

**COMISIÓN INTERAMERICANA DEL ATÚN TROPICAL**

**COMITÉ CIENTÍFICO ASESOR**

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**INFORME ANUAL DE LOS OBSERVADORES CIENTÍFICOS EN LA PESCA CON  
PALANGRE DE TAIPEI CHINO EN EL ÁREA DE LA CONVENCIÓN DE  
ANTIGUA (2023)**

**FLEET INFORMATION (vessels >20m LOA)**

		Both set types combined						Shallow sets ( $<15$ HPB/HBF <sup>1</sup> or $<100$ m max hook depth)						Deep sets ( $\geq 15$ HPB/HBF or $\geq 100$ m max hook depth)					
		From			To			From			To			From			To		
Period covered	Date range	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year	Day	Month	Year
				1	JAN	2023	31	DEC	2023	5	AUG	2023	31	DEC	2023	1	JAN	2023	31
Area fished	Longitude	Deg.	Min.	Hem.	Deg.	Min.	Hem.	Deg.	Min.	Hem.	Deg.	Min.	Hem.	Deg.	Min.	Hem.	Deg.	Min.	Hem.
		149	59	W	126	6	W	148	16	W	130	55	W	149	59	W	126	6	W
	Latitude	Deg.	Min.	Hem.	Deg.	Min.	Hem.	Deg.	Min.	Hem.	Deg.	Min.	Hem.	Deg.	Min.	Hem.	Deg.	Min.	Hem.
		20	26	S	35	17	N	8	32	S	35	17	N	20	26	S	3	3	N
		Total Fleet	Observed	% observed	Total Fleet	Observed	% observed	Total Fleet	Observed	% observed	Total Fleet	Observed	% observed						
No. of vessels that fished		102	14	14	17	3	18	85	12	14									
No. of trips		156	14	9	27	3	11	129	12	9									
No. of effective days fishing		10256	958	9	828	87	11	9428	871	9									
No. of sets		10256	958	9	828	87	11	9428	871	9									
No. of hooks (in thousands) <i>(If unknown, approx. no. of hooks/set, using a *)</i>		28871	1665	6	2539	152	6	26332	1513	6									
Predominant <sup>2</sup> hook type/size (IATTC <a href="#">(IATTC code)</a> )		CIRCLE/4	CIRCLE/4		TUNA/3.8	TUNA/3.8		CIRCLE/4	CIRCLE/4										
Predominant bait type <sup>3</sup>		F	F		F	F		F	F										

<sup>1</sup> Hooks per basket / Hooks between floats

<sup>2</sup> "Predominant" means most common, i.e., >50%. [Click here for IATTC hook codes.](#)

<sup>3</sup> Bait code: SQ – squid; F – fishes (e.g. Scomber spp.); A – artificial lure (e.g. plastic jig)

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<b>Billfishes</b>										
BIL	Marlin, sailfish, spearfish, nei (Istiophoridae, Xiphiidae)		6						6	
SWO	Swordfish ( <i>Xiphias gladius</i> )	7	115			30		7	85	
BUM	Blue marlin ( <i>Makaira nigricans</i> )		2						2	
MLS	Striped marlin ( <i>Kajikia audax</i> )	1	8			1		1	7	
SFA	Indo-Pacific sailfish ( <i>Istiophorus platypterus</i> )		2			2				

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