



Tagging Program Registration Form

To register your tagging program with ASMFC and have it appear in our searchable online database, please complete the attached registration form and submit it via e-mail or postal mail to:

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Program Name: _____

Street Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Contact Person: _____

Phone: (_____) _____

Fax: (_____) _____

E-mail: _____

Website: _____

1. What are the objectives of the tagging program? (check all that apply)

- | | |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> To provide growth information | <input type="checkbox"/> For public relations reasons |
| <input type="checkbox"/> To provide mortality information | <input type="checkbox"/> To see how long fish live |
| <input type="checkbox"/> To provide migration information | <input type="checkbox"/> To see where the fish went |
| <input type="checkbox"/> For enjoyment | <input type="checkbox"/> To help Fisheries Research |

Other: _____

2. What species do you tag? (Indicate priority species)

- | | |
|----------|-----------|
| 1. _____ | 6. _____ |
| 2. _____ | 7. _____ |
| 3. _____ | 8. _____ |
| 4. _____ | 9. _____ |
| 5. _____ | 10. _____ |

3. Was tagging program developed to address a specific scientific need?

- No
 Yes (if yes, please describe the need)

4. Does the tagging program work with state or federal fisheries management agencies?

- No
 Yes (if yes, please list the agencies)

5. What range of state waters are fish tagged in?

First state: _____ Last state: _____

6. What type of tags are used in the program?

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|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Coded Wire Tags | <input type="checkbox"/> Opercle clips |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dart tag | <input type="checkbox"/> Oxy-Tetracycline |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fin tags | <input type="checkbox"/> Peterson Disc |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fin Clipping | <input type="checkbox"/> Spaghetti tags |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Gun tags | <input type="checkbox"/> T-bar tags |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Internal Anchor tags | <input type="checkbox"/> Visual Implant |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ | |

7. Who manufactured the tags?

- Floy Tags
- HallPrint Tags
- Jersey Cape Diagnostics
- Northwest Marine Tech
- Other: _____

8. What color tags are used?

- | | |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> black | <input type="checkbox"/> orange, flourescent |
| <input type="checkbox"/> blue | <input type="checkbox"/> pink |
| <input type="checkbox"/> blue, dark | <input type="checkbox"/> pink, dark |
| <input type="checkbox"/> blue, light | <input type="checkbox"/> pink, flourescent |
| <input type="checkbox"/> brown | <input type="checkbox"/> purple |
| <input type="checkbox"/> clear | <input type="checkbox"/> red |
| <input type="checkbox"/> green | <input type="checkbox"/> various |
| <input type="checkbox"/> green, dark | <input type="checkbox"/> white |
| <input type="checkbox"/> green, flourescent | <input type="checkbox"/> yellow |
| <input type="checkbox"/> green, light | <input type="checkbox"/> yellow, flourescent |
| <input type="checkbox"/> orange | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ | |

9. Does the program have a standard numbering system for tags?

- No
- Yes (if yes, please list the range of numbers)

10. Where on the fish are your tags placed?

- Fin tag on anal fin
- Caudal Fin
- In muscle of the caudal peduncle
- In muscle on dorsal surface, anterior of first dorsal fin
- In muscle on dorsal surface, between 1st & 2nd dorsal fins
- In muscle on dorsal surface, posterior of 2nd dorsal fin
- Fin tag on dorsal fin
- Adipose eye tissue
- Tag on opercle
- Otoliths tagged chemically
- Fin tag on pectoral fin
- Fin tag on pelvic fin
- Prosoma (crab carapace) dorsal
- Prosoma (crab carapace) side
- On ventral surface / gut / abdominal area
- Shell Whorl
- Other: _____

11. Who is allowed to tag for your group?

- Academic Researchers
- Agency Personnel only
- Anyone
- Commercial Fishermen
- Other: _____
- Group members only
- Recreational Fishermen
- Trained Taggers only

12. Does the program provide training or instructions on tagging techniques?

- No
- Yes

13. What data does the program collect when fish are released and recaptured?

Release Information

- Length
- Weight
- Date of release
- Location of release
- Scales
- Species
- Other: _____

Recapture Information

- Length
- Weight
- Date of release
- Location of release
- Scales
- Species
- Other: _____

14. Does the program manage data in a computer system?

- No
- Yes

If yes, which operating system does the computer use?

- Windows
- Mac OS
- Linux
- Other: _____

If yes, what computer program is used to manage and store the data?

- | | |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> MS Excel | <input type="checkbox"/> Paradox database |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Quattro-Pro | <input type="checkbox"/> dBase database |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ascii text file | <input type="checkbox"/> FileMaker Pro |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Statistical Analysis Software
(SAS) Database | <input type="checkbox"/> Dos Based Dataease |
| <input type="checkbox"/> MS Access Database | <input type="checkbox"/> Foxplus |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Foxpro database | <input type="checkbox"/> Oracle |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lotus 1-2-3 | <input type="checkbox"/> Microsoft SQL Server |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> MySQL |

15. Does the program make data available to state or federal management agencies?

- No
 - Yes (if yes, list agencies)
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16. Does the program provide information to anglers who submit tag returns?

- No
- Yes

If yes, what information is provided?

- | | |
|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Release date | <input type="checkbox"/> Program description and data uses |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Time at large | <input type="checkbox"/> Species information/publications |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tagged + recapture lengths | <input type="checkbox"/> Recapture information sent to tagger |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tagged + recapture weights | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Letter of thanks | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tagged + recapture location | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Distance traveled by fish | |

17. Does the program have a reward system for tag returns?

- No
- Yes

If yes, what type of reward is provided?

- Cash - \$_____
- Lottery for cash - \$_____
- Hat
- Patch
- T-shirt
- Other: _____

18. Additional comments:
