

COMMERCIAL FISHING SEASON CALENDAR

*Season remains open until the ACL has been met or projected to be met.

SPECIES	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December
Black Sea Bass:												
<i>Pot Fishery</i>	NO HARVEST ALLOWED (right whale migration)				OPEN-May 1*					CLOSES- Oct 31	NO HARVEST ALLOWED (right whale migration)	
<i>Hook and Line</i>	OPEN-Jan 1*											
Vermilion Snapper	Season 1: OPEN-Jan 1*						Season 2: OPEN-July 1*					
Shallow Water Grouper	NO HARVEST ALLOWED (spawning season closure)				OPEN-May 1*							
Greater Amberjack				NO HARVEST	OPEN-May 1*							
Red Porgy	NO HARVEST ALLOWED				OPEN-May 1*							
Mackerel (King & Spanish)			OPEN-Mar 1*									
Golden Tilefish	OPEN-Jan 1*											
Gray Triggerfish	Season 1: OPEN-Jan 1*						Season 2: OPEN-July 1*					
Dolphin	OPEN-Jan 1*											
Wahoo	OPEN-Jan 1*											
Snowy Grouper	OPEN-Jan 1*											
Blueline Tilefish	OPEN-Jan 1*											

To monitor the COMMERCIAL Annual Catch Limits, visit the NMFS SERO South Atlantic Commercial Landings and Annual Catch Limits (ACLs) page at:
http://sero.nmfs.noaa.gov/sustainable_fisheries/acl_monitoring/commercial_sa/index.html