

Gulf of Mexico Reef Fish Annual Catch Limits Landings

Commercial

Preliminary 2018 Commercial Gulf of Mexico Landings

Species Complex	Date Landings Available Through	Current Landings (lb)	ACT (lb)	ACT %	ACL (lb)	ACL (%)	Current Status
Gray triggerfish	4/2/2018	21,950	60,900	36.04	64,100	34.24	Open
Greater Amberjack		299,310	277,651	107.80	319,140	93.79	Closed 4/3/2018

2017 Commercial Gulf of Mexico Landings (Complete)

Species Complex	Date Landings Available Through	Current Landings (lb)	ACT (lb)	ACT %	ACL (lb)	ACL (%)	Status
Gray triggerfish	2/25/2018	63,109	60,900	103.63	64,100	98.45	Closed 11/17/2017
Greater Amberjack		461,701	394,740	116.96	464,400	99.42	Closed 6/20/2017

Recreational

2017 Preliminary Recreational Landings by Two-month Wave

Species Complex	Jan-Feb	Mar-Apr	May-Jun	July-Aug	Sep-Oct	Nov-Dec	Total	ACT (lb)	ACL (lb)	%ACT	%ACL	Status
Gag	392	42,165	286,577	59,863	35,800	418,158	842,955	1,708,000	1,903,000	49.35	44.30	
Gray triggerfish	95	1,027	6,947	0	60,425	3,036	71,530	25,559	49,759	279.86	143.75	Closed 1/1/17
Greater amberjack	409,919	316,676	34,803	9,244	287	55	770,984	385,413	548,641	200.04	140.53	Closed 3/24/17
Red grouper	57,475	35,053	209,726	303,097	22,364	204,600	832,315	2,370,000	2,580,000	35.12	32.26	
Red snapper For Hire ¹	31,045	5,670	1,564,362	560,534	93	0	2,161,704	2,278,000	6,603,094	94.89	131.46	Closed 7/20/17
Red snapper Private ^{1,2}	156,697	175,832	3,422,081	2,283,019	481,160	0	6,518,789	3,004,075		216.99		Closed 9/5/17

Note: Landings include data from MRIP or MRFSS calibrated from MRIP, LA Creel and Headboat from January 1 to December 31, 2017. TPWD data are from January 1 through May 15, 2017. TPWD data for May 16-December 31 are not presently available except for red snapper. TPWD 2017 red snapper landings are for the entire year. Greater amberjack and gag landings exclude Monroe County, Florida.

¹ Red snapper had a payback in the 2017 fishing season due to exceeding the total recreational quota in the 2016 fishing season. The ACL and ACT are shown adjusted accordingly. Charter landings outside the federal season are included against the Private angler component data.

²The 2017 Federal recreational season for red snapper by the private angling sector in the Gulf of Mexico was June 1 through June 3. Then beginning June 16 through September 4, the season was open every Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, and July 3 through July 4, and September 4.

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Preliminary 2017-2018 Commercial Gulf of Mexico Landings

Species Complex	Date Landings Available Through	Current Landings (lb)	Quota (lb)	Quota %	Current Status	ACL (lb)	ACL %
King Mackerel - Western Zone	4/2/2018	1,114,555	1,136,000	98.11	Closed 10/7/2017	2,243,600	101.66
King Mackerel - Northern Zone	4/2/2018	412,802	511,200	80.75	Open		
King Mackerel - Southern Zone (Hook and Line)	4/2/2018	753,590	596,400	126.36	Closed 2/20/2018		
King Mackerel - Southern Zone (Gillnet) ^a	4/2/2018	552,775	596,400	92.69	Open	596,400	92.69

^a Opening date is the Tuesday after MLK Day, 2018 (January 16, 2018).

Recreational

2017-2018 Preliminary Recreational Landings (lbs) by Two-month Wave

Species Complex	Jul-Aug	Sept-Oct	Nov-Dec	Jan-Feb	Mar-Apr	May-June	Total Reported	ACL (lb)	ACL%	Current Status
King Mackerel	679,735	315,728	166,697				1,162,160	6,040,000	19.24	Open

Note: Landings include data from MRIP or MRFSS calibrated to MRIP, Headboat, TPWD, and LA Creel for all of 2016. Landings for 2017 include data from MRIP, MRFSS calibrated from MRIP, and Headboat from January 1 to December 31, 2017. TPWD data are from January 1 through May 15, 2017.