

NOTICE OF OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET ACTION

Date 07/30/2008

Department of Commerce
National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
FOR CERTIFYING OFFICIAL: Suzanne Hilding
FOR CLEARANCE OFFICER: Diana Hynek

In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act, OMB has taken action on your request received 07/28/2008

ACTION REQUESTED: No material or nonsubstantive change to a currently approved collection
TYPE OF REVIEW REQUESTED: Regular
ICR REFERENCE NUMBER: 200807-0648-009
AGENCY ICR TRACKING NUMBER:
TITLE: Pacific Islands Logbook Family of Forms
LIST OF INFORMATION COLLECTIONS: See next page

OMB ACTION: Approved without change
OMB CONTROL NUMBER: 0648-0214

The agency is required to display the OMB Control Number and inform respondents of its legal significance in accordance with 5 CFR 1320.5(b).

EXPIRATION DATE: 02/28/2010

DISCONTINUE DATE:

BURDEN:	RESPONSES	HOURS	COSTS
Previous	45,330	2,436	1,048
New	45,330	2,436	1,048
Difference			
Change due to New Statute	0	0	0
Change due to Agency Discretion	0	0	0
Change due to Agency Adjustment	0	0	0
Change Due to Potential Violation of the PRA	0	0	0

TERMS OF CLEARANCE: Terms of the previous clearance remain in effect.

OMB Authorizing Official: Kevin F. Neyland
Deputy Administrator,
Office Of Information And Regulatory Affairs

List of ICs

IC Title	Form No.	Form Name	CFR Citation
Pacific Islands Logbook and Sales Report Forms	NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA, NA	Western Pacific Pelagic Fisheries Transshipment Logbook, Western Pacific Daily Lobster Catch Report Log, Western Pacific/PRIA daily troll and handline log and catch report, Western Pacific Pelagic Fisheries Daily Longline Fishing Logbook, Western Pacific Precious Coral Daily Harvest Log, Western Pacific Lobster Sales Report\, Pacific Remote Island Area Bottomfish logbook and instructions, Western Pacific Precious Coral Sales Report	
Pre-trip and pre-offloading notifications			50 CFR 665
Observer placement meetings			50 CFR 665
Claim for reimbursement			50 CFR 665

**JUSTIFICATION OF CHANGE FOR PACIFIC REMOTE ISLAND AREA (PRIA)
BOTTOMFISH LOGBOOK FORM AND INSTRUCTIONS
OMB CONTROL NO. 0648-0214**

The Pacific Islands Fisheries Science Center has submitted changes to the Western Pacific Daily Bottomfish Fishing logbook and instructions, including changing the title to “PRIA Daily Bottomfish Fishing Log”. Limited changes have been made so that the questions are easier to understand (simpler words are used), and therefore easier for the fishermen to answer. In addition: 1) the title is more specific, 2) we have ensured that instructions are consistent with the logbook, and 3) the listed species are relevant for the local area, and have common local names when applicable.

Specific minor changes include: addition of month/day/year format for departure and return dates, addition of “of departure” and “of landing” to “port” for each event, “Num.” instead of “No.”, more choices of “circle one” rather than checking the blank beside an answer, addition of “24 hour clock” after the “Begin time” blank.

No new data are being required as a result of these minor changes, and the time to complete the forms would likely decrease due to the improved forms and clarity of instructions.



National Marine Fisheries Service - Pacific Islands Region

**PACIFIC REMOTE ISLAND AREAS (PRIA)
DAILY BOTTOMFISH FISHING LOG**

Name of Vessel _____
Permit Number _____

Logbook page # series -

Paperwork Reduction Act Information:

Public reporting burden for this collection is estimated to average 5 minutes 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 Region, NMFS, 1601 Kapiolani Blvd., Suite 1110, Honolulu, HI 96814.

This information is being collected to provide information needed by NMFS to regulate and monitor bottomfish management unit species under the Fishery Management Plan (FMP) for Bottomfish in the Western Pacific Region 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 need 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. Propriety 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.

NMFS Pacific Islands Region - Pacific Remote Island Area (PRIA)

DAILY BOTTOMFISH FISHING LOG

Number: _____

VESSEL NAME _____ PERMIT NUMBER _____

Date of Departure from Port(mm/dy/yr): ____/____/____ Port of departure: _____

Date of Return to Port(mm/dy/yr): ____/____/____ Port of landing: _____

BOTTOMFISH OPERATIONS INFORMATION

Observer on Board: []

Fishing Date ____/____/____ Num. of Lines _____ Num. of Hooks/Line _____ Fishing area/bank _____
 Fishing Location: _____ ° _____ ' N/S(circle one) Latitude; _____ ° _____ ' E/W(circle one) Longitude
 Hours Fished _____ Begin Time: _____:_____ (24 hr. clock) End Time: _____:_____ (24 hr. clock)
 Anchor/Drift (circle one) Fishing Depth Range (fathom) _____
 Wind Speed (knots)/Direction ____/____ Wave Height(feet) _____ Current Speed(knots)/Direction ____/____
 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: _____:_____ (24 hr. clock) END Time: _____:_____ (24 hr. clock)

BOTTOMFISH SPECIES CATCH					BOTTOMFISH SPECIES CATCH cont.				
SNAPPERS:	Pounds Kept	Num. Kept	Num. Rel. dead	Num. Rel. alive	Other species:	Pounds Kept	Num. Kept	Num. Rel. dead	Num. Rel. alive
Onaga					Dog tooth tuna(white tuna)				
Ehu					(specify)				
Gindai					(specify)				
Uku					(specify)				
Lehi					Sharks				
Opakapaka					(specify)				
Yelloweye opakapaka					(specify)				
Taape									
Red Snapper(L. bohar)					CATCH FROM OTHER METHODS USED				
OTHER (specify)					MISC. SPECIES	Pounds Kept	Num. Kept	Num. Release	
					(specify)			Dead	Alive
					(specify)				
GROUPERS:					(specify)				
Lyretail Grouper					(specify)				
Blacktip Grouper									
Roi									
OTHER (specify)					PROTECTED SPECIES				
					MARINE MAMMALS:	Uninjured	Injured	Dead	
EMPERORS:					(specify)				
Redgill Emperor									
Mu					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: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

INSTRUCTIONS FOR PRIA DAILY BOTTOMFISH FISHING LOGBOOK FORM

DAILY BOTTOMFISH LOGBOOK INFORMATION

<u>VESSEL:</u>	Enter name of vessel.
<u>PERMIT NUMBER:</u>	Enter Federal Pacific Remote Island Area (PRIA) Bottomfish fishing permit number.
<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 is on board for this trip.
<u>FISHING DATE:</u>	Enter date (month/day/year) of fishing.
<u>NUM. OF LINES:</u>	Enter number of fishing lines/line haulers.
<u>NUM. 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 ‘; circle N for north or S for south latitude; circle 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 whether anchored or drifting.
<u>FISHING DEPTH RANGE (fathom):</u>	Enter the depth of fishing in fathoms. If the depth varies 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, Number Kept, and Number Release(<i>dead/alive</i>) 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.
<u>INFORMATION ON OTHER FISHING METHODS:</u>	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/gear, 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>PROTECTED SPECIES:</u>	Enter the numbers of protected species released uninjured, injured, or dead.
<u>VESSEL CAPTAIN/ OPERATOR/DATE:</u>	Print and sign name of the captain/operator. Enter date (month/day/year) when the log sheet was completed by the vessel captain/operator.

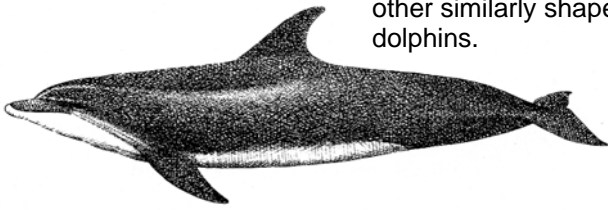
- **The Vessel Captain must record ALL catch and effort information in the logbook within 24 hours of completing the daily fishing activities.**
- **The Vessel Captain must submit completed Trip Level logbook sheets to the National Marine Fisheries Service within 72 hours following his or her return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

Please submit form to: NMFS, Pacific Islands Fisheries Science Center
2570 Dole Street, Rm 119
Honolulu, Hawaii 96822-2396
For further information, call: Phone: (808) 983-5326

DOLPHINS

(70) Bottle-nose dolphin

Round-shaped body when compared with other similarly shaped dolphins.

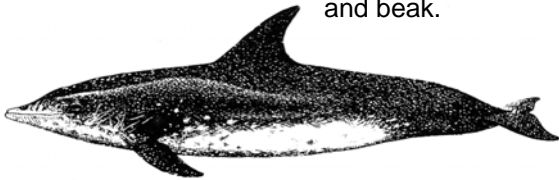


(71) Spinner dolphin



(76) Rough-toothed dolphin

"Steno"; no distinct break between the forehead and beak.



(68) Risso's dolphin

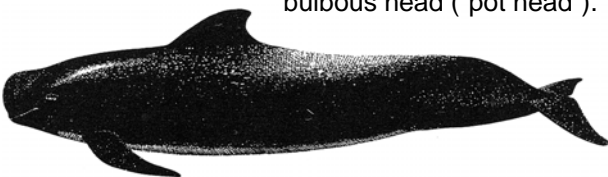
Distinct melon-shaped forehead; no beak; mature animals often scarred over much of their backs.



WHALES

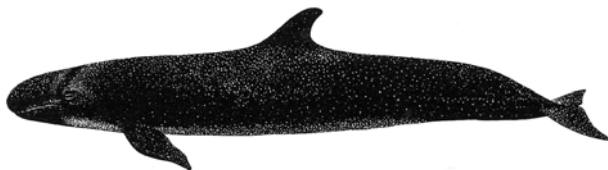
(67) Pilot whale

Large black dolphin; rounded bulbous head ("pot head").



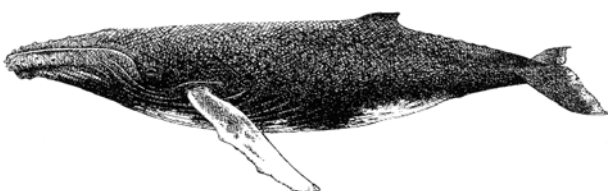
(52) False killer whale

Large black dolphin; head is bullet-shaped.



(66) Humpback whale

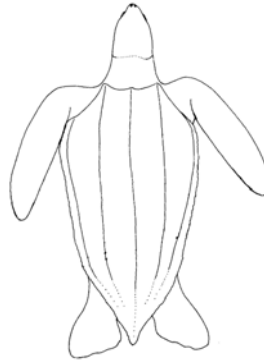
Long flippers (about 1/3 of body length).



TURTLES

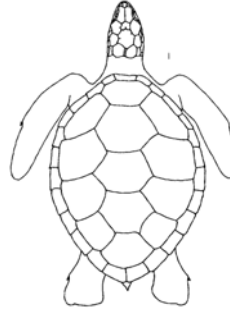
(54) Leatherback (softshell)

Black leathery shell with distinct ridges along the back; often has white spots on flippers and underside; largest sea turtle (4-6 ft).



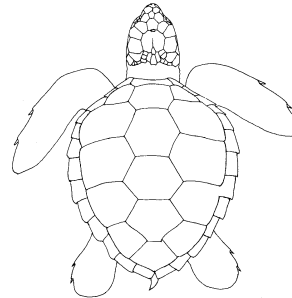
(53) Green turtle

Dark brown to olive with lighter stripes and spots; head small in comparison to body size; blunt beak; only sea turtle with serrated jaw.



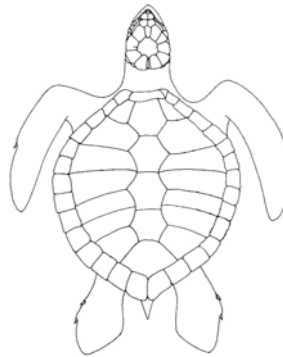
(60) Loggerhead turtle

Reddish-brown shell and flippers; head large in relation to body.



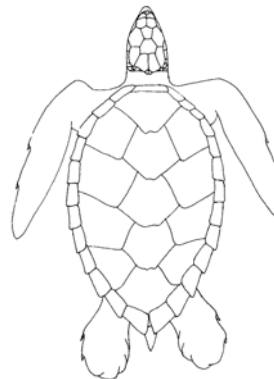
(59) Olive ridley turtle

Slate gray to olive brown; width of shell usually equal to or greater than length.



(64) Hawksbill turtle

Elongated shell often with overlapping scales; usually dark brown with yellow streaks and spots ("tortoise-shell"); head relatively small with long neck; long and narrow hawk-like beak.



(51) Monk seal

Light brown to silver gray in coloration; 3 - 8 ft in length; 150 - 600 lbs.

