

2013 South Atlantic Commercial Landings Through May 30, 2013

Species Complex	Current Landings	ACL	Units	2013 ACL %	2012 ACL %*	Date Closed 2012
Atlantic spadefish	681	36,476	ww	1.87%	7.02	
Bar Jack	3,674	6,686	ww	54.95%	51.71	
Black Grouper (h)	12,764	94,571	ww	13.50%	50.17	10/20/12; Re-opened 11/13/12 - 11/21/13
Blue runner	74,323	188,329	ww	39.46%	119.22	12/10/12
Cobia	36,081	125,712	ww	28.70%	99.01	
Deepwater complex (a)	110,717	343,869	ww	32.20%	107.35	9/8/2012
Dolphin	150,748	1,065,524	ww	14.15%	38.35	
Gag (h)	81,941	352,940	gw	23.22%	98.22	10/20/12; Re-opened 11/13/12 - 11/21/13
Golden tilefish (j)	563,398	541,295	gw	104.08%	96.07	
Goliath grouper	-	0	ww	-	-	
Gray triggerfish	214,443	305,262	ww	70.25%	95.75	09/11/12; Re-opened 12/12/12 - 12/19/12
Grunts (b)	23,278	214,624	ww	10.85%	48.11	
Hogfish	5,795	48,772	ww	11.88%	62.63	
Jacks (c)	177,590	193,999	ww	91.54%	187.66	7/2/2012
Mutton snapper (i)	27,963	157,743	ww	17.73%	48.83	
Nassau grouper	-	0	ww	-	-	
Porgies (d)	28,186	35,129	ww	80.24%	119.9	9/8/2012
Red Grouper (h)	22,544	315,920	ww	7.14%	60.3	10/20/12; Re-opened 11/13/12 - 11/21/12
Red Porgy (h)	13,200	190,050	gw	6.95%	69.11	
Red Snapper	-	0	gw	-	41.77**	9/24/12; Re-opened 9/17/12-9/24/12 and 12/12/12-12/19/12
Scamp (h)	28,746	341,636	ww	8.41%	54.07	10/20/12; Re-opened 11/13/12 - 11/21/12
Shallow water grouper (f) (h)	3,560	49,488	ww	7.19%	47.37	10/20/12; Re-opened 11/13/12 - 11/21/12
Snappers (g)	17,789	204,552	ww	8.70%	65.8	
Snowy grouper	43,516	82,900	gw	52.49%	105.04	
Speckled hind	-	0	ww	-	-	
Wahoo	12,875	64,147	ww	20.07%	99.95	12/19/12
Warsaw grouper	-	0	ww	-	-	
Yellowtail snapper	522,158	1,596,510	ww	32.71%	84.65	

\* 2012 landings are not final.

\*\* Red Snapper. 8,695 lbs gw were landed in 2012. ACL was 20,818 lbs gw.

(a) Deepwater Complex: Yellowedge grouper, blueline tilefish, silk snapper, misty grouper, queen snapper, sand tilefish, black snapper, blackfin snapper

(b) Grunts: White grunt, margate, sailor's choice, tomtate

(c) Jacks: Almaco jack, banded rudderfish, lesser amberjack

(d) Porgies: Jolthead, knobbed, saucereye, whitebone, scup

(e) Commercial red snapper harvest was open from September 17 - 24 with a 50 pound trip limit. Red snapper reopened for commercial harvest from November 13 - 21. Red snapper reopened for commercial harvest from December 12 - 19.

(f) Shallow Water Grouper: Red hind, rock hind, coney, graysby, yellowfin grouper, yellowmouth grouper

(g) Snappers: Gray, lane, cubera, dog, mahogany

(h) Commercial harvest is prohibited during January-April of each year.

(i) During May and June, possession limited to 10 per person per day or per trip, whichever is more restrictive.

(j) When 75% of the golden tilefish ACL is met or projected to be met, the trip limit is reduced to 300 pounds per day. The trip limit reduction is effective on February 18, 2013.

<b>Species Complex</b>	<b>Fishing Year</b>	<b>Current Landings</b>	<b>ACL</b>	<b>Units</b>	<b>2013 ACL %</b>	<b>Date Closed 2013</b>	<b>2012 ACL %</b>	<b>Date Closed 2012</b>
Black Sea Bass	July 1, 2012 – May 31, 2013 (a)	300,883	309,000	gw	-	-	97.37	10/8/12
Greater Amberjack	May 1, 2013 – April 30, 2014	0	800,163	ww	0	-	95.56	-
Vermilion Snapper	January 1, 2013 – June 30, 2013	339,098	315,523	gw	107.47	2/13/13	121.95	2/29/12
	July 1, 2013 – December 31, 2013	-	302,523		-	-	162.28	9/28/12
Wreckfish	April 16, 2012 – April 15, 2013	confidential landings	223,250	ww	confidential landings	-	-	-