

COUNTRY / ENTITY	GEAR TYPE	Date Submitted	see NOTES
Australia	LL, PL, PS, TR	30 Apr 2012	(17), (25)
Belize	LL	2 May 2012	
Canada	TR	29 Apr 2012	
China	LL (DWFN)	30 Apr 2012	(12), (25)
	LL (offshore)	30 Apr 2012	(12)
	PS	30 Apr 2012	(6), (8), (9), (15)
Chinese Taipei	LL (DWFN)	30 Apr 2012	(10), (24), (25)
	LL (small)	30 Apr 2012	(13), (23), (24), (25)
	PS	30 Apr 2012	(15)
Cook Islands	LL, TR	30 Apr 2012	(20)
Ecuador	PS	9 May 2012	(17)
El Salvador	PS	26 Apr 2012	(17)
Federated States of Micronesia	LL, PS	30 Apr 2012	(20)
Fiji Islands	LL, PL	30 Apr 2012	(20)
French Polynesia	LL	30 Apr 2012	(20)
Indonesia	LL, PS, OT		
Japan	LL	28 Apr 2012	(2), (10), (25)
	PL	28 Apr 2012	
	PS	28 Apr 2012	
Kiribati	PS	30 Apr 2012	(20)
Marshall Islands	LL, PS	30 Apr 2012	(20)
New Caledonia	LL	25 Apr 2012	(20)
New Zealand	LL, PL, HL, PS	30 Apr 2012	(17), (25)
Niue	LL	30 Apr 2012	(20)
Palau	LL, PL	30 Apr 2012	(21)
Papua New Guinea	LL, PS	30 Apr 2012	(20)
Philippines	PS, HL		
	RN, OT		
Republic of Korea	LL	27 Apr 2012	(25)
	PS	27 Apr 2012	(4), (15)
Samoa	LL	30 Apr 2012	(20)
Senegal	LL	30 Apr 2012	(21)
Solomon Islands	LL	30 Jun 2012	(20)
	PL, PS	30 Apr 2012	(20)
Spain	LL	5 Jul 2012	(3), (12)
	PS	3 May 2012	
Tonga	LL	30 Apr 2012	(20)
Tuvalu	LL, PS	30 Apr 2012	(20)
United States	LL (American Samoa)	28 Apr 2012	(11), (25)
	LL (Hawaii)	28 Apr 2012	(11), (25)
	PS (Treaty)	28 Apr 2012	(17)
	TR (North Pacific)	28 Apr 2012	(11)
	TR (South Pacific)	28 Apr 2012	(11)
Vanuatu	LL, PS	30 Apr 2012	(20)
Vietnam	LL, GN, PS		
Wallis and Futuna	LL		

NOTES

- The catch data are in units of weight (kgs or metric tonnes) only, rather than both numbers of fish and weight.
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- The catch data are for swordfish only.
- The unit of effort is "days on which a set was made", rather than "days fished or searched".
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- The catch/effort data are not stratified by the required categories of school association
- The units of effort are unknown, or non-standard
- No effort data provided
- The data are aggregated by 5°x5° instead of 1°x1°
- Unraised data stratified by 5°x5°, month and hooks between floats were also provided
- National legislation (or policy) requires that time/area strata comprising data for less than three vessels can not be disseminated.
- The 5°x5°/month Longline catch and effort data are not stratified by "Hooks between Floats"
- Coverage of data provided is less than 50%
- No breakdown of Billfish species catch provided
- The estimation of bigeye in the reported yellowfin-plus-bigeye catch has not been undertaken in these data
- The spatial aggregation is non-standard (must be 5°x5° for Longline; 1°x1° for surface fisheries)
- Aggregate data not provided, but have been generated from annual catch estimates and/or operational data submitted to the WCPFC.
- Data have not been "raised" to represent total catch and effort
- Species composition of main tuna species catch does correspond to annual catch estimates
- Aggregate data not provided, but have been generated from annual catch estimates and operational data made available to the SPC by their member countries.
- This fleet was inactive in the WCPFC Convention Area.
- Distant-water longline fleet data do not cover the entire Pacific Ocean (required for stock assessments of certain species)
- Represents a combination of data provided by the flag state (for domestically-based vessels) and coastal states
- Vessel numbers per Month and Area provided.
- Catches of shark by species provided
- Aggregate data provided for the WCPO area (Pacific Ocean west of 150°W) and not the WCPFC Convention Area
- Catches of shark by species provided, but coverage of these catches is very low