

International Game Fish Association

World Records

Line Class World Records (Conventional Tackle)

COMMON NAME (SCIENTIFIC NAME)	LINE CLASS	WEIGHT	PLACE	DATE	ANGLER (CAPT/GUIDE)
Bass, largemouth (<i>Micropterus nigricans</i>)	W-03 kg (6 lb)	4.08 kg (9 lbs 0 oz)	Lake Baccarac Sinaloa, Mexico	09-Jul-25	Sarah Elizabeth Harris (<i>Joshua Daniels</i>)
Bass, largemouth (<i>Micropterus nigricans</i>)	W-08 kg (16 lb)	4.56 kg (10 lbs 1 oz)	Lake Baccarac Sinaloa, Mexico	08-Jul-25	Sarah Elizabeth Harris (<i>Joshua Daniels</i>)
Bass, largemouth (<i>Micropterus nigricans</i>)	W-08 kg (16 lb)	4.25 kg (9 lbs 6 oz)	Lake Baccarac Sinaloa, Mexico	07-Jul-25	Sarah Elizabeth Harris (<i>Joshua Daniels</i>)
Bass, largemouth (<i>Micropterus nigricans</i>)	W-10 kg (20 lb)	4.85 kg (10 lbs 11 oz)	Lake Baccarac Sinaloa, Mexico	09-Jul-25	Sarah Elizabeth Harris (<i>Joshua Daniels</i>)
Pike, northern (<i>Esox lucius</i>)	W-15 kg (30 lb)	9.87 kg (21 lbs 12 oz)	Brabant Lodge Northwest Territories, Canada	28-Jun-25	Dolores A. Bernstein

Tippet Class World Records (Fly Tackle)

COMMON NAME (SCIENTIFIC NAME)	LINE CLASS	WEIGHT	PLACE	DATE	ANGLER (CAPT/GUIDE)
Catfish, sharptooth (<i>Clarias gariepinus</i>)	Tippet M-06 kg (12 lb)	16.58 kg (36 lbs 9 oz)	Koppies Dam South Africa	09-Aug-25	Terence Babich
Catfish, sharptooth (<i>Clarias gariepinus</i>)	Tippet M-08 kg (16 lb)	19.28 kg (42 lbs 8 oz)	Koppies Dam South Africa	10-Aug-25	Terence Babich
Catfish, sharptooth (<i>Clarias gariepinus</i>)	Tippet W-06 kg (12 lb)	13.86 kg (30 lbs 9 oz)	Koppies Dam South Africa	03-Aug-25	Gertrude Babich
Catfish, sharptooth (<i>Clarias gariepinus</i>)	Tippet W-08 kg (16 lb)	20.21 kg (44 lbs 9 oz)	Koppies Dam South Africa	25-Aug-25	Gertrude Babich
Salmon, Atlantic (<i>Salmo salar</i>)	Tippet W-10 kg (20 lb)	8.76 kg (19 lbs 5 oz)	West Ranga Iceland	21-Aug-25	Crystal van Oosterom

Junior & Smallfry World Records

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Bass, largemouth (<i>Micropterus nigricans/salmoides</i>)	Junior-M-02 kg (4 lb)	1.02 kg (2 lbs 4 oz)	Bass Lake Wyoming, USA	09-Aug-25	Tucker Bass (<i>John Bass</i>)
Bass, striped (<i>Morone saxatilis</i>)	Junior-W-04 kg (8 lb)	2.27 kg (5 lbs 0 oz)	Annapolis Maryland, USA	14-Aug-25	Imogen Weaver (<i>Tom Weaver</i>)
Gar, alligator (<i>Atractosteus spatula</i>)	Junior-M-15 kg (30 lb)	18.60 kg (41 lbs 0 oz)	Trinity River Texas, USA	10-Aug-25	Gage White (<i>Kirk Kirkland</i>)
Gar, alligator (<i>Atractosteus spatula</i>)	Junior-M-24 kg (50 lb)	37.65 kg (83 lbs 0 oz)	Trinity River Texas, USA	11-Aug-25	Fowler White (<i>Kirk Kirkland</i>)
Gar, longnose (<i>Lepisosteus osseus</i>)	Junior-M-03 kg (6 lb)	4.99 kg (11 lbs 0 oz)	Trinity River Texas, USA	11-Aug-25	Gage White (<i>Kirk Kirkland</i>)
Gar, longnose (<i>Lepisosteus osseus</i>)	Junior-M-04 kg (8 lb)	4.54 kg (10 lbs 0 oz)	Trinity River Texas, USA	11-Aug-25	Fowler White (<i>Kirk Kirkland</i>)
Grouper, black (<i>Mycteroperca bonaci</i>)	Junior-M-37 kg (80 lb)	39.69 kg (87 lbs 8 oz)	Abacos Bahamas	05-Jul-25	Parker Creech (<i>Robert Davenport</i>)

Grouper, black (<i>Mycteroperca bonaci</i>)	M-Junior	39.69 kg (87 lbs 8 oz)	Abacos Bahamas	05-Jul-25	Parker Creech (<i>Robert Davenport</i>)
Jack, crevalle (<i>Caranx hippos</i>)	Junior-W-03 kg (6 lb)	5.70 kg (12 lbs 9 oz)	Flamingo Florida, USA	17-Aug-25	Julia Mason Bernstein (<i>Ridge Murphy</i>)
Jack, crevalle (<i>Caranx hippos</i>)	Junior-W-15 kg (30 lb)	8.16 kg (18 lbs 0 oz)	Palm Beach Inlet Florida, USA	23-Jul-25	Ava S. Thompson (<i>Greg Bogdan</i>)
Muskellunge, tiger (<i>Esox masquinongy x Esox lucius</i>)	Junior-W-03 kg (6 lb)	10.26 kg (22 lbs 10 oz)	Curlew Lake Washington, USA	30-Aug-25	Alexis M. Han (<i>Jerry C. Han</i>)
Snook (Atlantic) (<i>Centropomus spp.</i>)	F-Junior	11.79 kg (26 lbs 0 oz)	Palm Beach Inlet Florida, USA	23-Jul-25	Ava S. Thompson (<i>Greg Bogdan</i>)
Snook (Atlantic) (<i>Centropomus spp.</i>)	Junior-W-03 kg (6 lb)	2.72 kg (6 lbs 0 oz)	Palm Beach Inlet Florida, USA	23-Jul-25	Ava S. Thompson (<i>Greg Bogdan</i>)
Snook (Atlantic) (<i>Centropomus spp.</i>)	Junior-W-04 kg (8 lb)	5.90 kg (13 lbs 0 oz)	Palm Beach Inlet Florida, USA	23-Jul-25	Ava S. Thompson (<i>Greg Bogdan</i>)
Snook (Atlantic) (<i>Centropomus spp.</i>)	Junior-W-10 kg (20 lb)	6.35 kg (14 lbs 0 oz)	Palm Beach Inlet Florida, USA	23-Jul-25	Ava S. Thompson (<i>Greg Bogdan</i>)
Snook (Atlantic) (<i>Centropomus spp.</i>)	Junior-W-15 kg (30 lb)	10.21 kg (22 lbs 8 oz)	Palm Beach Inlet Florida, USA	23-Jul-25	Ava S. Thompson (<i>Greg Bogdan</i>)
Spearfish, Atlantic (<i>Tetrapturus spp.</i>)	M-Junior	14.00 kg (30 lbs 14 oz)	Bastia France	19-Aug-25	Andrea Sarti (<i>Patrice Garziglia</i>)
Swordfish (<i>Xiphias gladius</i>)	Junior-M-15 kg (30 lb)	137.40 kg (302 lbs 15 oz)	Bay of Islands New Zealand	15-May-25	Charlie Rowe (<i>John Batterton</i>)
Tuna, blackfin (<i>Thunnus atlanticus</i>)	Junior-W-03 kg (6 lb)	7.71 kg (17 lbs 0 oz)	Isla Mujeres Mexico	16-Jun-25	Ava S. Thompson (<i>Anthony Mendillo Jr</i>)
Tuna, yellowfin (<i>Thunnus albacares</i>)	Junior-W-24 kg (50 lb)	26.76 kg (59 lbs 0 oz)	Tropic Star Lodge Panama	07-Jul-25	Ava S. Thompson (<i>OBDulio Cordoba</i>)
Tunny, little (<i>Euthynnus alletteratus</i>)	Junior-M-06 kg (12 lb)	6.27 kg (13 lbs 13 oz)	Fort Lauderdale Florida, USA	01-Aug-25	Henry Hardoon

All-Tackle World Records

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Cod, Schmidt's (<i>Lepidion schmidtii</i>)	All-Tackle	2.85 kg (6 lbs 5 oz)	Manazuru Japan	09-Aug-25	Yuuma Nishino (<i>Yuuma Nishino</i>)
Emperor, sky (<i>Lethrinus mahsena</i>)	All-Tackle	2.89 kg (6 lbs 6 oz)	Red Sea Egypt	03-Jul-25	Omar Khalifa (<i>Mahmoud Gad</i>)
Grunter, javelin (<i>Pomadasys kaakan</i>)	All-Tackle	3.80 kg (8 lbs 6 oz)	Durban South Africa	10-May-25	Graham Doman (<i>Graham Doman</i>)
Gurnard, cape (<i>Chelidonichthys capensis</i>)	All-Tackle	1.70 kg (3 lbs 12 oz)	Port Elizabeth South Africa	29-Apr-25	Jethro Doman (<i>Johann Viljoen</i>)
Hogfish, tarry (<i>Bodianus bilunulatus</i>)	All-Tackle	1.10 kg (2 lbs 7 oz)	Kuchinoerabu Island Japan	10-Jul-25	Shungo Asano (<i>Takeshi Minetoma</i>)
Lampfish (<i>Dinoperca petersi</i>)	All-Tackle	2.55 kg (5 lbs 10 oz)	Durban South Africa	04-May-25	Graham Doman (<i>Graham Doman</i>)
Manduba (<i>Ageneiosus inermis</i>)	All-Tackle (tie)	3.63 kg (8 lbs 0 oz)	Rio Xingu Brazil	05-Jul-25	Nicola Demetre Aidinis (<i>Frank Yuporeta</i>)
Musselcracker, black (<i>Cymatoceps nasutus</i>)	All-Tackle	32.60 kg (71 lbs 14 oz)	Durban South Africa	07-Jun-25	Jethro Doman (<i>Graham Doman</i>)
Payara, fire tail (<i>Hydrolycus tatauaia</i>)	All-Tackle	0.91 kg (2 lbs 0 oz)	Rio Teles Pires Brazil	13-Jun-25	Nicola Demetre Aidinis (<i>Gemesson Rodrigues</i>)

Redhorse, smallmouth (<i>Moxostoma breviceps</i>)	All-Tackle	0.85 kg (1 lbs 14 oz)	Little Tennessee River North Carolina, USA	23-Aug-25	Dan Casey
Sandperch, greater (<i>Diplectrum maximum</i>)	All-Tackle	0.99 kg (2 lbs 3 oz)	Cabo San Lucas Mexico	21-Sep-25	Dennis Triana (<i>Felipe Mayo</i>)
Snapper, common blueline (<i>Lutjanus kasmira</i>)	All-Tackle	0.65 kg (1 lbs 7 oz)	Kuchinoerabu Island Japan	11-Jul-25	Shungo Asano (<i>Takeshi Minetoma</i>)
Snapper, common blueline (<i>Lutjanus kasmira</i>)	All-Tackle (tie)	0.68 kg (1 lbs 8 oz)	Kuchinoerabu Island Japan	11-Jul-25	Noriko Asano (<i>Takeshi Minetoma</i>)
Snapper, dirty ordure (<i>Paracaesio sordida</i>)	All-Tackle	1.10 kg (2 lbs 7 oz)	Nakijin Japan	30-Jul-25	Shungo Asano (<i>Mitsuhiko Hirayanagi</i>)
Snapper, star (<i>Lutjanus stellatus</i>)	All-Tackle	2.70 kg (5 lbs 15 oz)	Kuchinoerabu Island Japan	11-Jul-25	Noriko Asano (<i>Takeshi Minetoma</i>)
Soapfish, bearded (<i>Pogonoperca punctata</i>)	All-Tackle	0.50 kg (1 lbs 2 oz)	Kuchinoerabu Island Japan	11-Jul-25	Shungo Asano (<i>Takeshi Minetoma</i>)
Sole, Pacific sand (<i>Psettichthys melanostictus</i>)	All-Tackle (tie)	0.68 kg (1 lbs 8 oz)	Half Moon Bay California, USA	07-Sep-25	Steven M. Wozniak (<i>Don Giberson</i>)
Threadfin, king (<i>Polydactylus macrochir</i>)	All-Tackle	25.90 kg (57 lbs 2 oz)	Gold Coast Queensland, Australia	15-Aug-25	David McKenzie (<i>David McKenzie</i>)

All-Tackle Length World Records

COMMON NAME (SCIENTIFIC NAME)	LINE CLASS	LENGTH	PLACE	DATE	ANGLER (CAPT/GUIDE)
Albacore (<i>Thunnus alalunga</i>)	All-Tackle Length Fly	66 cm	Pacific Ocean Washington, USA	28-Jul-25	Captain John Cooney (<i>Darrel Miller</i>)
Albacore (<i>Thunnus alalunga</i>)	All-Tackle Length Junior	71 cm	Newport Oregon, USA	31-Aug-25	Bruce Kierstead (<i>Nathan Kierstead</i>)
Barracuda, Mexican (<i>Sphyraena ensis</i>)	All-Tackle Length	71 cm	Boca Chica Panama	01-Aug-25	Christian Hampl (<i>José García Picón</i>)
Bass, kelp (calico) (<i>Paralabrax clathratus</i>)	All-Tackle Length Fly	36 cm	Newport Beach California, USA	22-Jul-25	Peter F. Binaski (<i>Jimmy Decker</i>)
Bonefish (Atlantic) (<i>Albula spp.</i>)	All-Tackle Length Junior	57 cm	Biscayne Bay Florida, USA	06-Sep-25	Brantly McFarlin (<i>Chris Adams</i>)
Bonito, Atlantic (<i>Sarda sarda</i>)	All-Tackle Length Junior	51 cm	Middle Grounds New York, USA	13-Sep-25	Harbor Merrins (<i>Brian Merrins</i>)
Bowfin (<i>Amia calva</i>)	All-Tackle Length Junior	69 cm	Nottoway River Virginia, USA	25-Sep-25	River Pearl Gunn
Carp, common (<i>Cyprinus carpio</i>)	All-Tackle Length Fly	89 cm	Connecticut River Connecticut, USA	31-Aug-25	John Robert Kelly, Jr. (<i>Rowan Lytle</i>)
Catfish, redbtail (pirarara) (<i>Micropterus nigricans</i>)	All-Tackle Length Junior	104 cm	Nhamunda River Amazonas, Brazil	16-Sep-25	Nathan "Bibil" Barreto (<i>Maciel Mardoqueu</i>)
Cod, Pacific (<i>Gadus macrocephalus</i>)	All-Tackle Length (tie)	81 cm	Prince of Wales Passage Alaska, USA	07-Sep-25	Dennis Triana (<i>Bryson Gilbert</i>)
Grouper, gag (<i>Mycteroperca microlepis</i>)	All-Tackle Length	98 cm	Gulf of America Florida, USA	12-Jul-25	Benny Ortiz (<i>Anthony Belmonte</i>)
Mackerel, Pacific sierra (<i>Scomberomorus sierra</i>)	All-Tackle Length Junior	49 cm	Los Buzos Resort Panama	17-Jul-25	Elena McDow (<i>Victoriano Gonzalez</i>)
Nembwe (<i>Serranochromis robustus</i>)	All-Tackle Length	43 cm	Sekoma Island Zambia	05-Aug-25	Michael P. McClary
Queenfish, talang (<i>Scomberoides commersonnianus</i>)	All-Tackle Length	102 cm	Exmouth Australia	12-Jul-25	Ben Knaggs (<i>Bomber Farrell</i>)

Rockfish, black-blue (<i>Sebastes mystinus</i>)	All-Tackle Length Fly	58 cm	Montague Island Alaska, USA	08-Sep-25	Dennis Triana (<i>Bryson Gilbert</i>)
Runner, rainbow (<i>Elagatis bipinnulata</i>)	All-Tackle Length	72 cm	Gulf of Chiriquí Panama	24-Jul-25	Krista Browne (<i>Jose García Picon</i>)
Runner, rainbow (<i>Elagatis bipinnulata</i>)	All-Tackle Length (tie)	72 cm	Boca Chica Panama	27-Jul-25	Christian Hampl (<i>José García Picón</i>)
Trout, brown (<i>Salmo trutta</i>)	All-Tackle Length Junior (tie)	62 cm	Ohau Canal New Zealand	27-Sep-25	Olive Armistead
Trout, rainbow (<i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i>)	All-Tackle Length Junior	68 cm	Ohau Canal New Zealand	27-Sep-25	Olive Armistead
Weakfish (<i>Cynoscion regalis</i>)	All-Tackle Length	58 cm	Rye New York, USA	04-Oct-25	Jack Agosta (<i>Jack Agosta</i>)