OFFICIAL KATS HOW-TO CPR (CATCH - PHOTO - RELEASE)

SCORING:

- 1. Must use Hawg Trough measuring device.
- 2. EACH competitor will be provided a unique identifier and given a scorecard for each event.
- 3. Your five LONGEST verified lengths will be totaled for your score

Social Division:

· Any size bass counts for the Social Division.

Pro Division:

- Fish under 14" will not be scored and should not not be photographed or recorded.
- A 14" bass is legal; a 13.5" bass is not legal, rounding will apply.
- 4. Rounding will be DOWN to the nearest 1/4 (quarter) inch.

The competitor with the HIGHEST total score is the winner. Next highest score will place second, and so on.

CPR PROCESS:

- Wet anything that the fish will touch (hands, net, measuring device)
- Land your fish properly using a net. Avoid handling fish by their delicate gills.
- Place your fish on measuring device and photograph.
 Make sure you meet all requirements.
- Release your fish as quickly as possible (shoot for under one minute).
- Make sure fish is completely revived before release.
- · Repeat for all LEGAL fish caught.

For In-Person Submissions:

- Mark on your scorecard the length of the fish and the number of photos taken (fig 1).
- Circle and total your top 5 fish on scorecard (fig 1).

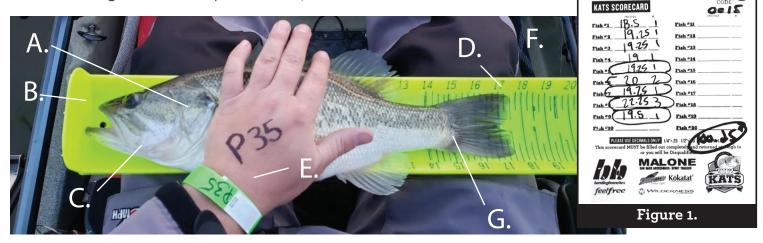


PHOTO CRITERIA

Each fish photo MUST include ALL of the following criteria:

- **A.** The whole fish, tip to tail. (Aside from your hand, fish must be clear of any devices. Mouth/fins/tail cannot be obstructed in photo.)
- **B.** Laying with the tip of the lip at beginning of ruler (open or closed).
- C. Fish MUST be left side UP.
- **D.** Measurement markings must be clearly visible. Please darken lines with sharpie.
- **E.** Assigned unique identifier must be visible.
- F. ONE OVERHEAD PHOTO SHOT FRAME (not at an angle).
- **G.** No obstruction of the tail.
- ** ALL criteria must be met or photo will not be scored.**



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