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NMFS FISHERIES OBSERVER PROGRAM

LOBSTER, CRAB, & FISH POT GEAR CHARACTERISTICS LOG

OBS/TRIP ID	
DATE LAND mm/yy	/

GEAR CODE	GEAR NUMBERS(S)	NUMBER OF POTS

POT CHARACTERISTICS

SHAPE
Unknown 00 ___
Rectangular 01 ___
Round/Oval 02 ___
1/2 Round 03 ___
Cone 04 ___
Trapezoid 05 ___
Other 99 ___

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SIDE CONSTRUCTION
Unknown 0 ___
Wood Lathe 1 ___
Plastic
Coated Wire 2 ___
Twine Mesh 3 ___
Plastic Mesh 4 ___
Combination 8 ___
Other 9 ___

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LENGTH in WIDTH in
Top _____ _____
Bottom _____ _____

HEIGHT _____in

AVERAGE
DISTANCE BETWEEN POTS

_____ ft

ENTRANCE

NUMBER _____

INSIDE RING SIZE _____.____in

LOCATION
Unknown 0 ___
Top 1 ___
Side 2 ___
End 3 ___
Combination 8 ___
Other 9 ___ _____

ESCAPE VENT

USED? NO 0 ___ YES 1 ___

NUMBER _____

SHAPE
Unknown 00 ___
Rectangular 01 ___
Round/Oval 02 ___
Other 99 ___

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LENGTH _____._____in

HEIGHT _____._____in

LOCATION
Unknown 0 ___
Top 1 ___
Side 2 ___
End 3 ___
Combination 8 ___
Other 9 ___

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BIODEGRADABLE PANEL

USED? NO 0 ___ YES 1 ___

ATTACHMENT TYPE
Unknown 0 ___
Iron Hogrings 1 ___
Degradable Plastic 2 ___
Softwood Lathe 3 ___
Uncoated Wire 4 ___
Other 9 ___

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BAIT

METHOD
Unknown 0 ___
String 1 ___
Bait Bag 2 ___
Other 9 ___

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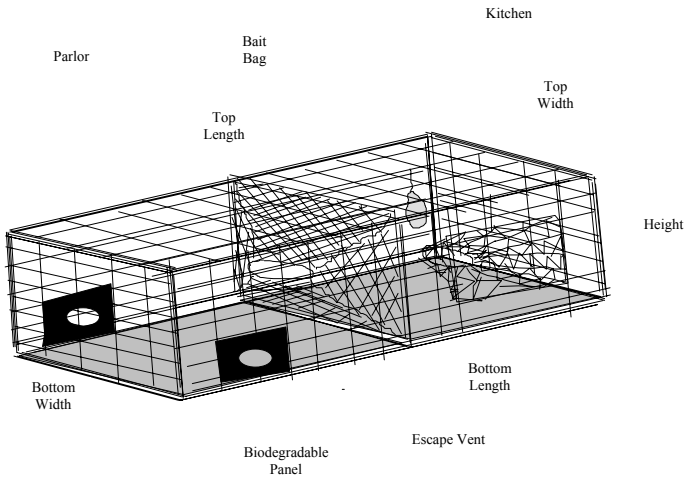
COMMENTS

RECTANGULAR LOBSTER TRAP
WIRE CONSTRUCTION