

GFAA Australian Record Application

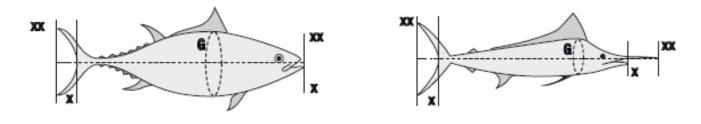
Form for Recording Freshwater and Saltwater Gamefish Catches

Read all GFAA angling rules and requirements before completing and signing this application. The angler's signature on the completed form must be witnessed by a notary. This application must be accompanied by line or tippet samples complete with double, leader and hooks, clear photographs as specified in the GFAA Record Requirements, current certification of the scale on which the fish was weighed and the filing fee. If the lure does not accompany the claim, then a photograph of the rig and a sized drawing of the lure must be included. Hybrids and other species which may pose a problem of identity should be examined by an ichthyologist or qualified fishery biologist.

I am submitting this application for: (tick one only)		METHOD OF CATCH (trolling, casting, flyfishing, etc)			
□ Saltwater Landbased □ Saltwater Fly		FIGHTING TIME			
□ Freshwater	Freshwater Fly	ANGLER:			
In the category: (tick those that apply)		(please print as you wish it to appear on your record certificate)			
□ Womens		Permanent address (include state and postcode):			
□ Junior Male	□ Junior Female (under 16)				
Small Fry Male	□ Small Fry Female (under 11)				
Capture Clubs: (tick those that apply)		Angler's fishing club			
□ 15 to 1 Club	* Assistance Certificate				
□ 10 to 1 Club	* Boat Plaque (*see separate application form)	EQUIPMENT			
Line or tippet class		Rod			
SPECIES		Make			
Common name		Tip length (centre reel to end of tip):mm			
Scientific name		Butt length (centre reel to lower end of butt):mm			
WEIGHTkg		Reel			
LENGTH (see measurement diagrams):		Make:Size:			
X to Xmm/XX to XXmm		Line or tippet Make:Size:			
GIRTH (see measurement diagrams)mm		Length of double linemm			
DATE OF CAPTURE:					
LOCATION OF CAPTURE		Make of backingSize			
STATE:		OTHER EQUIPMENT			
Was this fish captured during a tournament? YES/NO		Type of Gaffmm			
Name of tournament		Length of trace or leadermm			
Was this tournament sanctioned? YES/NO		Number of hooks:			
		Name of lure, fly or bait:			

BOAT (if used)	WITNESS TO THE WEIGHT			
Name:	Witnesses to weight (other than angler, captain or weighmaster)			
Makemts	Name:			
I/we certify that this capture was made in	Name			
accordance with GFAA rules.	Signature:			
Captain's name	Address			
Signature				
Address				
Mate's name	WITNESSES TO CATCH			
Signature	Witnesses to catch (other than captain). List two names and addresses if possible. On fly rod records a witness is mandatory.			
Address:	1			
SCALES				
Location:				
Туре:	2			
Manufacturer				
Date last certified:				
Person and/or agency that certified scales	Number of persons witnessing catch:			
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	VERIFICATION OF SPECIES IDENTITY			
Scales must have been certified within 12 months prior to	(see GFAA record requirements)			
the date of capture	Signature of examining ichthyologist:			
WEIGHMASTER				
Name:	Address			
Signature:(see check list)				
Address:				

Species Measurements Measure as indicated below, take lengths from x to x and xx to xx. Take girth around the fish on the line marked G or at largest dimension location.



Statutory Declaration

Name:....

Address:....

Occupation:....

I do solemnly and sincerely declare that the fish described in this Application for an Australian Record was hooked, fought and brought to gaff by me without assistance, that it was caught strictly in accordance with the Rules of the Game Fishing Association of Australia, and that the line submitted with this application is the actual line used to catch the fish. I further declare that I am a financial member of a gamefishing club or a gamefishing division within a club affiliated with GFAA.

And I make this solemn declaration by virtue of the Statutory Declaration Act 1959, and subject to the penalties provided by that Act for the making of false statements in Statutory Declarations, conscientiously believing the statements contained in this declaration to be true in every particular.

	the	Signed			
Declared at		day of	20		
		Before me:			
		Title:			

If a Smallfry/Junior record application, give the Applicants date of birth:....

THE FOLLOWING ITEMS MUST ACCOMPANY THIS CLAIM

- 1. The first 16m of the actual line used in the capture, including the entire double line and the leader.
- 2. A full length photograph of the fish showing dorsal and pectoral fins, angler and tackle used and scales.
- 3. Photograph showing the teeth of shark.
- 4. Photograph/tracing of any two-hook arrangement used and lure showing the necessary arrangements and measurements.
- 5. Certificate of scales.
- 6. Filing fee of \$20.00 (incl. GST) payable to GFAA for each record claim.
- 7. Additional Filing fee of \$27.50 (incl. GST) for 10 to 1, 15 to 1 & 20 to 1 claims.
- 8. Additional Filing fee of \$110.00 (incl. GST) 1000lb claim.
- 9. Late Payment, where applicable, \$110.00 (incl. GST) payable to GFAA.

The application must be forwarded to the Recorder of GFAA through the State branch in whose waters the capture was made. Note: This Statutory Declaration must be witnessed by a JP or an authorized Notary.

	Check Angler	K List Weigh Master	Club Sec	State Assoc	GFAA Remarks	
CHECK GFAA RULES						
CHECK SPECIES						
CHECK FOR MUTILIATIONS (if any full explanations) Mutilation which could affect fighting capabilities will disqualify capture).						
LINE: ONE PIECE 16.0M						
Including double.						
DOUBLE LENGTH OK						
Including knots, swivels, clips, etc.	_	_	_	_		
LEADER LENGTH OK						
Including hook, lure, etc HOOK ARRANGEMENT OK						
ROD & REEL OK & MEASURED						
GAFFS CHECKED & MEASURED						
WEIGHING To nearest LOWER graduation NET weight. SCALE TEST CERTIFICATE OK						
& ENCLOSED WITH CLAIM						
CAPTURE CERTIFICATE OK & ENCLOSED						
PHOTOS 1. Show full length of fish, dorsal fin, Pectoral fins, tackle used and scales.						
2. Sharks teeth.						
3. Any unusual scars, etc.						
 Lure if not included with claim. Mark length on back of photo. 						
FISH IDENTIFICATION POSITIVE						
FEE ENCLOSED						
	Date received by Club/////					
<u>Note</u> : Late fee will apply unless claim reaches GFAA within two (2)	Date recei	Date received by State Association////				
months of capture except in extenuating circumstances.						