



# ALABAMA MARINE RESOURCES DIVISION REEF FISH TAGGING PROJECT

If you catch a reef fish (snapper, grouper, triggerfish, porgy, grunt, jack, etc.) with a yellow Alabama Marine Resources tag located in the left "shoulder" of the fish, simply fill out as much information on this form as possible and contact an AMRD office. If you are releasing a fish with a tag, do not remove the tag, but continue to report. Photos of the fish are appreciated but not required.

You can report your fish by:

email: dcnr.swtags@dcnr.alabama.gov  
phone: 251-968-6605  
mailing: Reef Fish Tag Return  
AL Marine Resources Division  
P.O. Drawer 458  
Gulf Shores, AL 36547

Forms can also be dropped off at either the Dauphin Island or Gulf Shores AMRD offices.  
For more information visit [www.outdooralabama.com/swtags](http://www.outdooralabama.com/swtags).  
Thank you for your assistance with this important research!

## CATCH INFORMATION

Fish Species: \_\_\_\_\_

Tag Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Capture Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Fork Length of Fish (to nearest 1/8 inch if possible): \_\_\_\_\_

or

Total Length of Fish (to nearest 1/8 inch if possible): \_\_\_\_\_

Catch Location (GPS coordinates and/or reef name): \_\_\_\_\_

Bottom Type (circle answer) :      Natural Reef      Artificial Reef      Flat/Sand/Mud

Was the fish released (circle answer)?    YES    NO    If YES, was the fish released with tag (circle answer)?    YES    NO

Was the fish (circle answer):                  Vented                  Descended                  Neither

What was the condition of the fish at release (circle answer)?

Swam Away      Floating      Eaten by dolphin      Eaten by fish/shark      Other

## ANGLER INFO

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_