidisis olapa		
	<i>Acanella</i> sp.		
Black Coral	Antipathes sp.		
	A. dichtoma		
	A. grandis		
Comments: (current, bottom type, bottom topography, bottom slope, proximity to land, etc.)			

## **Protected Species Information**

(Enter numbers; please identify species in appropriate box)	Marine Mammal/ Turtle	Scalloped Hammerhead Shark/Other
Observed in area		
Observed in vicinity of gear		
Interfering with fishing operations		
Other interactions (specify type)		

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 COMPLETING THE PACIFIC ISLANDS PRECIOUS CORAL DAILY HARVEST LOG

### Effort information

**COLLECTOR/COMPANY NAME:** Individual name (black coral diver), company name of submersible/ROV.

**VESSEL NAME:** Name of support vessel.

PERMIT NO.: Western Pacific Precious Coral Fishery Permit number.

RADIO CALL SIGN: Radio call sign.

DATE OF HARVEST: Date of precious coral harvest.

HARVEST METHOD: Precious coral harvest method, i.e. submersible, hand harvest.

**AREA FISHED**: General area fished, i.e. island or bank name and location.

**START TIME**: Start time (24 hour clock) of harvesting operations.

START LATITUDE, START LONGITUDE: Start location of harvest operations.

END TIME: End time (24 hour clock) of harvesting operations.

END LATITUDE, END LONGITUDE: End location of harvest operations.

**HARVEST DEPTH RANGE**: Maximum and minimum depth of harvest operations (fathoms). **NUMBER OF DIVES**: Number of dives conducted in the day.

**NO. OF HOURS FISHED (bottom time):** Total bottom time of harvesting (all dives combined). **PORT OF LANDING**: Port of vessel return (e.g., Honolulu, Hilo, Kodiak, Los Angeles, etc.). **VIDEO RECORD PROVIDED:** Check the appropriate box if submersible or ROV dive video is submitted with the report.

### **Catch Information**

**NUMBER OF CORAL TREES HARVESTED:** Total number of coral trees harvested, tallied by individual species groups.

**WEIGHT HARVESTED** (lbs): Total wet weight of coral trees harvested, tallied by individual species groups.

### **Protected Species Information**

Enter number of individual species observed in the appropriate activity designation box. Please identify if possible. **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.

### **CONTACT AND VERIFICATION INFORMATION**

**CAPTAIN/OPERATOR:** Print full name, sign on signature line, date of report completion.

#### PACIFIC ISLANDS PROTECTED SPECIES

