

SUN TAG NEWS

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Tag details		Recapture details
Tag	R59287	
Species	Dusky Flathead (<i>Platycephalus fuscus</i>)	
Date	16/8/2008	8/10/2008
Length	700mm	680mm
Location	Rodds Bay	Round Hill Creek
Fisher	David Hill	Steve Wright
Days Out	53	
Growth	-20mm	
Movement	45km south along coast	
Released	No	
A large Flathead that has moved in a short time period. This supports other movements of Flathead.		



Tag details		Recapture details
Tag	N60266	
Species	Barred Javelin (<i>Pomadourys kaakan</i>)	
Date	12/4/2003	30/11/2008
Length	275mm	570mm
Location	Trinity Inlet	Trinity Inlet
Fisher	Ken Grant	Dave Ruddle
Days Out	2059	
Growth	295mm (52mm/year)	
Movement	3km up inlet	
Released	No	
This is the first long term recapture of a Barred Javelin being at liberty for 5.6 years.		



Tag details		Recapture details
Tag	T25375	
Species	Barcheek Coral Trout (<i>Plectropomus maculatus</i>)	
Date	22/1/2008	6/11/2008
Length	416mm	423mm
Location	Middle Island	Middle Rock
Fisher	Research 1	Barry Vondeest
Days Out	289	
Growth	7mm	
Movement	127km south east	
Released	No	
This fish was tagged in green zone as part of a large research project and such a movement for a Coral Trout was unexpected. Details have been verified.		

