



Tag details		Recapture details
Tag	J91338/J91339	Both tags in
Species	Mangrove Jack (<i>Lutjanus argentimaculatus</i>)	
Date	10/11/00	9/1/01
Length	440mm	460mm
Location	Auckland Creek	Fitzroy Reef
Fisher	Craig Olive	Ben Thompson
Days Out	60	
Growth	20mm (0.33 mm/day)	
Movement	105km east from creek to reef	
Released	No	

This fish was speared after the diver noticed the tags and both tags were present. The recapture is the shortest time out for a fish tagged inshore and caught on the reef. This provides useful information on size and seasonality of offshore movement.



Tag details		Recapture details
Tag	SM16025/SM16026	Both tags in
Species	River Whaler Shark (<i>Carcharhinus obscurus</i>)	
Date	7/1/01	16/1/01
Length	730mm	750mm
Location	Brisbane River	Bremer River
Fisher	Neil Schultz	Aaron Houghton
Days Out	9	
Growth	20mm (likely inconsistency in measurements)	
Movement	25km between rivers (2.8km/day)	
Released	No	

Suntag is assisting a Queensland University project by tagging sharks in the upper reaches of the Brisbane River. This Neil Schultz photo is of one of the sharks that have been tagged.



To recognise the contribution of our most regular taggers in Suntag we have established a Frequent Tagger group. To qualify as a member of that group all that is required is to tag a minimum of 1,000 fish. To date 37 taggers have accomplished that and between them have tagged an incredible 76,000 fish.

However one tagger, Mick Dohnt of the Brisbane Sportfishing Club, has recently become the first tagger to have tagged over 10,000 fish. That is a remarkable achievement as Mick has a regular job and can only fish on the weekends or during holidays. The accompanying photo is of Mick bringing in another fish to be tagged.

Congratulations Mick from everyone in Suntag and in ANSA.