



SECAD
Committee

SAFMC
Meeting
SEPT 2026

THE SOUTH ATLANTIC FISHERY MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

SEDAR AND ASSESSMENT UPDATES AND SCHEDULING



Entire SEDAR Project Grid

Table 1: SEDAR Project Grid - July 2026 SEDAR Steering Committee Outcome Grid

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Steering Committee Approved and SEFSC Scheduled Projects	FUTURE Requests
Steering Committee Approved, PENDING SEFSC SCHEDULING	Conducted External to SEDAR

SEDAR SCHEDULE OVERVIEW- July 2026 SEDAR Steering Committee OUTCOME

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South Atlantic Projects

ONGOING

- **S94: Florida Hogfish (FLK/EFL)**
 - Review Workshop: completed July 2026
 - SSC review: Oct 2026 (catch level advice)
 - Council: Dec 2026
- **S104: Dolphin MSE**
 - CIE review: completed July 2026
 - SSC review: Oct 2026
 - Council: Dec 2026
- **S108: South Atlantic Black Sea Bass**
 - Assessment development ongoing
 - Review Workshop: *Early 2027 TBD*
 - SSC review: Apr 2027
- **S90: South Atlantic Red Snapper**
 - Assessment Panel Ongoing
 - Review Workshop: ~~Dec 2026~~ *to be rescheduled for Feb/Mar 2027*
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		S104 Dolphin MSE RW			
2027	Spanish Mack (NM and Northern Catch TWG)	S106 Gag Grouper			SA King Mackerel (Gulf analyst)
	Red Grouper (DW/Stock ID)	Vermilion			
		Snowy (TWG)			
2028	Red Porgy (TWG)	GAJ (TWG)			
2029	Tilefishes	Scamp			
2030					

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UPCOMING PLANNED (Orange/Pink)

- **South Atlantic King Mackerel**
 - Conducted external to SEDAR
 - Gulf analyst
- **Atlantic Spanish Mackerel**
 - TWGs: Natural Mortality, Northern Data
- **S106: South Atlantic Gag Grouper**
 - TWG: Reproductive Dynamics
- **South Atlantic Red Grouper**
 - Stock ID, DW, CIE-RW
- **South Atlantic Snowy Grouper**
 - TWG: SADL survey
- **South Atlantic Vermilion Snapper**
 - Conducted external to SEDAR

FUTURE REQUESTS

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- **2029:** Tilefishes, Scamp
- **2030:** ?

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