

VIRGINIA MARINE GAME FISH RECORDS

Species	Weight	Where	When	Angler
Albacore.....	68 lbs.	Norfolk Canyon.....	1992	Irvin Fenton, Jr.
Amberjack.....	118 lbs.	Ches. Light Tower.....	1986	Mark J. Roberts
Barracuda.....	45 lbs. 8 oz.	CB Buoy Line.....	1996	Wayne Seymour
Bluefish.....	25 lbs. 4 oz.	Bluefish Rock.....	1986	Gayle E. Cozzens
Cobia.....	104 lbs. 8 oz.	Ches. Bay Br. Tunnel.....	2002	Steve Hasynic
Cod, Atlantic.....	35 lbs.	Off Wachapreague.....	1969	Robert Crammer
Crevalle Jack.....	48 lbs. 12 oz.	Ches. Light Tower.....	1993	Charles McCaskill, III
Croaker.....	5 lbs. 13 oz.	The Cell (Ches. Bay).....	1982	Jim Mitchem
Dolphin.....	71 lbs. 8 oz.	Off Virginia Beach.....	1991	Don Dorey
Drum, Black.....	111 lbs.	Off Cape Charles.....	1973	Betty D. Hall
Drum, Red.....	85 lbs. 4 oz.	Wreck Island.....	1981	Herman Moore
False Albacore.....	25 lbs. 4 oz.	Off Virginia Capes.....	1964	Jack Sparrow
Flounder.....	17 lbs. 8 oz.	Baltimore Channel.....	1971	Charles E. Cross
Kingfish (Roundhead).....	2 lbs. 13 oz.	Off Sandbridge.....	2002	Chip Watters
Mackerel, King.....	52 lbs. 2 oz.	Off Virginia Beach.....	1999	Andrew John Allesio
Mackerel, Spanish.....	9 lbs. 13 oz.	Off Virginia Beach.....	1993	Everett Cameron
Marlin, Blue.....	1,093 lbs. 12 oz.	Norfolk Canyon.....	1978	Edward Alan Givens
Marlin, White.....	131 lbs. 10 oz.	Off Virginia Beach.....	1978	Rudolph D.van't Riet
Pollock.....	23 lbs. 8 oz.	Off Chincoteague.....	1998	Lee Michalski
Pompano.....	5 lbs. 10 oz.	Scarborough Island.....	1992	Robert T. Long
Porgy.....	5 lbs. 5 oz.	Off Chincoteague.....	1978	Charles B. Haines, Sr.
Sailfish.....	68 lbs. 8 oz.	Off Virginia Beach.....	1977	P.J. Murden
Sea Bass.....	10 lbs. 4 oz.	Off Virginia Beach.....	2000	Allan P. Paschall
Shark, Bigeye Thresher.....	149 lbs.	The Cigar.....	1992	Wayne M. Gross
Shark, Blacktip.....	76 lbs. 10 oz.	Off Virginia Beach.....	1988	John W. Thurston, Jr.
Shark, Blue.....	266 lbs.	The Cigar.....	1987	Wayne C. DeFord
Shark, Bull.....	256 lbs.	V-Buoy.....	1982	Craig R. Paige
Shark, Dusky.....	673 lbs.	S.E. Lumps.....	1982	Michael J. Halperin
Shark, Hammerhead (Great).....	430 lbs.	S.E. Lumps.....	1984	Ronald E. Ault
Shark, Hammerhead (Scalloped).....	245 lbs.	The Cigar.....	1977	Don Lips
Shark, Hammerhead (Smooth).....	272 lbs.	Off Virginia Beach.....	1988	Carolyn L. Matthews
Shark, Lemon.....	312 lbs. 12 oz.	Off Sandbridge.....	1976	Bill Walker
Shark, Mako.....	728 lbs.	Ches. Light Tower.....	1983	Geoffrey H. Newbill
Shark, Sandbar (Brown).....	213 lbs.	Triangle Wrecks.....	1986	Bill Moffett
Shark, Sand Tiger.....	339 lbs.	Off Cape Charles.....	1983	Kelly D. Capps
Shark, Silky.....	110 lbs.	Norfolk Canyon.....	1977	Gary W. Seay
Shark, Spinner.....	129 lbs. 8 oz.	Off Chincoteague.....	1991	John E. Patton, II
Shark, Thresher.....	274 lbs. 12 oz.	Off Wachapreague.....	2002	Jim Bishop
Shark, Tiger.....	1,099 lbs. 12 oz.	S.E. Lumps.....	1981	John W. Thurston, Jr.
Shark, White.....	131 lbs.	S.E. Lumps.....	1981	Fred Williams
Sheepshead.....	19 lbs.	Ches. Bay Br. Tunnel.....	1979	James M. Boyd
Spadefish.....	13 lbs.	The Cell (Ches. Bay).....	1988	Otis Tribble
Spot.....	2 lbs. 6 oz.	Off Poquoson.....	1980	Nathan Dryden
Striped Bass.....	61 lbs. 12 oz.	Buoy 42 (Ches. Bay).....	1996	James R. Muse
Swordfish.....	381 lbs. 8 oz.	Norfolk Canyon.....	1978	James D. Alexander
Tarpon.....	130 lbs.	Off Oyster.....	1975	Barry Truitt
Tautog.....	24 lbs.	Off Wachapreague.....	1987	Gregory R. Bell
Trout, Gray.....	19 lbs.	Ches. Bay Br. Tunnel.....	1983	Philip W. Halstead
Trout, Speckled.....	16 lbs.	Masons Beach.....	1977	Bill Katko
Tuna, Bigeye.....	285 lbs. 12 oz.	Norfolk Canyon.....	2003	Melvin Bray
Tuna, Bluefin.....	398 lbs. 8 oz.	The Fingers.....	2003	E. K. Morrison
Tuna, Skipjack.....	22 lbs. 11 oz.	The Cigar.....	1995	Kitty Falk
Tuna, Yellowfin.....	203 lbs. 12 oz.	Norfolk Canyon.....	1981	Bruce C. Gottwald, Jr.
Wahoo.....	109 lbs.	Off Virginia Beach.....	1994	Delmo Dawson