



Ministry of Fisheries and Agriculture
Male', Republic of Maldives

**Application for the permission to conduct marine scientific research in the
maritime zones of the Republic of Maldives**

New permit Permit renewal If renewal, state previous permit no.

Section 1: Applicant

Name			Address	
E-mail				
Contact number		Fax		
Country			State/City	

Section 2: Sponsoring organizations / Affiliations (if any)

Name:			Address	
E-mail				
Contact number		Fax		
Country			State/City	

Section 3: Research team

Name	Role	Affiliation
1.		
2.		
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Section 4: Research project

Project title

Summary of research project (Please provide an adequate summary of the research project and its salient activities in the space below. The summary should provide a clear statement of the aims and objectives of the research, study area (present a map as an appendix), field and laboratory research methodology, potential scientific and public benefits). Attach extra sheets if necessary.

Section 5: Schedule of activities

Date of commencement of research D D M M Y Y Date of completion of research D D M M Y Y

Field Work

Details of activity	Location	Start date	End date
1.		D D M M Y Y	D D M M Y Y
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3.		D D M M Y Y	D D M M Y Y
4.		D D M M Y Y	D D M M Y Y
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6.		D D M M Y Y	D D M M Y Y
7.		D D M M Y Y	D D M M Y Y
8.		D D M M Y Y	D D M M Y Y
9.		D D M M Y Y	D D M M Y Y
10.		D D M M Y Y	D D M M Y Y

Section 6: Details of research vessel(s) (if any)

Vessel registered in the Maldives

Foreign vessel

Registration number			Country of registration		
Tonnage		Length		Breadth	
If foreign vessel,	Date of Entry		Date of Exit		

Section 7: Equipment/Instruments that would be used for field work

(Example: tagging equipment, tags, drills, corers, nets, sampling gear etc. Please indicate the make and capabilities of the equipment)

Section 8: Details of samples to be taken for analysis

Species (scientific name/common name)	Number/amount/size of samples
1.	
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Do you intend to export any of these samples for further analysis?

Yes

No

Section 9: Research impacts

Provide an account of any environmental or social impacts that may arise from the activities proposed in this research. Also, outline any measures that will be taken to mitigate or minimize these impacts.

Section 10: Local participation/contributions

Please give details of the nature and the extent of any local participation in the research.

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Declaration

I hereby confirm that the above information provided by me is true. In case said information is known to be false i understand that legal action will be taken against me, in addition to any other appropriate action taken by the Ministry of Fisheries and Agriculture. I also understand I should fully observe and comply with Marine Scientific Research Regulation of the Maldives and terms and conditions subject to which the permission for the Marine Scientific Research in the Republic of Maldives is granted.

Name	Date	Signature

Note:

1. Wherever space provided is inadequate, please use separate sheets giving reference to the relevant sections of the application form.
2. Please provide CVs of the principle investigator and team members involved in the research.
3. Under the Marine Scientific Research Regulation of the Maldives, it is a requirement for the proponents of the research to provide messing and accommodation to an appointed observer of the Ministry of Fisheries and Agriculture should the Ministry request for such a placement.