Tagged Albacore have a green dart tag in their back
Archival tags are data recording devices that are implanted in the belly with a stalk sticking out.

$500: Whole fish w/Archival tag/
$300: Archival tag only/
$20: Dart tag only

To Claim your reward

Record
1) Date
2) Catch latitude and longitude
3) Fork Length and unit (cm or in)
4) Dart and/or Archival Number
5) Fisherman/ gear type/ contact info

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• US Commercial: Fish and/or tags can be delivered to the nearest processor.
• US Recreational: Contact above to coordinate shipping and reward.
• Outside the US: Contact National Fishery Agency or people listed above.

NOTE: All shipping costs will be paid for by NOAA

Archival tag in belly with stalk sticking out.

To remove make shallow incision from ~6” to ½ “ towards head from stalk.

Tear tissue to open belly and expose tag.

Gently remove tag, it may be encased in tissue. Store it in a safe place.

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