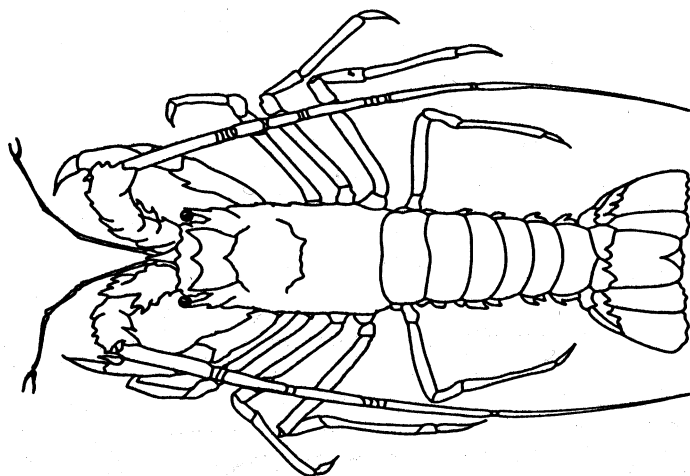




Australian Fisheries Management Authority

Torres Strait Tropical Rock Lobster Daily Fishing Log -TRL04



Vessel Name

**THE INFORMATION IN THIS LOGBOOK IS CONFIDENTIAL AND
PROTECTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE *TORRES STRAIT FISHERIES REGULATIONS***

Vessel, Gear and Skipper Details

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Please inform the Logbook Coordinator of any major changes to the vessel, gear or contact details within 14 days of changes made – a second form is located in the middle of this logbook for your convenience.

Vessel Details

Vessel Name:

Distinguishing Symbol:

Log No:

Port Details

Home Port

Operational Details

Do divers operate from the primary vessel? Yes No

Number of divers usually working from each dinghy at any one time:

Total number of crew (primary vessel + dinghies):

Vessel Details

Can you hold live product? Yes No

Fish hold capacity: tonnes

Live holding capacity: kilograms

Skipper Contact Details

Name:	<input type="text"/>
Mailing address:	<input type="text"/>
Business:	(<input type="text"/>)
Mobile:	<input type="text"/>
Facsimile:	(<input type="text"/>)
Home:	(<input type="text"/>)
Email address:	<input type="text"/>

Owner Contact Details

Name:	<input type="text"/>
Mailing address:	<input type="text"/>
Business:	(<input type="text"/>)
Mobile:	<input type="text"/>
Facsimile:	(<input type="text"/>)
Home:	(<input type="text"/>)
Email address:	<input type="text"/>

Vessel Contact Details

Telephone:	(<input type="text"/>)
Mobilesat Number:	<input type="text"/>
Facsimile Number:	(<input type="text"/>)
Email address:	<input type="text"/>

Authorised Person / Master Signature:

Printed Name:

Date / /

Please provide an estimate of the time taken to complete this form:

minutes

The Tropical Rock Lobster Logbook – TRL04

GENERAL INFORMATION AND INSTRUCTIONS FOR HOLDERS OF FISHING LICENCES

Purpose

This logbook is to be used when fishing for Tropical Rock Lobster in the area of the Torres Strait Tropical Rock Lobster Fishery. It is designed to provide a continuous record of tropical rock lobster fishing operations undertaken by Commonwealth licence holders.

Accurate data collected in this logbook is essential to provide information for research into and management of Torres Strait fisheries.

Important Information and Instructions

Completing the logbook

- This logbook must be completed for every day that the fishing licence is in force, regardless of whether or not fishing takes place on that day (see the “How to Complete” section).
- All logbook information must be recorded on a daily basis and details for the last day of the trip must be recorded before the boat docks at the end of each trip.
- The pages in this logbook are self-carbonating. Please use a ballpoint pen when completing forms. Place the fold-out flap under the original and duplicate pages to prevent writing transferring to the next set of forms.

Location of the logbook

- This logbook must be on board the boat during tropical rock lobster fishing operations.

Who should use this logbook ?

- The holder of the fishing licence is responsible for ensuring that this logbook is completed and that it is certified as complete and correct.
- The holder can do these things personally. Alternatively, the holder can ensure these things are done on their behalf by a person authorised in writing to do so by the fishing licence holder in the approved form. Contact AFMA for details of how to authorise another person to complete the logbook.

Submitting logsheets

This logbook contains numbered pages in duplicate which are referred to as logsheets. Original copies must be returned to AFMA in date order in either the reply paid envelope provided or posted to:

The Logbook Co-ordinator
Australian Fisheries Management Authority
BOX 376
Thursday Island QLD 4875

by the 14th day of the following month, eg logsheets for March are due by the 14th of April. Duplicate copies should be retained.

Vessel, Gear and Skipper Details form

- The fishing licence holder must ensure that the Vessel, Gear and Skipper Details Form attached to this logbook is accurately completed and returned to AFMA within 14 days of receipt of the logbook.
- A second Vessel, Gear and Skipper Details form is located in the middle of the logbook. The fishing licence holder must ensure this second form is completed and returned to AFMA if any boat and/or gear details, or contact details of any person authorised to complete this logbook, change. Additional forms are available from AFMA if required.

Penalties

Fishing licence holders and persons completing this logbook on their behalf are advised that:

- (i) a failure by a licence holder to ensure the completion of the logbook in accordance with these instructions,
- (ii) the giving of false or misleading information in the logbook by the fishing licence holder or a person completing the logbook on their behalf, or
- (iii) the recording or communicating by the fishing licence holder or anyone else of information in a logbook concerning the affairs of another person, or the producing of such information, except in the performance of a duty under the Torres Strait Fisheries Management Act 1984 or the regulations made under that Act or in pursuance of a court order

may constitute serious offences under Commonwealth laws.

Licence holders are also advised that failure to ensure the completion of the logbook in accordance with the instructions may lead to suspension or cancellation of their licence.

Help Available

There is an example of a completed logsheet and further information and instructions about how to complete the logbook at the front of this logbook. If you have any questions or problems, please contact an AFMA Logbook Officer on (02) 6272 5029.

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How to Complete

Completing the Log Page

Page Header

Enter the Boat Name and Distinguishing Symbol here.

Extended Non-Fishing Period

If you are not fishing for an extended period within the month(s), please specify the non-fishing dates and the appropriate non-fishing code. This will reduce the number of logsheets need to account for every day your fishing concession is valid.

Fishing Details

Trip Details

Trip details are to be completed at the start and end of every trip. A trip is considered to be from leaving port to begin fishing to returning to port. Unloading to other vessels may occur during a trip. If a trip is longer than 7 days, record the “departure date” and the “port of departure” on the 1st page for that trip and the “landing date” and the “port of landing” on the last page for that trip.

Non-Fishing Code

Please specify the non-fishing code for that day.

Location

You must be record the location of the primary vessel. Please provide the location as a latitude and longitude (degrees and minutes).

Fishery

Indicate which fishery you are operating in that day by circling ‘TS’ for Torres Strait Fishery and ‘EC’ Queensland East Coast Fishery. If you fishing in both fisheries in one day, please complete two columns.

Time Box

All Commonwealth Departments are required to have time boxes included on their forms. This initiative forms a part of the Government’s regulatory reform strategy to reduce the paperwork and compliance burden on business.

Catch Details

To be recorded daily

Hookah/Free

For each method you must record:

Total Hours Fishing

Record the total number of hours fishing for that method for each dory. Fishing time is regarded as the time the dory leaves the primary vessel to when it returns. Include the primary vessel if it has engaged in fishing operations.

Location

You must be record the location of the primary vessel. Please provide the location as a latitude and longitude (degrees and minutes).

Lobster Tails (kg)

For each dory record the total estimated weight of lobster tails for that method in kilograms.

Lobster Live (kg)

For each dory record the total estimated weight of live lobsters for that method in kilograms.

Total Number Lobster

For each dory record the total number of lobsters for that method.

Daily Totals

Lobster tails

Sum the catch of lobster tails for all the vessels operating that day.

Live lobster

Sum the catches of live lobsters for all the vessels operating that day.

Pearl Shell (no.)

Record the total number of pearl shells collected while diving for that day for each method.

Spanish Mackerel

For recording small incidental catches of spanish mackerel only. For catches over 25kg use the appropriate finfish logbook.

Mixed Reef Fish

For recording small incidental catches of mixed reef fish only. For catches over 25kg use the appropriate finfish logbook.

Signature and Date Box

The concession holder or their authorised representative must provide their name and sign and date the logsheet as being a complete and accurate record. NOTE: Any reference to Master in this logbook should be interpreted as the concession holder or their authorised representative.

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Original Copy – Send to AFMA

Vessel Name: **Dist. Symbol:** **Log No:** **Page No:**

Extended Non-Fishing I did not work between / / and / / Non-Fishing Code NON-FISHING CODES 1 Bad Weather 2 In Port 3 Broken down 4 Steaming 5 Other fishery

Trip Details Departure Date / / Port of Departure Landing Date / / Port of Landing

Date	/ /		/ /		/ /		/ /		/ /		/ /		/ /	
Location (Position of primary Vessel)	Latitude (degrees & min.)		/ /		/ /		/ /		/ /		/ /		/ /	
	Longitude (degrees & min.)		/ /		/ /		/ /		/ /		/ /		/ /	
Non-Fishing code														
Fishery (Circle one)	TS	EC	TS	EC	TS	EC	TS	EC	TS	EC	TS	EC	TS	EC

Catch Details		Hookah	Free	Hookah	Free	Hookah	Free	Hookah	Free	Hookah	Free	Hookah	Free	Hookah	Free
Dinghy 1	Total hours fishing														
Diver:	Lobster tails (kg)														
Diver:	Lobster live (kg)														
	Number Lobster (voluntary)														
Dinghy 2	Total hours fishing														
Diver:	Lobster tails (kg)														
Diver:	Lobster live (kg)														
	Number Lobster (voluntary)														
Dinghy 3	Total hours fishing														
Diver:	Lobster tails (kg)														
Diver:	Lobster live (kg)														
	Number Lobster (voluntary)														
Dinghy 4	Total hours fishing														
Diver:	Lobster tails (kg)														
Diver:	Lobster live (kg)														
	Number Lobster (voluntary)														
Dinghy 5	Total hours fishing														
Diver:	Lobster tails (kg)														
Diver:	Lobster live (kg)														
	Number Lobster (voluntary)														
Dinghy 6	Total hours fishing														
Diver:	Lobster tails (kg)														
Diver:	Lobster live (kg)														
	Number Lobster (voluntary)														
Daily Total	Lobster tails (kg)														
	Lobster live (kg)														
	Pearl shells (no.)														
	Spanish mackerel gilled & gutted weight (kg)														
	Mixed reef fish gilled & gutted weight (kg)														

Comments

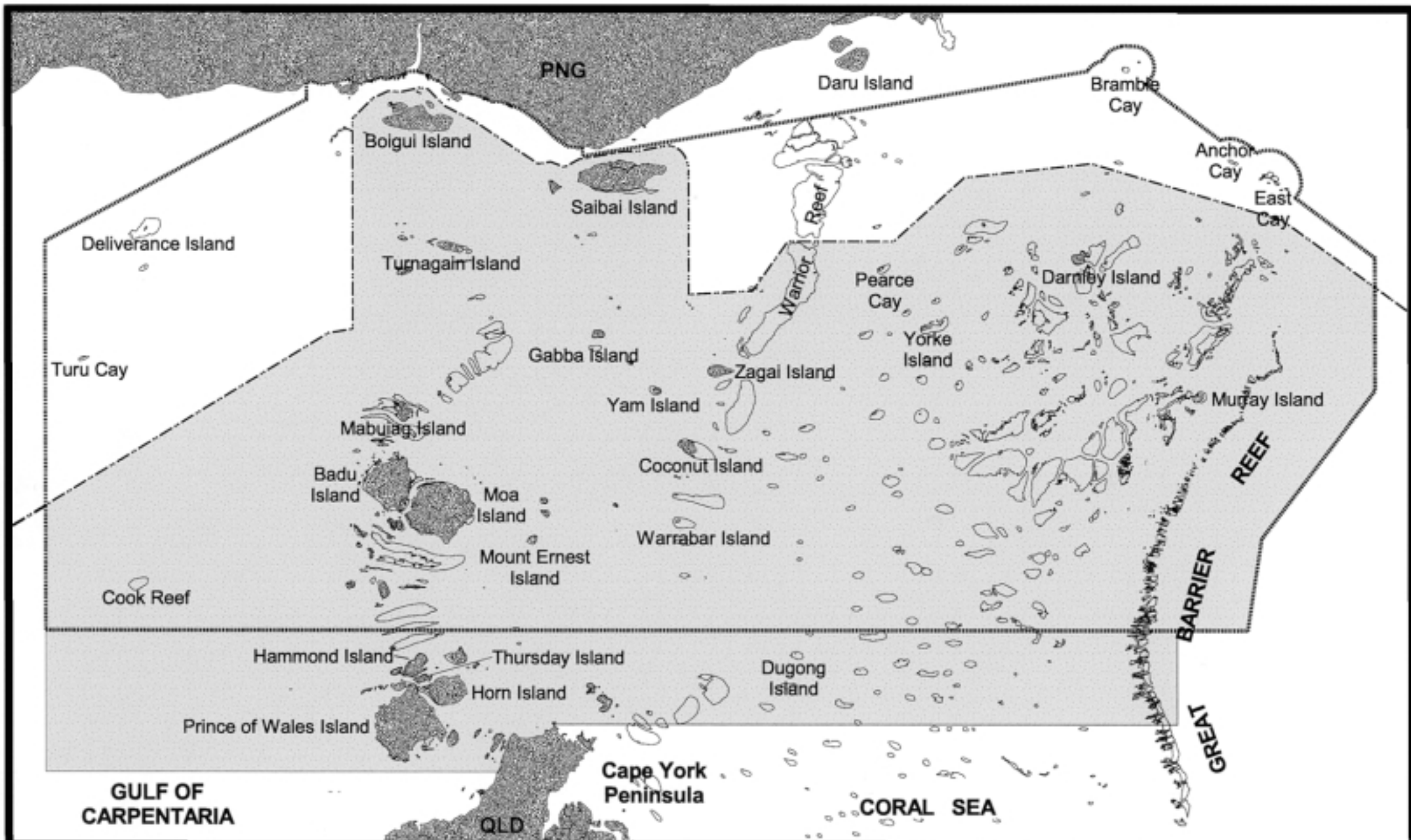
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Date / /



Signature

I certify that the information I have provided on this form is a true and accurate record.

Master's Printed Name



Map produced in Arcview April 2002
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 Torres Strait Protection Zone
 Fisheries Jurisdiction Line

 Area of the Torres Strait
Tropical Rock Lobster Fishery

PLEASE REMEMBER

- In this logbook you must account for every day that your Fishing Licence is in force, regardless of whether or not you fish on that day.
- You must send in your logsheets by the 14th day of the following month. For example, logsheet returns for March are due by the 14th of April.
- The “Vessel, Gear and Skipper Details” sheet must be completed and returned with your first catch sheet returns. A second “Vessel, Gear and Skipper Details” sheet is located in the middle of the logbook. This should be completed if the vessel, gear or skipper changes.
- This logbook must be filled out on the vessel during the course of the trip.
- The requirement to complete and furnish logbook returns is prescribed in the *Torres Strait Fisheries Regulations*.

Don't forget to insert this template under the log page you're writing on.