

Gear Description - Finfish Trawl

Observer code	Vessel code	Trip ID
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Net type (check one):	<input type="checkbox"/> Midwater	<input type="checkbox"/> Bottom		Net #:	
Configuration (check one):	<input type="checkbox"/> Otter trawl	<input type="checkbox"/> Beam trawl	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____		
Net deployment position (check one):	<input type="checkbox"/> Stern	<input type="checkbox"/> Port	<input type="checkbox"/> Stbd		

Net Manufacturer / design name: _____

Otter Trawl

Doors - Main				Doors - Dummy			
Material:	Aluminum / Steel / Wood / Other _____			Material:	Aluminum / Steel / Wood / Other _____		
Length (m)		Height (m)		Length (m)		Height (m)	
Weight (kg)		Type	Square / Oval / V / Other	Weight (kg)		Type	Square / Oval / V / Other

	Length (m)	Diameter (mm)	Material	Other
Door legs - top				
Door legs - bottom				
Penant				
Groundline				
Bridle (top leg)				
Bridle (bottom leg)				

Beam Trawl

	Length (m)	Weight (kg)	Material	Other
Beam				
Stake				

	Length (m)	Diameter (mm)	Material	Other
Bridle (main)				
Bridle (secondary-top)				
Bridle (secondary-bottom)				
Chain weight				Weight:

Otter and Beam Trawl

	Length (m)	Diam (mm)	Material	Other
Warp				
3rd wire				
Head rope				# floats:
Foot rope				
Selvedge line				
Tickler chain				Weight:
Other				

	Width (cm)	Diam (cm)	Material	Other
Metal bobbins				How many?
Metal spacers				How many?
Rubber discs				How many?
Rubber spacer				How many?
Other				

Net Characteristics

Total length (m):		Mouth width:			Mouth height:		
	Material	Diam. (mm)	Mesh open (cm)	W / D	# meshes long	# meshes around	Other
Wing			.				
Trawl body			.				
Extension			.				
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Other							
Other							

Other rigging present? Check all that apply.

<input type="checkbox"/>	Chaffing gear	<input type="checkbox"/>	Vert.Streng.Strap	<input type="checkbox"/>	Lazy line	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other:
<input type="checkbox"/>	Elephant ears	<input type="checkbox"/>	Horiz.Streng.Strap	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	Other:
<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	Splitting Strap	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	

Photos? Y / N

Bycatch Reduction Device (BRD)

Type: Fisheye Square-mesh window Other:
 Radial escape section Square-mesh codend

Funnel Yes No
 Distance of escape opening from headrope: m
 Distance of escape opening from tie off rings: m

Fisheye		Offset		Radial escape section		
Opening (cm)	Width <input type="text"/>	Height <input type="text"/>		Opening (cm)	Width <input type="text"/>	Height <input type="text"/>
Shape	<input type="checkbox"/> Oval	<input type="checkbox"/> Diamond		Length <input type="text"/>		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Square	<input type="checkbox"/> Halfmoon		If not all the way around, #openings <input type="text"/>		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Rectangle	<input type="checkbox"/> Triangle				
	<input type="checkbox"/> Other:					
Square-mesh window						
Opening (cm)	Width <input type="text"/>	Height <input type="text"/>				

BRD notes/drawing

Comments: