

{INTRO1:

Hello, may I please speak with [NAME]? This is [INTERVIEWER], calling from Macro International. You spoke with one of your field staff member on [TRIPDATE] during a day of fishing in [STATE] at [SITENAME].

If questflag=2, display: "I am calling to ask a few follow-up questions that could not be collected in the field."

If questflag=1, display "I am calling to verify some of the data that the interviewer recorded."

If questflag=3, display "I am calling to verify some of the data that the interviewer recorded and to ask a few follow-up questions that could not be collected in the field."

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.}

{Note to programmer: If questflag=2, go to YEARSFISH}

{V1: Our records indicate that on TRIPDATE you spoke with one of our field staff members during a saltwater recreational fishing trip in STATE at SITENAME. Were you interviewed?

1 Yes, interviewed

(SKIPTO END1) 2 No, not interviewed

(SKIPTO END1) 8 Don't Know/Don't Remember

(SKIPTO END1) 9 Refused}

{V2: Did the interviewer conduct the interview in a courteous and professional manner?

(SKIPTO V4) 1 Yes

2 No

(SKIPTO V4) 8 Don't Know/Don't Remember

(SKIPTO V4) 9 Refused }

{V3: Please tell me why you think they were discourteous or unprofessional?

1 record response

8 Don't Know

9 Refused}

{V4: Did you catch any fish that were available for the interviewer to look at? By that I mean fish that you had not thrown back, already used for bait, or filleted.

1 Yes
(SKIPTO V12) 2 No
(SKIPTO V12) 8 Don't Know
(SKIPTO V12) 9 Refused }

{V5: The remaining questions refer only to the fish you kept that were not used for bait or filleted. Did the interviewer look at all of your fish, some of your fish, or none of your fish?

(SKIPTO V7) 1 All fish looked at
2 Some fish looked at
3 No fish looked at

{ASK V6 THEN SKIP TO V12}
{PROGRAMMER: SET FLAG NOLOOK=1}

(SKIPTO V7) 8 Don't Know
(SKIPTO V7) 9 Refused }

{V6: Why didn't the interviewer look at all of your fish?

1 Respondent didn't have time/didn't want to unpack, etc.
2 There were too many/more than 15 of one species
3 The interviewer didn't ask to see them
7 Other (Specify)
8 Don't Know
9 Refused }

>{PROGRAMMER: IF NOLOOK=1, GOTO V12 }

{V7: Did the interviewer weigh all, some, or none of your fish?

(SKIPTO V9) 1 All fish weighed
2 Some fish weighed
3 No fish weighed
(SKIPTO V9) 8 Don't Know
(SKIPTO V9) 9 Refused }

{V8: Why didn't the interviewer weigh all of your fish?

1 Respondent didn't have time/didn't want to unpack, etc.
2 They were gutted
3 There were too many/more than 15 per species
4 They were too big
5 The interviewer didn't ask to weigh them

- 7 Other (Specify)
- 8 Don't Know
- 9 Refused }

{V9: Did the interviewer measure the length of all, some, or none of your fish?}

- (SKIPTO V11) 1 All fish measured
- 2 Some fish measured
- 3 No fish measured

{ASK V10 THEN SKIP TO V12}
{PROGRAMMER: SET FLAG NOLENGTH=1}

- (SKIPTO V12) 8 Don't Know
- (SKIPTO V12) 9 Refused }

{V10: Why didn't the interviewer measure the length of all of your fish?}

- 1 Respondent didn't have time/didn't want to unpack, etc.
- 2 There were too many/more than 15 per species
- 3 The interviewer didn't ask to measure them
- 7 Other (Specify)
- 8 Don't Know
- 9 Refused }

>{PROGRAMMER: IF NOLENGTH=1, GOTO V12 }

{V11: Did the interviewer use a measuring board or a tape measure to measure your fish?}

- 1 Measuring board
- 2 Tape measure
- [3 Both measuring board and tape measure](#)
- 8 Don't Know
- 9 Refused }

{V12: Approximately what time of day were you interviewed by our staff member?}

- 1 6:00 a.m. - 8:59 a.m.
- 2 9:00 a.m. - 11:59 a.m.
- 3 12:00 Noon - 2:59 p.m.
- 4 3:00 p.m. - 5:59 p.m.
- 5 6:00 p.m. - 8:59 p.m.
- 6 9:00 p.m. - 11:59 p.m.
- 7 12:00 Midnight - 5:59 a.m.
- 8 Don't Know

9 Refused }

{Note to programmer: If questflag=1, go to END1}

{YRSFISH:

How many years have you been saltwater recreational fishing?

001 record number of years

888 Don't know

999 Refused}

{If modeflag=6 or 7 go to peop_pay} - PC

{TRIPS:

Have you been saltwater fishing since [TRIPDATE], the day you were interviewed?

[It may be helpful to reassure the respondent that you will only be asking a few quick questions about one recent trip.]

1 Yes

2 No SKIPTO PEOP_PAY

8 Don't know SKIPTO PEOP_PAY

9 Refused SKIPTO PEOP_PAY}

{MODE:

Please think of your **most recent** day of saltwater fishing. Did you fish from a ...

[To see definitions of each mode, type HELP]

1 Party/charter boat

2 Private boat

3 Rental boat

4 Shore (beach, bank, jetty, pier)

8 Don't know

9 Refused}

{TARGET:

Were you targeting or hoping to catch any particular species or kinds of fish?

Accept up to two target species

9997 Anything/no particular species

0001 *NMFS to provide species list*

9995 Other (specify)
9996 Other (specify)

9998 Don't know
9999 Refused}

{CONF1:

The species you have selected are:

Display Species 1
Display Species 2

Is this correct?

1 Yes
2 No

{Reset to TARGET}}

{TRIPST_O:

If mode is 1 or 4 or 8, or 9, display - In what city and state did you fish? First, what was the state?
If mode is 2 or 3, display - From which city and state did you launch your boat? First, what was the state?

01 Display state list (with fips codes for response category numbers)

02 *NMFS - This is all coastal states, including states not part of MRFSS, right?*

{CITY_OTH:

In what city?

1 Record city name
98 Don't Know
99 Refused}

{TRIP_LEN:

Was that day of fishing part of a longer trip in which you spent at least one night away from your residence?

1 Yes
2 No SKIPTO PEOP_PAY
8 Don't know SKIPTO PEOP_PAY
9 Refused SKIPTO PEOP_PAY}

{TRIPNITE:

How many nights were you away from residence on that trip?

01 Record number of nights {If 0, skipto PEOP_PAY}

98 Don't Know

99 Refused}

{TRIPDAYS:

How many days of the trip were spent fishing? I am asking about the number of days that were actually spent fishing on the most recent trip, and **not** the total number of days you were away.

01 Record number of days

98 Don't Know

99 Refused}

{CORRECT1: If tripdays is greater than tripnite+1, display
The number of days fished exceeds the number of nights away.

Reset to TRIPNITE}

{TRIPFISH:

Did you make the trip **primarily** to go fishing?

1 Yes

2 No

8 Don't know

9 Refused}

{Programmer:

If modeflag=6 or 7 OR (TRIPS=2,8, or 9), set versflag=1 }

{Programmer:

If versflag=1, set wording variable = "the trip that included the day you were intercepted"

If versflag=0, set wording variable = "your most recent trip" }

{PEOP_PAY:

Now I would like to ask you about expenses you made for consumable items during :\wording\.

I'm interested in expenditures for the whole trip, not just for the time spent fishing.

How many people, including yourself, contributed to expenses for the trip?

01 Record number of people (If 1, set indiv=1)

98 Don't Know
99 Refused}

{TRIP_01:

About how much did you individually spend for the following items?

Display if indiv=0: If you can't recall how much you spent individually for each question, please tell me how much was spent by the group of people who went on the trip with you.

Food, drink and refreshments?

00 Zero/Nothing (Skip to TRIP_02)
01 Record amount
98 Don't Know (Skip to TRIP_02)
99 Refused (Skip to TRIP_02)}

{TRIP_01BY: Ask if indiv=0

And was that your individual expenses or the group's expenses?

01 Individual
02 Group}

{for version 2 (versflag=0) if TRIP_LEN=2, for version 1 (versflag=1) if LONGTRIP=1 Skip to TRIP_04}

{TRIP_02:

Lodging at motels, cabins, lodges or campgrounds?

00 Zero/Nothing (Skip to TRIP_03)
01 Record amount
98 Don't Know (Skip to TRIP_03)
99 Refused (Skip to TRIP_03)}

{TRIP_02BY: Ask if indiv=0

And was that your individual expenses or the group's expenses?

01 Individual
02 Group}

{TRIP_03:

Transportation other than your own car, such as plane, train, bus or car rental?

00 Zero/Nothing (Skip to TRIP_04)

- 01 Record amount
- 98 Don't Know (Skip to TRIP_04)
- 99 Refused (Skip to TRIP_04)}

{TRIP_03BY: Ask if indiv=0

And was that your individual expenses or the group's expenses?

- 01 Individual
- 02 Group }

{TRIP_04

Boat fuel?

- 00 Zero/Nothing (Skip to TRIP_05)
- 01 Record amount
- 98 Don't Know (Skip to TRIP_05)
- 99 Refused (Skip to TRIP_05)}

{TRIP_04BY: Ask if indiv=0

And was that your individual expenses or the group's expenses?

- 01 Individual
- 02 Group }

{TRIP_05:

Guide or package fees for party or charter boats?

- 00 Zero/Nothing (Skip to TRIP_06)
- 01 Record amount
- 98 Don't Know (Skip to TRIP_06)
- 99 Refused (Skip to TRIP_06)}

{TRIP_05BY: Ask if indiv=0

And was that your individual expenses or the group's expenses?

- 01 Individual
- 02 Group }

{TRIP_06:

Access and/or boat launching fees for access to pier, park, launch?

- 00 Zero/Nothing (Skip to TRIP_07)
- 01 Record amount

- 98 Don't Know (Skip to TRIP_07)
- 99 Refused (Skip to TRIP_07)}

{TRIP_06BY: Ask if indiv=0

And was that your individual expenses or the group's expenses?

- 01 Individual
- 02 Group}

{TRIP_07:

Equipment rental for boat, fishing or camping equipment?

- 00 Zero/Nothing (Skip to TRIP_08)
- 01 Record amount
- 98 Don't Know (Skip to TRIP_08)
- 99 Refused (Skip to TRIP_08)}

{TRIP_07BY: Ask if indiv=0

And was that your individual expenses or the group's expenses?

- 01 Individual
- 02 Group}

{TRIP_08:

Live, cut or prepared bait?

- 00 Zero/Nothing (Skip to TRIP_09)
- 01 Record amount
- 98 Don't Know (Skip to TRIP_09)
- 99 Refused (Skip to TRIP_09)}

{TRIP_08BY: Ask if indiv=0

And was that your individual expenses or the group's expenses?

- 01 Individual
- 02 Group}

{TRIP_09:

Ice?

- 00 Zero/Nothing (Skip to TRIP_11)
- 01 Record amount
- 98 Don't Know (Skip to TRIP_11)

99 Refused (Skip to TRIP_11)}

{TRIP_09BY: Ask if indiv=0

And was that your individual expenses or the group's expenses?

01 Individual

02 Group}

{TRIP_11:

Cleaning fees?

[These are fees paid at the dock for fileting and cleaning fish]

00 Zero/Nothing (Skip to TRIP_10)

01 Record amount

98 Don't Know (Skip to TRIP_10)

99 Refused (Skip to TRIP_10)}

{TRIP_11BY: Ask if indiv=0

And was that your individual expenses or the group's expenses?

01 Individual

02 Group}

{TRIP_10:

Ask if TRIP_01 through TRIP_09 and **TRIP_11** are all 98 or 99

Could you estimate the **total** amount that was spent for the trip?

00 Zero/Nothing (Skip to BOATEXP)

01 Record amount

98 Don't Know (Skip to BOATEXP)

99 Refused (Skip to BOATEXP)}

{TRIP_10BY: Ask if indiv=0

And was that your individual expenses or the group's expenses?

01 Individual

02 Group}

{BOATEXP:

On an annual basis, how much do you usually spend on mooring, storage, maintenance, and insurance for your fishing boat?

[If the respondent owns more than one boat that is used for saltwater fishing, ask about the boat that is used the most.]

- 00 Zero/Nothing
- 01 Record amount
- 98 Don't Know
- 99 Refused}

{EQUIP_01:

For the next several questions, I'd like you to think about fishing equipment which was purchased during :\MONTH. For purchases during :\MONTH, how much did you spend on rods, poles, reels, and lines?

- 00 Zero/Nothing
- 01 Record amount
- 98 Don't Know
- 99 Refused}

{EQUIP_02:

Tackle and gear (lures, hooks, leaders, sinkers, flies, and fly-tying supplies/tackle boxes, landing nets, bait containers, minnow seines, knives?

- 00 Zero/Nothing
- 01 Record amount
- 98 Don't Know
- 99 Refused}

{EQUIP_03:

Ask if EQUIP_01 and EQUIP_02 are 98 or 99

Could you tell me the total amount that was spent for fishing equipment purchases during :\MONTH?

- 00 Zero/Nothing
- 01 Record amount
- 98 Don't Know
- 99 Refused}

{OTHIT_01:

And we're interested in how much you spent for several items purchased during :\MONTHS, where

the items were purchased **primarily** for use in saltwater recreational fishing.

Some of these next items that I'll ask about are multi-purpose items which could be used for other things in addition to salt water recreational fishing. Please limit your responses to items purchased **PRIMARILY** for saltwater recreational fishing, even if you use them for other things.

During the next MONTHS, how much did you spend on camping equipment (such as sleeping bags, packs, tents) primarily used for saltwater recreational fishing.

- 00 Zero/Nothing
- 01 Record amount
- 98 Don't Know
- 99 Refused}

{OTHIT_02:

Binoculars, field glasses, or similar equipment.

- 00 Zero/Nothing
- 01 Record amount
- 98 Don't Know
- 99 Refused}

{OTHIT_03:

Special fishing clothing such as foul weather gear, boots, and waders.

- 00 Zero/Nothing
- 01 Record amount
- 98 Don't Know
- 99 Refused}

{OTHIT_04:

Processing and taxidermy fees.

- 00 Zero/Nothing
- 01 Record amount
- 98 Don't Know
- 99 Refused}

{OTHIT_05:

Subscriptions to magazines devoted to recreational fishing.

- 00 Zero/Nothing

- 01 Record amount
- 98 Don't Know
- 99 Refused}

{OTHIT_06:

Dues or contributions to national, state or local recreational fishing clubs or organizations.

- 00 Zero/Nothing
- 01 Record amount
- 98 Don't Know
- 99 Refused}

{OTHIT_09:

Saltwater fishing licences or fees.

- 00 Zero/Nothing
- 01 Record amount
- 98 Don't Know
- 99 Refused}

{OTHIT_07:

Any other miscellaneous expenses for items which you primarily use for saltwater recreational fishing that were not listed elsewhere?

- 00 Zero/Nothing
- 01 Record amount
- 98 Don't Know
- 99 Refused}

{OTHIT_08:

Ask if OTHIT_01 through OTHIT_07 and **OTHIT_09** are all 98 or 99

Could you tell me the total amount that was spent for these types of items during :\MONTHS, where the items were purchased **primarily** for saltwater recreational fishing?

- 00 Zero/Nothing
- 01 Record amount
- 98 Don't Know
- 99 Refused}

{DURAB_01:

The last set of questions concerns new boats and durable equipment that was purchased to be used **primarily** for saltwater recreational fishing during the last 12 months. Again, please limit your responses to items purchased **PRIMARILY** for saltwater recreational fishing, even if you use them for other things.

During the past 12 months, how much did you spend on new motor boats or motor boat accessories, including hull, motor and accessories?

- 00 Zero/Nothing
- 01 Record amount
- 98 Don't Know
- 99 Refused}

{DURAB_02:

Canoe or other non-motor boat?

- 00 Zero/Nothing
- 01 Record amount
- 98 Don't Know
- 99 Refused}

{DURAB_03:

Depth/fish finder or other electronic fishing devices?

- 00 Zero/Nothing
- 01 Record amount
- 98 Don't Know
- 99 Refused}

{DURAB_04:

Vehicles (such as pickup, camper, RV, motor home, or trailer/hitch) used primarily for saltwater recreational fishing?

- 00 Zero/Nothing
- 01 Record amount
- 98 Don't Know
- 99 Refused}

{DURAB_05:

Second home used primarily for saltwater recreational fishing?

- 00 Zero/Nothing

- 01 Record amount
- 98 Don't Know
- 99 Refused}

{DURAB_06:

Ask if DURAB_01 through DURAB_05 are DK or Ref

Could you tell me the total amount that was spent for durable fishing equipment purchases such as these during the last twelve months?

- 00 Zero/Nothing
- 01 Record amount
- 98 Don't Know
- 99 Refused}

{FISHRATE:

Compared to your other recreational activities, would you rate fishing as... [Read list]

[By other recreational activities I mean things such as golfing, hiking, hunting and tennis.]

- 01 Your most important recreational activity
- 02 Your second most important recreational activity
- 03 Only one of many recreational activities
- 98 DK
- 99 Refused}

{FISHKEEP:

Do you usually keep some of the fish you catch?

- 01 Yes
- 02 No
- 98 Don't Know
- 99 Refused}

{FISHBHVR:

Ask if (versflag=1 and (state of trip = state of residence)) OR
ask if (versflag=0 and (TRIPSTATE = state of residence

If conservation measures were implemented in :\state of residence: that prohibited marine recreational anglers from keeping fish, though catch and release would be allowed, would you:

01 Travel to another state to fish

02 Continue fishing in :\state of residence: even though you could not keep any of the fish you caught

03 Continue fishing in :\State of Residence: even though you could not keep any of the fish you catch, but spend more of your money on other recreational activities within :\Enter State of Residence:

04 Stop fishing in :\State of Residence: but spend your money on other recreational activities within :\State of Residence:

05 other (specify)

98 Don't know

99 Refused}

{END1: That's all the questions I have for you. Thank you very much for your time and assistance.}