

Spiny Lobster Annual Catch Limit Landings

Stock

| 2017-2018 Preliminary Landings | | | | | | | |
|---|---------------------------------|---------------|-----------|---------|-----------|---------|---------------|
| Species Complex | Date Landings Available Through | Landings (lb) | ACT (lb) | ACT (%) | ACL (lb) | ACL (%) | Status |
| Spiny Lobster (commercial) | 5/14/2018 | 3,593,311 | 6,590,000 | 54.53 | 7,320,000 | 49.09 | End of season |
| Spiny Lobster (recreational) ^a | | - | | | | | |

^aRecreational surveys were not conducted in the 2017-2018 season due to hurricanes.

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| Spiny Lobster (commercial) | 5/14/2018 | 5,363,369 | 6,590,000 | 104.55 | 7,320,000 | 94.12 | Was open all year |
| Spiny Lobster (recreational) | | 1,526,174 | | | | | |

Landings are reported to the state of Florida and are made available to NMFS.

The spiny lobster fishing year is from August 6 through March 31. There is a recreational sport mini season on the last Wednesday and Thursday of July.