

# Gulf of Mexico Reef Fish Annual Catch Limits Landings

## Commercial

2018 Preliminary Landings							
Species Complex	Date Landings Available Through	Current Landings (lb)	ACT (lb)	ACT (%)	ACL (lb)	ACL (%)	Current Status
Gray triggerfish	10/1/2018	64,366	60,900	105.7	64,100	100.4	Closed 10/7/18
Greater amberjack		331,403	277,651	119.4	319,140	103.8	Closed 4/3/18

## Recreational

2018 Preliminary Landings (lb) by Two-month Wave												
Species Complex	Jan-Feb	Mar-Apr	May-Jun	July-Aug	Sep-Oct	Nov-Dec	Total Reported	ACT (lb)	ACT (%)	ACL (lb)	ACL (%)	Status
Gag	13	10,650	461,211	261,476	82		733,432	1,708,000	43	1,903,000	39	
Gray triggerfish <sup>1</sup>	6,587	148,063	204,821	81,343	0		440,814	217,100	203	241,200	183	
Red grouper	45,534	190,238	536,085	186,723			956,580	2,370,000	40	2,580,000	37	
Red snapper For Hire <sup>2</sup>	19,397	19,517	1,387,841	852,146			2,278,901	2,278,000	100	2,848,000	80	Closed 7/22/18
Red snapper Private <sup>2,3</sup>								3,108,000		3,885,000		See Table

Note: Landings include data from MRIP and Headboat from January 1 to August 31, 2018. LA Creel landings are available from January 1 to November 11, 2018. TPWD data are available for January 1 to May 15, 2018. Greater amberjack landings exclude Monroe County, Florida.

## 2018-2019 Preliminary Landings (lb) by Two-month Wave

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Species Complex	Aug	Sep-Oct	Nov-Dec	Jan-Feb	Mar-Apr	May-Jun	July	Total Reported	ACT (lb)	ACT (%)	ACL (lb)	ACL (%)	Status
Greater amberjack	421,588	66,725	541					488,854	902,185	54	1,086,970	45	

**Red Snapper Private Angling 2018 Preliminary Landings (lb) by State**

State	Pounds Landed	Landings available through	State ACL	Percent of State ACL	Closure date
Florida	2,010,726	10/19/18	1,778,515	113.1	22-Jul
Alabama	986,298	7/15/18	984,291	100.2	23-Jul
Mississippi	131,914	9/16/18	137,949	95.6	17-Sep
Louisiana	737,229	8/12/18	743,000	99.2	13-Aug
Texas	172,275	12/14/18	241,245	71.4	22-Aug

Each state manages red snapper seasons for the private angling component:

Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission (Note: Florida’s Gulf Reef Fish Survey relies on a monthly mail survey for fishing effort, and preliminary estimates are available approximately 50 days after the end of each month )

Alabama Department of Conservation and Natural Resources

Mississippi Department of Conservation and Natural Resources

Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries

Texas Parks and Wildlife Department