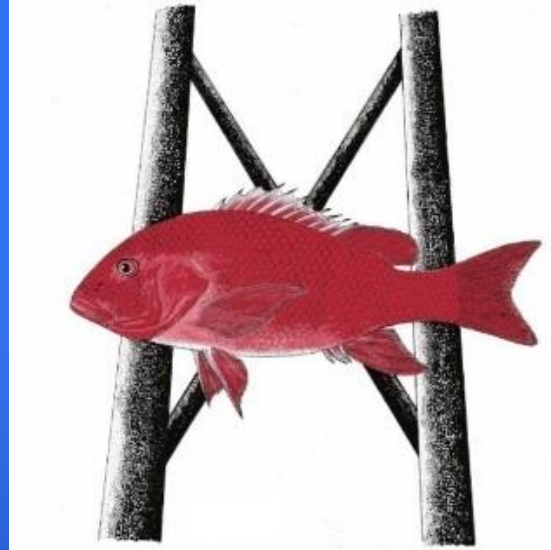




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2019 Mississippi Red Snapper EFP Gulf Council Update



Overview

- In accordance with the approved EFP, Mississippi submitted bi-weekly reports to NOAA including the following weekly and overall metrics:
 - Total trips
 - # of fish
 - # of discards
 - # of anglers
 - Angler success
 - Average anglers per vessel
 - Average weight of fish
 - Biomass harvested
- In addition to these in-season reports, Mississippi submitted finalized estimates via an annual report to NOAA on December 18, 2019

Mississippi's 2019 EFP Season

- Private Recreational

- May 24th – July 7th
 - Closure – July 8th – July 28th
- July 29th – August 25th
- August 31st – September 2nd
- September 6th – 8th

- State For-hire

- May 25th – June 12th

Component	Season Length
Private Recreational	79 Days
State For-hire	20 Days
Federal For-hire*	62 Days*

*Federal For-hire season and quota was regulated by NOAA for the 2019 season

2019 EFP Season Results

Component	ACL	Estimated Harvest	Percent of ACL
Private Recreational	148,507	147,748	99.5
State For-hire	2,642	2,531	95.8
Total	151,584	150,279	99.1

Trip Compliance Rates

