



This is a selection of the flies we were using on the tuna. The fly at the bottom centre was the most effective, but they all work on their day.



The 2 reels pictured are a Fin Nor 12wt and a 9/10 Scientific Anglers 'Mastery' series reel. Both are suitable for chasing longtails, and the line pictured is also very suited to longtail tuna fishing.

Above: This is a pretty awesome shot of a longtail coming to the surface about to thrash around and try to throw the fly. The weather was absolutely perfect!



Damon with his first ever longtail tuna. This one took about 25 minutes and weighed in at around 8kg.

How Good Is This ? *Ug Boot Longtails!*

Funny name for an article isn't it? Well it's quite a valid title for this tale. But the question is, what do Ug boots have to do with tuna? After all, you can't see any Ug boots in the photos - so what the hell are we on about here? Well, we're looking here at catching longtail tuna on fly in Moreton Bay fishing out of the 455 Hornet Wildfisher - in winter. Read on for the full "boots' n 'all" story. Report by Damon Olsen & the F&B Fishing Team.