# Catch the stats on tailor



We collect information from recreational fishers year-round to help inform fisheries management to ensure that you can continue catching fish and that resources remain sustainable.

Here are some results of recent tailor research **you** helped generate!

14,039 estimated annual tailor catch

2,989 fishers kept log books and took part in phone-diary surveys

2,773 fishers were interviewed at boat ramps

407g
average weight

2 tonne
estimated recreational harvest

1,033mm largest frame donated 167 tailor frames were donated by seven fishers Longest frames were donated from the Mid-West **≭** Mid-West The oldest tailor ever donated was 10 years old |-|-|-|-| April and June were April peak months to catch tailor 340.5mm median length Tailor was the fifth most targeted species in the metropolitan area The majority were . of measured lengths ranged caught by shore-based recreational fishers from 359-385mm

## Source of data (colour coded):

# **Statewide Recreational Fishing Survey**

Boat-based recfishers reported catch and effort data over 12-months in 2017/18.

#### Send Us Your Skeletons

Recfishers donated fish frames, allowing us to record age, length and sex since 2000.

### **Shore-Based Metro Survey**

Shore-based fishers were interviewed while fishing to collect catch and effort data from February to June in 2021.

#### **Research Angler Program**

Fishers in this program keep a logbook of their fishing activity.