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IOTC-2025-SC28-12	Updated joint CPUE indices for yellowfin tuna in the Indian Ocean based on Japanese, Korean, and Taiwanese longline fisheries data up to 2023 (Kitakado T, Wang S, Lee S, Ijima H, Park H, Lim J, Lee M, Tsuda Y, Nirazuka S Tsai W)
IOTC-2025-SC28-13	Preliminary analysis of the 2024 yellowfin assessment model with updated longline CPUE (Merino G, Correa G, Urtizberea A)
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Information Papers	
IOTC-2025-SC28-INF01	Taiwan,China Report 2005 (Available on Request)
IOTC-2025-SC28-INF02	Close-kin mark recapture estimates of whale shark abundance in the Indian Ocean (Patterson T, Pillans T, Hillary R)