

South Atlantic Commercial Landings for 2024 and 2025

Species/ Complex	Units	Landings as of 8/22/2025	2025 ACL	% of 2025 ACL as of 8/22/2025	Closed in 2025	Landings as of 8/20/2024	2024 ACL	% of 2024 ACL as of 8/20/2024	Preliminary Final 2024 Landings	Preliminary % of 2024 ACL	Closed in 2024
Atlantic spadefish	ww	4,485	150,552	3%		6,395	150,552	4%	11,174	7%	
Bar jack	ww	307	13,228	2%		2,951	13,228	22%	3,276	25%	
Black grouper	ww	41,670	96,844	43%		56,992	96,844	59%	71,185	74%	
Black sea bass	ww	45,124	276,490	16%		55,045	276,490	20%	55,558	20%	
Blueline tilefish	ww	111,820	117,148	95%	7/23/2025	119,723	117,148	102%	115,683	99%	8/8/2024
Deepwater complex	ww	32,769	131,268	25%		42,802	131,268	33%	59,205	45%	
Dolphin	ww	44,226	1,719,953	3%		37,078	1,719,953	2%	72,319	4%	
Gag*	gw	106,588	171,687	62%		61,997	62,922	99%	62,544	99%	6/30/2024
Golden tilefish (H&L)*	gw	37,908	110,722	34%		72,324	108,304	67%	102,003	94%	
Golden tilefish (LL)*	gw	260,658	332,165	78%		324,280	324,912	100%	327,116	101%	CLOSED on 6/8/2024; REOPENED 7/24-7/31/2024
Goliath grouper	ww	-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	
Grunts	ww	22,844	217,903	10%		34,871	217,903	16%	46,880	22%	
Hogfish (GA- NC)	ww	12,401	23,456	53%		10,348	23,456	44%	17,031	73%	
Hogfish (FLK-EFL)	ww	2,143	14,167	15%		1,413	12,677	11%	2,595	20%	
Jack complex	ww	133,864	189,422	71%		108,842	189,422	57%	139,630	74%	
Mutton snapper	ww	37,895	111,354	34%		41,452	111,354	37%	52,736	47%	
Nassau grouper	ww	-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	
Porgies	ww	5,509	36,348	15%		5,626	36,348	15%	8,949	25%	
Red grouper	ww	20,605	71,280	29%		22,198	71,280	31%	37,518	53%	
Red snapper*	gw	100,030	102,951	97%		102,950	85,268	121%	96,074	113%	8/6/2024
Scamp	ww	48,997	219,375	22%		33,942	219,375	15%	48,368	22%	

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Shallow water grouper	ww	14,245	55,542	26%		7,918	55,542	14%	12,204	22%	
Snapper complex	ww	49,930	344,575	14%		63,638	344,575	18%	69,604	20%	
Speckled hind	ww	-	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	
Wahoo	ww	22,835	70,690	32%		22,377	70,690	32%	38,378	54%	
Warsaw grouper	ww	-	-	-		-	0	-	-	-	

Species/ Complex	Fishing Year	Units	Landings as of 8/22/2025	2025 ACL	% of 2025 ACL as of 8/22/2025	Closed in 2025		Landings as of 8/20/2024	2024 ACL	% of ACL as of 8/20/2024	Preliminary Final 2024 Landings	Final % of ACL	Closed in 2024
Gray triggerfish	Jan. 1, 2025 – June 30, 2025	ww	26,564	156,162	17%			53,348	156,162	34%	53,435	34%	
	July 1, 2025 – Dec. 31, 2025		11,339	156,162	7%			11,161	156,162	7%	74,512	48%	
Red porgy*	Jan. 1, 2025 – April 30, 2025	gw	4,110	13,500	30%			6,104	12,907	47%	6,104	47%	
	May 1, 2025 – Dec. 31, 2025		9,435	31,501	30%			7,534	30,116	25%	13,499	45%	
Snowy grouper*	Jan. 1, 2025 – June 30, 2025	gw	67,921	75,312	90%			66,287	74,322	89%	66,580	90%	6/4/2024
	July 1, 2025 – Dec. 31, 2025		15,462	32,277	48%			15,957	39,887	40%	30,553	77%	9/29/2024
Vermilion snapper	Jan. 1, 2025 – June 30, 2025	ww	146,693	454,240	32%			296,580	454,240	65%	296,702	65%	
	July 1, 2025 – Dec. 31, 2025		38,472	454,240	8%			67,890	454,240	15%	256,197	56%	
Greater amberjack*	March 1, 2025 – Aug. 31, 2025	gw	332,609	544,990	61%			281,702	569,019	50%	292,867	51%	
	Sept. 1, 2026 – Feb. 29, 2026		0	363,327	0%			0	379,346	0%	115,932	31%	
Yellowtail snapper	August 1, 2025– July 31, 2026	ww	81,257	1,596,510	5%			281,702	1,596,510	18%	1,063,184	67%	
Golden crab	Jan. 1, 2025 – Dec. 31, 2025	ww	Confidential Landings	2,000,000	-			Confidential Landings					
Wreckfish	April 16, 2025 – April 15, 2025	ww	Confidential Landings	369,645	-			Confidential Landings					

Notes and Snapper Grouper Fishery Management Plan Amendments:

- *Gag – Amendment 53 implemented the new commercial ACL of 85,325 lb on 10/23/23; The newly implemented 2023 ACL was exceeded, and an ACL payback was implemented on 4/26/2024, prior to the 5/1/2024 season.
- *Golden Tilefish - Amendment 52 implemented new ACLs on 12/7/23 (2023 commercial hook-and-line ACL: 105,161 lb, and longline 2023 ACL: 315,484 lb)
- *Red Snapper – The 2024 Red Snapper Interim Rule implemented temporary ACLs for the 2024 South Atlantic red snapper season. Amendment 59 (Secretarial Amendment) implemented ACLs for red snapper in 2025.
- *Red porgy: 30% season 1 / 70% season 2; Amendment 50 implemented new ACLs on 1/19/2023.
- *Snowy grouper: 70% season 1 / 30% season 2; Amendment 51 implemented new ACLs on 1/2/2024.
- *Greater amberjack: 60% season 1 / 40% season 2; Amendment 49 implemented new ACLs on 10/26/2023.
- *Golden crab and wreckfish: Confidential landings result from landings reported by less than 3 dealers.