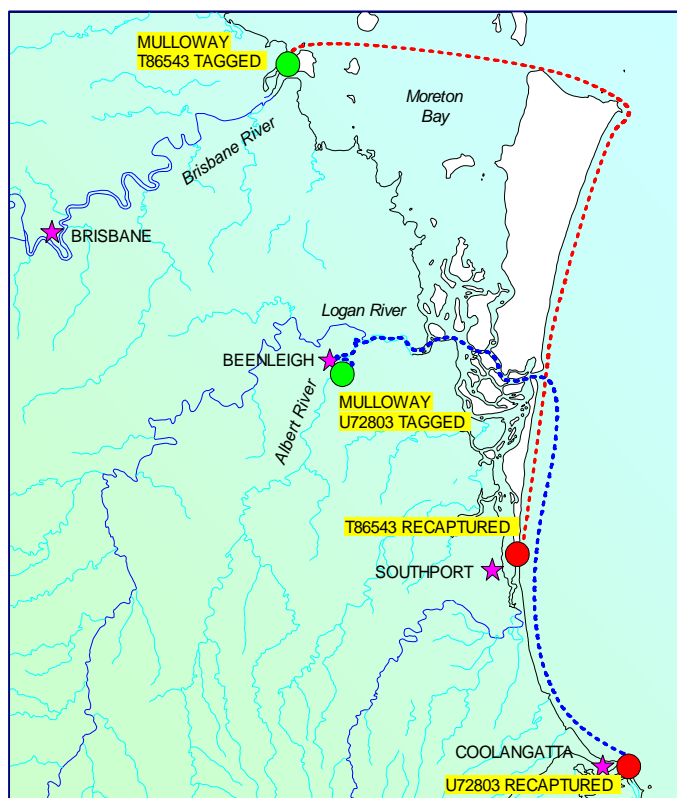




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Tag details		Recapture details
Tag	T86543	
Species	Mulloway (<i>Argyrosomus hololepidotus</i>)	
Date	24/7/2011	11/5/2012
Length	870mm	1010mm
Location	Brisbane River	Southport Seaway
Fisher	Garry Parks	Aykut Ahmer
Days Out	292 (10 months)	
Growth	140mm (175mm/year)	
Movement	100km south along coast	
Released	Yes	

Tag details		Recapture details
Tag	U72803	
Species	Mulloway (<i>Argyrosomus hololepidotus</i>)	
Date	20/9/2011	15/5/2012
Length	370mm	450mm
Location	Albert River	Fingal Head
Fisher	Lloyd Willmann	Eduardo Henze
Days Out	238 (0.65 years)	
Growth	80mm (123mm/year)	
Movement	90km south along coast	
Released	Yes	



Tag details		Recapture details
Tag	U80214	
Species	Mulloway (<i>Argyrosomus hololepidotus</i>)	
Date	31/3/2012	7/5/2012
Length	690mm	680mm
Location	Brisbane River	Brisbane River
Fisher	Jeff Sorrell	Troy Marien
Days Out	37 (0.1 years)	
Growth	-mm	
Movement	4km down river	
Released	Yes	
Tagged and recaptured near the mouth of the river.		

There have only been 734 Mulloway tagged in Suntag to date with 26 (3.5%) recaptures so it is unusual that there have been 3 recaptures within 8 days with all 3 fish being re-released. Even more unusual is that 2 of the fish had moved a considerable distance from where tagged with both fish having migrated south along the coast. The tracks shown are indicative only and do not represent the route that might have been taken by these fish. The largest Mulloway tagged to date was tagged in Moreton Bay at 1.26m long in 2010.

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