
Tiger Fishing Tackle | Trolling

Rod: 6ft - 7ft heavy action trolling rod.

Reel: Good lever drag reel that holds at least 200m of fishing line. The reel must 'match' the rod.

Line: Braid line (at least 30lb – depending on size of reel spool); monofilament line (at least 25lb - depending on size of reel spool); at least 200m; natural green (not high visibility line).

Trace: Piano wire (≥ 40 lb); 30cm long; size 6 power/barrel swivel; size 6 snap swivel (to change lures easily). Can also use pre-made wire traces – must be ≥ 40 lb and 30cm long.

Lures: 11cm floating Rapala Magnum – fast trawls; 7cm floating Rapala Fat Rap – slow deep water trawls; 5 cm floating Rapala Fat Rap – slow shallow water trawls.

Lure colours: 11cm floating Rapala Magnum - Fire Tiger, Red Head, Silver Mackerel, Black/Gold, Silver, Green Mackerel, Purple Mackerel, Shiner; 5 & 7 cm floating Rapala Fat Rap - Fire Tiger, Red Craw, Black/Gold, Silver, Grey Shad, Silver Chrome (red lip), Blue Chrome (green lip).

Hooks: Replace back treble hook with very sharp single 4/0 or 5/0 hook (Mustad Big Gun).

Note: Always use the best/strongest terminal fishing tackle for Tigerfish. Tigers will exploit any weak link in the fishing tackle setup (and you will end up losing the Tiger).

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