

MyFishCount Update

Users/Member Profiles: 821

Trips: 866 (Note this does not include test trips. This also includes trips logged as individual and vessel)

Promotion:

The app and web portal are continuing to be promoted. Fall 2018 webinar trainings were created to educate anglers about the project and how to use the app. Three webinars have been scheduled and one conducted. The first webinar had four attendees. The next webinars are scheduled for November and December. Webinars will continue to be scheduled based on participant feedback and engagement. Continuing to organize outreach events and working with West Marine to promote the app. Plan to reach out to fishing tournaments along the Atlantic coast.

Shiny App:

The shiny app has been developed and the domain is in the process of being completed. The app will be accessible through the MyFishCount website. The shiny app allows anglers to access information collected through MyFishCount including most common species reported, catch information, trip information, length data, and effort. In addition to information reported through MyFishCount, the shiny app also includes snapper grouper species life history information and data.

Data:

We are cleaning the data in order to analyze reported information. From this information, we can gather insights and trends about angler self-reported data.

ACCSP API:

Continuing to work with ACCSP and the developers Elemental Methods to create the API. The information has been mapped and we are now working to be able to store the data with ACCSP and the process in which information would be submitted. Working with State partners to ensure data is consistent with information currently submitted.