



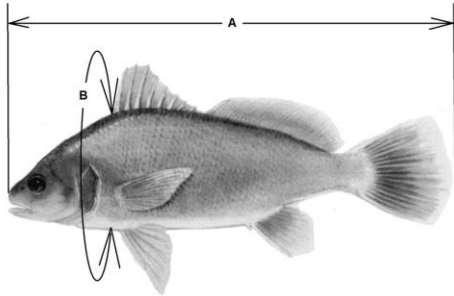
# North Carolina Bowhunters Association

-----Official Scoring Form – Bow Fishing-----

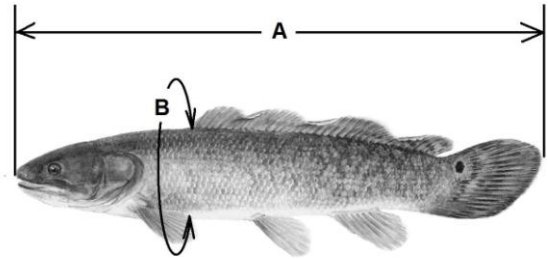
Print Species of Fish : \_\_\_\_\_

Check Both if Applicable

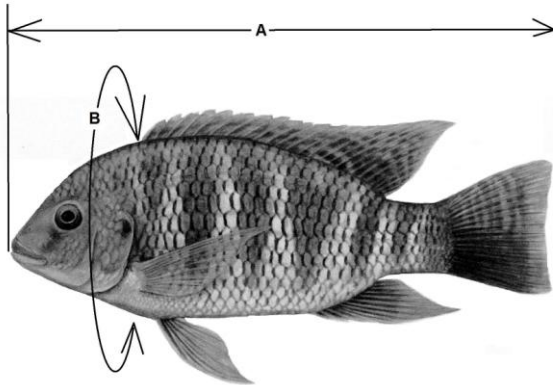
All Time Record    Annual Contest    Year: \_\_\_\_\_



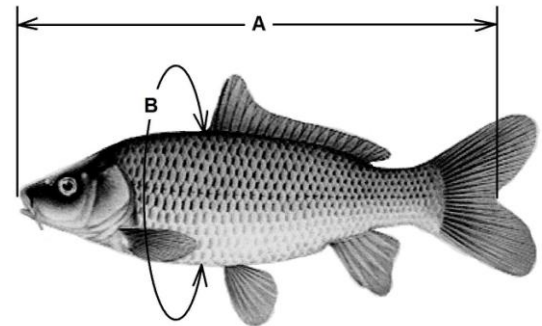
Freshwater Drum  
No Minimum Weight



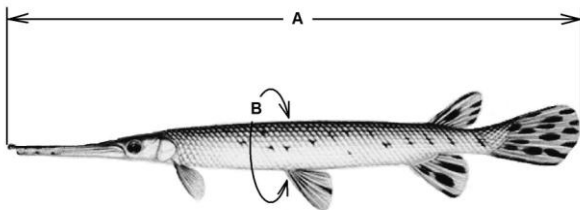
Bowfin  
Minimum Weight : 5lb



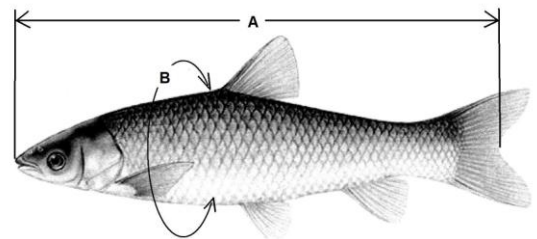
Tilapia  
No Minimum Weight



Common Carp  
Minimum Weight : 12lb  
Circle Type: Yellow, Gold, Mirror (Israeli), Other



Longnose Gar  
Minimum Weight : 10lb



Grass Carp  
Minimum Weight : 20lb

<u>Bow (Circle One):</u>		Traditional    65%or less letoff Compound    More than 65% letoff	
<b>Note:</b> Take all measurements to the nearest one-eighth (1/8) of an inch. Length is the tie breaker. If weight / Length the same, then Girth is the tie breaker.		Location Taken (Lake/River/County): _____ (State/Prov)	
		Date Taken : _____ BowFishers Name : _____	
		Bowfisher Address : _____	
<b>Measurements</b>		City/State/Zip : _____	
Greatest Length	_____	Phone Number : _____	
Greatest Girth	_____	Remarks: _____	
<b>Weight</b>	_____		
		License Type: _____	

Scored & Witnessed By : \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Instructions for measuring and entering Fish into the NCBA "All Time Record List" and the "Annual Awards Contest"

1. The fish must be weighed on the most accurate scales available, to the nearest ounce. Potential state record fish must be weighed on certified scales.
2. The fish must be measured for "length" from the tip of the nose to the approximate center of the tail to the nearest 1/8 of an inch. Note the differences for each species of fish on the sketch.
3. The "Girth" of the fish shall be measured at the largest place in the approximate location shown on the sketch for each species to the nearest 1/8 of an inch.
4. Circle the name of the fish on the score sheet.
5. The entrant shall fill in, or provide all required information on the score sheet as required by the rules.
6. The witness to the weighing and measuring of the fish shall sign the score sheet, or provide a written affidavit attesting to the same.

Rules:

1. All entries must be weighed and measured for "length" and "girth".
2. A witness to the weigh-in must sign the score sheet.
3. The shooter must possess either a NC sportsman License, a Primitive Weapons License, or a Special Devices License. The type of license and the license number must be recorded on the score sheet in the space provided.
4. A photo of the fish and entrant shall be submitted along with the score sheet, if at all possible.
5. NCBA members must turn score sheets into the Records Chairman by the announced cutoff date each year, usually in January, to qualify for the "NCBA Annual Contest". There is NO cutoff date for entry into the "All Time Records Listings" and entrants are not required to be NCBA member when fish are harvested.
6. The official score and placement on the "All Time Records" shall be determined by the total weight of the fish, in pounds and ounces. The heaviest entry shall "score", or be "listed" in the highest position.
7. In the event of a tie in weight, the winner shall be determined first by the greater Length. In the event of a tie in Length, then the winner shall be determined second by the greater Girth. In the event that the weight, length, and girth are all exactly the same, then the fish involved shall be declared a "TIE".
8. Any fish taken from a river, stream, lake or other impoundment which has an abnormally low water level due to extreme drought or drainage, whether natural or intentional, shall NOT be eligible for inclusion in the NCBA "All time Records" or "NCBA Annual Awards Contest". The fish must have an avenue of escape.
9. Fish taken from waters where "Reciprocal" agreements with adjacent states exist are eligible for NCBA Annual Contests and the NCBA "All time Records Listings"

Affidavit : (to be filled out and signed by the Bowfisher)

I, \_\_\_\_\_, certify that this fish was taken in accordance with all the above stated rules, and in compliance with all state and local laws pertaining to Bowfishing.

Bow fisher's Signature : \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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I certify that I have weighed and measured the above trophy on \_\_\_\_\_ at

(address) \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_, and that these measurements and data are, to the best of my knowledge and belief, made in accordance with the instructions given. Note : An official NCBA Measurer need NOT be ther person to officially weigh and measure the fish. But, the entrant must have a witness to the weighing and measuring in addition to him/herself.

Witness : \_\_\_\_\_ Bowfisher : \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*\*\*\*Return to Records Chairman When Complete\*\*\*\*\*