

Gulf of Mexico Reef Fish Annual Catch Limits Landings

Tab B, No. 4(b)

Commercial

2022 Preliminary Landings							
Species Complex	Date Landings Available Through	Current Landings (lb)	ACT (lb)	ACT (%)	ACL (lb)	ACL (%)	Current Status
Gray triggerfish	3/21/2022	10,805	88,273	12.2	95,949	11.3	Open
Greater amberjack		69,023	421,411	16.4	484,380	14.2	In seasonal closure

2021 Preliminary Landings							
Species Complex	Date Landings Available Through	Current Landings (lb)	ACT (lb)	ACT (%)	ACL (lb)	ACL (%)	Current Status
Gray triggerfish	3/21/2022	43,015	88,273	48.7	95,949	44.8	No inseason closure
Greater amberjack		309,360	421,411	73.4	484,380	63.9	

2022 Preliminary IFQ Landings						
Species Complex	Date Landings Available Through	Current Landings (lb)	Quota (lb)	Quota (%)	Current Status	
Gag	3/22/2022	192,971	939,000	20.6	Were open all year	
Red Grouper		537,840	3,000,000	17.9		
Red Snapper		1,254,995	6,937,838	18.1		

2021 Preliminary IFQ Landings						
Species Complex	Date Landings Available Through	Current Landings (lb)	Quota (lb)	Quota (%)	Current Status	
Gag	12/31/2021	562,849	939,000	59.9	Were open all year	
Red Grouper		2,950,691	3,000,000	98.4		
Red Snapper		6,894,004	6,937,838	99.3		

Recreational

2021-2022 Preliminary Landings (lb) by Two-month Wave

Species Complex	Aug	Sep-Oct	Nov-Dec	Jan-Feb	Mar-Apr	May-Jun	Jul	Total Reported	ACT (lb)	ACT (%)	ACL (lb)	ACL (%)	Status
Greater amberjack	219,012	165,417						384,429	1,086,985	35.4	1,309,620	29.4	In seasonal closure

Note: Greater amberjack landings exclude Monroe County, Florida.

*2021 recreational landings include data from MRIP-CHTS and Headboat from January 1 to October 31, 2021. LA creel landings are available from January 1 through December 24, 2021. No TPWD landings for 2021 are available. There are no 2022 landings recreational landings available.

2020-2021 Preliminary Landings (lb) by Two-month Wave

Species Complex	Aug	Sep-Oct	Nov-Dec	Jan-Feb	Mar-Apr	May-Jun	Jul	Total Reported	ACT (lb)	ACT (%)	ACL (lb)	ACL (%)	Status
Greater amberjack	409,912	134,998	0	4,957	5,487	309,750	0	865,105	1,086,985	79.6	1,309,620	66.1	No inseason closure

Note: Greater amberjack landings exclude Monroe County, Florida.

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2021 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	0	23,029	281,801	261,028	64,020		629,878	1,708,000	36.9	1,903,000	33.1	No inseason closure
Gray triggerfish	338	91,089	45,739	173,426	17,921		328,513	274,323	119.8	360,951	91.0	Closed 9/15/21
Red grouper	90,484	453,065	501,705	440,413	29,261		1,514,928	920,000	164.7	1,000,000	151.5	Closed 9/15/21

Red snapper For Hire	23,765	13,601	1,160,944	1,139,066	77,571		2,414,947	2,848,000	84.8	3,130,000	77.2	Closed 8/3/21 Reopened 10/15/21 closed 11/6/21
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Note: Red grouper and gag landings exclude Monroe County, Florida

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2020 Final 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	0	17,306	194,284	189,690	166,368	342,055	909,703	1,708,000	53.3	1,903,000	47.8	No inseason closure
Gray triggerfish	78	88,560	85,200	36,303	180,568	3	390,712	217,100	180.1	241,200	162.1	Closed 5/2/2020 reopened 9/1/20 closed 10/26/20
Red grouper	24,244	116,102	186,392	151,202	218,118	79,871	775,929	920,000	84.3	1,000,000	77.6	No inseason closure
Red snapper For Hire	23,805	9,960	1,275,732	1,065,874	0	1,306	2,376,677	2,848,000	83.5	3,130,000	75.9	Closed 8/2/20

Note: Red grouper and gag landings exclude Monroe County, Florida

*2020 recreational landings are complete.

Stock

2021 - 2022 Preliminary Landings						
Species Complex	Date Landings Available Through	Landings (lb)	Total Reported	ACL (lb)	ACL (%)	Status
Yellowtail Snapper (commercial)	3/21/2022*	100,754	102,536	901,125	11.4	Open
Yellowtail Snapper (recreational)		1,782				

Note: The fishing year for Yellowtail Snapper is from August 1, 2021, through July 31, 2022.

*Commercial landings are available through March 21, 2022. 2021 commercial landings are preliminary. 2021 recreational landings include data from MRFSS calibrated to MRIP-CHTS and Headboat from January 1 to October 31, 2021. LA creel landings are available from January 1 through December 24, 2021. No TPWD landings for 2021 are available. No 2022 recreational landings are available.

2020 – 2021 Preliminary Landings						
Species Complex	Date Landings Available Through	Landings (lb)	Total Reported	ACL (lb)	ACL (%)	Status
Yellowtail Snapper (commercial)	1/11/2022*	212,629	288,795	901,125	32.0	Was open all year
Yellowtail Snapper (recreational)		76,166				

Note: The fishing year for Yellowtail Snapper was from August 1, 2020, through July 31, 2021.

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2021 Preliminary Landings						
Species Complex	Date Landings Available Through	Landings (lb)	Total Reported	ACL (lb)	ACL (%)	Status
Cubera Snapper (commercial)	12/27/2021*	1,071	8,097	5,065	159.9	Were open all year
Cubera Snapper (recreational)		7,026				
Gray Snapper (commercial)		93,275	1,315,830	2,230,000	59.0	
Gray Snapper (recreational)		1,222,555				
Hogfish (commercial)		10,428	70,679	150,400	47.0	
Hogfish (recreational)		60,251				
Jacks Complex (commercial)		39,387	438,365	312,000	140.5	
Jacks Complex (recreational)		398,978				
Lane Snapper (commercial)		24,352	357,740	1,028,973	34.8	Closed 10/18/21 reopened 12/23/21
Lane Snapper (recreational)		333,388				
Mid-Water Snapper (commercial)		214,009	216,804	166,000	130.6	Closed 9/18/21
Mid-Water Snapper (recreational)		2,795				
Mutton Snapper (commercial)		60,188	62,932	143,694	43.8	Were open all year
Mutton Snapper (recreational)		2,744				
Vermilion Snapper (commercial)		763,282	2,391,740	3,110,000	76.9	
Vermilion Snapper (recreational)		1,628,458				

Note: Jacks complex is almaco jack, banded rudderfish, and lesser amberjack. Mid-water snapper is blackfin snapper, queen snapper, silk snapper, and wenchman.

*2021 commercial landings are available through December 27, 2021. 2021 recreational landings include data from MRIP-CHTS or MRFSS calibrated to MRIP-CHTS and Headboat from January 1 to October 31, 2021. LA creel landings are available from January 1 through December 24, 2021. No TPWD landings for 2021 are available.

2020 Final Landings						
Species Complex	Date Landings Available Through	Landings (lb)	Total Reported	ACL (lb)	ACL (%)	Status
Cubera Snapper (commercial)	5/8/2021*	987	2,804	5,065	55.4	Were open all year
Cubera Snapper (recreational)		1,817				
Gray Snapper (commercial)		90,737	1,382,152	2,240,000	61.7	
Gray Snapper (recreational)		1,291,413				
Hogfish (commercial)		8,534	57,438	141,300	40.6	
Hogfish (recreational)		48,904				
Jacks Complex (commercial)		48,222	193,766	312,000	62.1	
Jacks Complex (recreational)		145,544				
Lane Snapper (commercial)		23,700	358,638	301,000	119.1	
Lane Snapper (recreational)		334,938				
Mid-Water Snapper (commercial)		149,879	166,760	166,000	100.5	
Mid-Water Snapper (recreational)		16,881				
Mutton Snapper (commercial)		62,467	65,082	143,694	45.3	
Mutton Snapper (recreational)		2,615				
Vermilion Snapper (commercial)		831,808	1,888,747	3,110,000	60.7	
Vermilion Snapper (recreational)		1,056,939				

Note: Jacks complex is almaco jack, banded rudderfish, and lesser amberjack. Mid-water snapper is blackfin snapper, queen snapper, silk snapper, and wenchman.

*2020 recreational and commercial landings are complete.