

Appendix 1. Survey instrument used to gather data used in this study.

Establish which business interviewee is in that depends on marine resources
Which marine dependent economic activity are you engaged in?
How did you get involved in this activity (<i>prompt</i> – family business) ?
How long do you think you’ll keep doing it?
Is your work in this job seasonal? i.e. do you do any other type of work throughout the year? (If yes, what type of work)?
How much of your income is dependent on this activity?
How many people do you employ? (and how many are family members)?
How much of you/your family time do you spend on this activity that is unpaid? (<i>prompt</i> – average number of days you spend doing the books or repairs)
Has your income from this activity increased or decreased over the past 5 years?
Which particular local goods and services their business depends on and supplies to
Which sectors do you buy from for your business (<i>prompt</i> diesel – tackle – boat slipping) ? Ask how much?
Which sectors do you sell to (<i>prompt</i> fish restaurant – processors)? Ask how much
Aside from your own business activity, can you tell me which other local sectors are directly dependent on marine resources (<i>prompt</i> commercial fishing – tourism)?
Sorts of things the affect their business in the SHORT term
Which factors affect your business activity in the SHORT term? (<i>prompt</i> price of fuel – exchange rate – price of fish – cold storage – offloading facilities)
Can you tell me which of these short term factors are likely to <i>most affect</i> your business?
Can you tell me <i>how</i> changes in the short term factors will affect your business?
Have any of the changes in short term factors affected your business in the past?
Do you expect they will affect you in the future?
Is there anything that can be done now to prevent these things from affecting you in the future?
Is there anything that local or state government can do now to prevent these things?
Things that they think will affect their business in the LONG term
Which factors affect your business activity in the long term? (<i>prompt</i> government regulations – fish abundance – roads – offloading & processing facilities)
Can you tell me which of these long term factors are likely to most affect your business?
Can you tell me <i>how</i> changes in the long term factors will affect your business?
Have any of the changes in long term factors affected your business in the past?
Do you expect they will affect you in the future?
Is there anything that you can do now to prevent these things from affecting you in the future?
Is there anything that local or state government can do now to prevent these things?
Things that affect them in the short and long term will have flow on effects in the local community (not only economic but also social)

Can you tell me how/why the things that affect your business will affect others and other sectors in the community?

Is there anything that you/local/ state government can do to prevent these things from affecting the rest of the community?