

## **King Mackerel**

Preliminary landings of king mackerel from the Southeast Fisheries Science Center (SEFSC) Quota Monitoring System. Landings through August 12, 2017. Fishing year begins March 1.

Atlantic Group ACL for 2017/2018 = 5,900,000 lbs

Northern Zone Quota = 1,359,360 lbs

Southern Zone Quota = 4,540,640 lbs

Southern Zone Quota Season 1 (March 1-September 30): 2,724,384 lbs

Southern Zone Quota Season 2 (October 1-end of February): 1,816,256 lbs

Atlantic Group King Mackerel Landings								
Report	Historic Landings				Current Year (2017/2018) Landings			
	2014/2015	2015/2016	2016/2017*		North	South (Season 1)	South (Season 2)	Total (North and South)
<b>Total Landings</b>	<b>1,181,153</b>	<b>1,429,176</b>	<b>1,579,304</b>		<b>33,148</b>	<b>303,999</b>	n/a	<b>337,147</b>
<b>% quota</b>	<b>30.4</b>	<b>36.8</b>			<b>2.4</b>	<b>11.5</b>	n/a	<b>5.7</b>

\*ACLs and quotas changed through the implementation of CMP Amendment 26 on May 11, 2017 (82 FR 17388). The 2016/2017 ACL for the Atlantic Group= 6,500,000 (Northern Zone Quota=1,497,600, Southern Zone Quota 5,002,400)

## Spanish Mackerel

Preliminary landings of Spanish mackerel from the SEFSC Quota Monitoring System. Landings through August 12, 2017. Fishing year begins March 1.

ACL for 2017/2018= 3,330,000 lbs

Northern Quota = 662,670 lbs

Southern Quota = 2,667,330 lbs (Adjusted quota = 2,417,330 lbs).

Atlantic Group Spanish Mackerel Landings							
Report	Historical Landings				Current Year (2017/2018) Landings		
	2014/2015	2015/2016	2016/2017		North	South	Total
<b>Total</b>	3,449,559	2,603,021	3,137,196		<b>406,350</b>	<b>364,044</b>	<b>770,394</b>
<b>% adjusted</b>						<b>15.1</b>	
<b>% quota</b>	<b>110.2</b>	<b>78.1</b>	<b>94.2</b>		<b>61.3</b>	<b>13.7</b>	<b>23.1</b>

## Cobia

Preliminary landings of cobia from the SEFSC Quota Monitoring System. Landings through August 12, 2017.

Fishing year begins January 1.

Atlantic Group Quota for 2017= 50,000 lbs

Florida East Coast Quota = 70,000 lbs

	Atlantic Group (GA-NY)			Florida East Coast Zone		
	2015	2016	2017	2015	2016	2017
<b>Reported to SEFSC</b>	50,054	48,743	23,444	57,094	45,385	27,804
<b>Reported to the States</b>	21,736	28,906	Not available at this time.	2,672	744	Not available at this time.
<b>Total</b>	71,790	77,649		59,766	46,129	
<b>% quota</b>	120%	155%	46.8%	85.4%	66%	39.7%

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