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visit <https://wildlife.ca.gov/Fishing/Commercial/MFSU/Logbook-Request>

COMMERCIAL DIVE FISHING LOG



CALIFORNIA NATURAL
RESOURCES AGENCY

CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

INSTRUCTIONS

- **Each sea urchin or sea cucumber permittee is required to prepare a daily log. Use one log for each month of fishing activity (use additional pages if necessary). Do not submit a log for the months not fished.**
 - Place flyleaf under duplicate copy. No carbon paper is required. Do not allow book to get wet.
 - Use a ball-point pen. Enter all information at top of the log.
- Field descriptions for each location fished:
- “Day” is the calendar day fished
- “Block Number” is the origin block number from the California Fisheries Chart Series available at <https://wildlife.ca.gov/Fishing/Commercial/MFSU>
- “Lat/Lon” is the latitude and longitude, to the 0.01 minute, of the catch location
- “Species” is the species of the catch
- “Landmark” is the most generally recognizable feature near the area fished
- “Depth Range” is the minimum and maximum depths fished (in feet)
- “Diver Hours” is the total time underwater, to the nearest ½ hour, at each dive site
- “Pounds Harvested” is the combined weight of all harvested catch species
- “Port” is the port of landing
- “Dealer” is the name of the dealer buying the catch
- “Fish Ticket Number” is the serial number of the electronic fish ticket (E-tix) or landing receipt associated with the harvested catch.
- “Remarks” are comments on the catch or other noteworthy conditions
- One line should be completed for each location fished, if more than one location is fished on a single day.
 - Please mail to the Department of Fish and Wildlife the top Department’s copy of the logs on a monthly basis in compliance with Section 190 of Title 14, California Code of Regulations.
 - By the 10th day of the following month, completed logs should be returned to:

(All sea cucumber logs)

Calif. Dept. of Fish and Wildlife
1933 Cliff Drive, Suite #9
Santa Barbara, CA 93109

(Southern California sea urchin logs)

Calif. Dept. of Fish and Wildlife
3030 Old Ranch Parkway, Suite 400
Seal Beach, CA 90740

(Northern California sea urchin logs)

Calif. Dept. of Fish and Wildlife
3637 Westwind Blvd.
Santa Rosa, CA 95403

1. Information requested by:	NOTICE California Natural Resources Agency Department of Fish and Wildlife Marine Region
2. Responsible Agency Official:	Regional Manager, Marine Region California Dept. of Fish and Wildlife 3030 Old Ranch Parkway, Suite 400 Seal Beach, CA 90740
3. Authority:	California Code of Regulations Title 14, Sections 190 and 120.8 California Fish and Game Code Sections 8026 and 8405.1
4. Each sea urchin or sea cucumber permittee is required to prepare a daily log. Failure to keep and submit complete and accurate logs may result in revocation or suspension of your diving permit by the Department.	
5. Fishing activity records shall be kept on forms provided by the Department.	
6. All fishing activity records shall be deemed confidential upon receipt by the Department. Information provided on the logs is summarized and used to develop a profile of the fishery, including catch area and depth, relative changes in population, catch-per-unit-of effort, etc. This data will aid in developing management measures to insure a long-term viable fishery. Summaries, without reference to individuals, will be available to the public.	
7. Information provided on logs may be made available to the National Marine Fisheries Service, Pacific Fishery Management Council, and the Pacific States Marine Fisheries Commission.	
8. Every individual has the right of access to their own information: California Civil Code Section 1798 et seq	

To request a new dive fishery logbook, visit
<https://wildlife.ca.gov/Fishing/Commercial/MFSU/Logbook-Request>
or call CDFW Marine Fisheries Statistical Unit at (562) 342-7130

EXAMPLE

Each diver is required to fill out their own log
Please use a separate row for each species (see instruction sheet)

Month of Jan Year 2025

Permit Holder (name) Christopher Cabezon

Permittee's I.D. # L 56799

Vessel Name Uni-licious

CDFW Commercial Boat Registration Number 33000

Day	Block Number	Lat/Lon. (to 0.01 minutes)		*Species (see codes below)	Landmark	Depth Range (feet)	Hours**	Pounds Harvested	Port	Dealer	Fish Ticket Number	Remarks
		Latitude	Longitude									
5	685	34 01.71	119 36.71	RSU	Mutlexa Bay	10 - 50	2	750	SB	Unico LLC	923456E	Good day
10	684	34 01.29	120 23.75	WSC	Kladdy reef	5 - 24	3	556	SB	Browens Fish	917581E	Rough Conditions
27	708	33 59.41	119 32.34	PSU	Riens ridge	45 - 70	1.5	180	SB	Unico LLC	966211E	Big Swell
27	710	33 55.33	119 58.77	RSU	Sterek rock	27 - 92	3	672	SB	Leberg Uni	934761E	Large urchin
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*Species Codes: red sea urchin = RSU, purple sea urchin = PSU, warty sea cucumber = WSC, giant red sea cucumber = GRS
Wavy turban snail = WTS, Kellet's whelk = KW, Keyhole limpet = KHL

**Diver hours = Total hours spent harvesting underwater at this location, to the nearest ½ hour

Signature: Christopher Cabezon
Permit Holder

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Permit Holder (name) _____
Vessel Name _____

Permittee's I.D. # L _____
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