Gulf of Mexico CMP Annual Catch Limits Landings

Commercial

2019-2020 Preliminary Landings							
Species Complex	Date Landings Available Through	Current Landings (lb)	Quota (lb)	Quota (%)	ACL (lb)	ACL (%)	Current Status
King Mackerel – Western Zone	8/11/2020	1,188,265	1,096,000	108.4	2,164,600	98.1	Closed 11/21/2019
King Mackerel – Northern Zone		312,248	493,200	63.3			Open
King Mackerel – Southern Zone (Hook and Line)		613,903	575,400	107.1			Closed 3/4/2020
King Mackerel – Southern Zone (Gillnet)[a,b]		521,318	530,043	98.4	530,043	98.4	Closed 2/25/2020

[a]Opening date is the Tuesday after MLK Day (January 21, 2020).

[b]KM gillnet had an ACL overage in 2018/2019, therefore there is a payback on the 2019/2020 gillnet ACL.

2018-2019 Final Landings							
Species Complex	Date Landings Available Through	Current Landings (lb)	Quota (lb)	Quota (%)	ACL (lb)	ACL (%)	Current Status
King Mackerel – Western Zone	4/20/2020	1,090,596	1,116,000	97.7	2,204,100	98.7	Closed 10/5/2018 and 11/19/2018
King Mackerel – Northern Zone		397,926	502,200	79.2			Was open all year
King Mackerel – Southern Zone (Hook and Line)		687,587	585,900	117.4			Closed 2/22/2019
King Mackerel – Southern Zone (Gillnet)[a]		631,257	585,900	107.7	585,900	107.7	Closed 2/8/2019

[a]Opening date is the Tuesday after MLK Day (January 22, 2019).

Recreational

2019-2020 Preliminary Landings (lb) 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	290,621	362,963	108,673	18,011	5,790		786,057	5,810,000	14.0	Open

Note: The recreational fishing year for king mackerel is July 1 through June 30.

2020 recreational landings include data from MRIP or MRFSS calibrated to MRIP from January 1 to February 29, 2020. Headboat landings are available from January 1 to April 30, 2020. LA Creel landings are available from January 1 to July 12, 2020. TPWD landings for 2020 are COMING SOON. 2019 recreational landings include data from MRIP or MRFSS calibrated to MRIP, LA Creel, and Headboat from January 1 to December 31, 2019 and TPWD from January 1 to November 20, 2019.

2018-2019 Preliminary Landings (lb) 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	805,817	211,810	188,784	75,220	570,297	417,941	2,269,869	6,040,000	37.6	Was open all year

Note: The recreational fishing year for king mackerel is July 1 through June 31.

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Stock

Species Complex	Date Landings Available Through	Landings (lb)	Total Reported	ACL (lb)	ACL (%)	Status
Spanish Mackerel (commercial)	8/11/2020*	180,772	180,772	11,300,000	2.1	Open
Spanish Mackerel (recreational)		NA				
Cobia (commercial)		20,788	40,851	1,660,000	3.0	Open
Cobia (recreational)		20,063				

Note: The fishing year for Spanish mackerel is from April 1, 2020 through March 31, 2021. The cobia fishing year is from January 1 through December 31, 2020.

*2020 commercial landings available as of August 11, 2020. 2020 recreational landings include data from MRIP or MRFSS calibrated to MRIP from January 1 to February 29, 2020. Headboat landings are available from January 1 to April 30, 2020. LA Creel landings are available from January 1 to July 12, 2020. TPWD landings for 2020 are COMING SOON.

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Spanish Mackerel (commercial)	8/11/2020*	990,199	2,912,693	11,300,000	26.1	Was open all year
Spanish Mackerel (recreational)		1,922,494				
Cobia (commercial)		35,225	631,022	1,660,000	38.0	Was open all year
Cobia (recreational)		595,797				

Note: The fishing year for Spanish mackerel was from April 1, 2019 through March 31, 2020. The cobia fishing year was from January 1 through December 31, 2019.

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