## King Mackerel

Preliminary commercial landings of Atlantic king mackerel and Gulf Florida East Coast subzone king mackerel from the Southeast Fisheries Science Center (SEFSC) Quota Monitoring System. 2016/2017 ACL = 3,880,000 lbs, Northern Zone Quota = 1,292,040 lbs, Southern Zone Quota = 2,587,960 lbs. Landings through February 14, 2017. The fishing year for Atlantic king mackerel is March 1 – February 28(29) and the fishing year of Gulf Florida East Coast subzone king mackerel is November 1- March 31. Weights are "as reported."

		Cumu	ılative		Cumulative	Cumulative	Cumulative	King Mackerel East Coast Zone (GOM) Nov-March Quota 1,102,896
Report	2013/2014	2014/2015	2015/2016	2016/2017	North	South	Total	
Total	1,752,704	1,181,153	1,429,176	1,563,278	500,199	1,070,061	1,570,260	739,211
% quota	45.2	30.4	36.8	40.2	38.7	41.3	40.5	67.0

## **Spanish Mackerel**

Preliminary commercial landings of Atlantic Spanish mackerel from the SEFSC Quota Monitoring System, 2016/2017 ACL = 3,330,000 lbs, Northern Quota = 662,670 lbs, Southern Quota = 2,667,330 lbs (Adjusted quota = 2,417,330 lbs). Landings through February 14, 2017. The fishing year is March 1 – February 28(29). Weights are "as reported."

		Cumu	lative		Cumulative	Cumulative	Cumulative
Report	2013/2014	2014/2015	2015/2016	2016/2017	North	South	Total
Total	3,264,194	3,449,559	2,603,021	3,454,319	1,286,397	2,167,922	3,454,319
% adjusted				-	-	89.2	
% quota	101.1	110.2	78.1	103.7%	1.94	81.3	103.7%

2013/14 ACL= 3,130,000 lbs; adjusted quota = 2,257,130 lbs

2014/15 and subsequent years = 3,330,000 lbs; Southern Zone adjusted quota = 2,417,330 lbs

## **Cobia**

Preliminary commercial landings of cobia from the SEFSC Quota Monitoring System.

2016 Atlantic Quota = 50,000 lbs, 2016 East Coast Quota = 70,000 lbs. Landings through February 14, 2017. The fishing year for Atlantic cobia and Gulf Florida East Coast Zone is January 1 – December 31.

	Atlantic	Group	Florida East Coast Zone (Gulf)		
Domant	Cumulative	Cumulative	Cumulative	Cumulative	
Report	2015	2016	2015	2016	
Reported to SEFSC	50,054	48,687	57,094	45,368	
		Not available at this			
Reported to the States	21,736	time.	2,672	Not available at this time.	
Total	71,790		59,766		
% quota	120%		85.4%		

<sup>\*</sup>There is no total ACL; the East Coast Zone is part of the Gulf migratory group. Total numbers are provided for comparison to previous years.