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Subject: 2007 ATLANTIC BLUEFIN TUNA LANDINGS, TO DATE

## NOAA FISHERIES

National Marine Fisheries Service

### Atlantic Bluefin Tuna Landing Data

		Current Year: 2007				Previous Year: 2006		
Category	Sub Category	Count of Fish	Average Weight	Gross Weight	Final Initial Quotas	Count of Fish	Average Weight	Gross Weight
General	-	37	313.3	5.3	643.6	37	490.7	8.2
	Harpoon	29	318.1	4.2		17	543.9	4.2
	Rod and Reel	8	295.8	1.1		20	445.4	4.0
Harpoon	-	51	331.4	7.7	53.3	41	561.9	10.4
Longline	-	42	447.3	8.5		37	478.5	8.1
	North	23	359.3	3.7	105.0	27	454.4	5.6
	South	19	553.8	4.8	120.0	10	543.6	2.5
Trap	-				1.4			
Purse Seine	-				254.1			
Angling	-							
	North				2.1			
	South				4.1			
Reserve	-				207.6			
<b>Total:</b>		<b>130</b>	<b>363.7</b>	<b>21.5</b>	<b>1391.2</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>512.1</b>	<b>26.7</b>

#### NOTE

This report **SHOULD NOT** be considered useful for real time catch monitoring purposes. It only includes landings reported to NMFS to date.

**Average Weight:** based on individual weights in pounds.

**Gross Weight:** Metric Tons

**Angling:** Records large, medium and giant size class (trophy). Does not include school, large school or small medium size class tuna harvested.

**Longline North:** Includes quota and landings for the NED set-aside.