

## Species Listed in the Fishery Management Plans of the Gulf of Mexico Fishery Management Council

### Coastal Migratory Pelagics: Species in the Management Unit

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| ▪ King Mackerel    | <i>Scomberomorus cavalla</i>   |
| ▪ Spanish mackerel | <i>Scomberomorus maculatus</i> |
| ▪ Cobia            | <i>Rachycentron canadum</i>    |

### Red Drum: Species in the Management Unit

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| ▪ Red drum | <i>Sciaenops ocellatus</i> |
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### Reef Fish: Species in the Management Unit

#### Snappers – *Lutjanidae* Family

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| ▪ Queen snapper           | <i>Etelis oculatus</i>            |
| ▪ Mutton snapper          | <i>Lutjanus analis</i>            |
| ▪ Blackfin snapper        | <i>Lutjanus buccanella</i>        |
| ▪ Red snapper             | <i>Lutjanus campechanus</i>       |
| ▪ Cubera snapper          | <i>Lutjanus cyanopterus</i>       |
| ▪ Gray (mangrove) snapper | <i>Lutjanus cyanopterus</i>       |
| ▪ Lane snapper            | <i>Lutjanus synagris</i>          |
| ▪ Silk snapper            | <i>Lutjanus vivanus</i>           |
| ▪ Yellowtail snapper      | <i>Ocyurus crysryrs</i>           |
| ▪ Wenchman                | <i>Pristipomoides aquilonaris</i> |
| ▪ Vermillion snapper      | <i>Rhomboplites aurorubens</i>    |

#### Groupers – *Serranidae* Family

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| ▪ Speckled hind       | <i>Epinephelus drummondhayi</i>    |
| ▪ Goliath grouper     | <i>Epinephelus itajara</i>         |
| ▪ Red grouper         | <i>Epinephelus morio</i>           |
| ▪ Yellowedge grouper  | <i>Hyporthodus flavolimbatus</i>   |
| ▪ Warsaw grouper      | <i>Hyporthodus nigritus</i>        |
| ▪ Snowy grouper       | <i>Hyporthodus niveatus</i>        |
| ▪ Black grouper       | <i>Mycteroperca bonaci</i>         |
| ▪ Yellowmouth grouper | <i>Mycteroperca interstitialis</i> |
| ▪ Gag                 | <i>Mycteroperca microlepis</i>     |
| ▪ Scamp               | <i>Mycteroperca phenax</i>         |
| ▪ Yellowfin grouper   | <i>Mycteroperca venenosa</i>       |

### **Tilefishes – *Malacanthidae* Family**

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| ▪ Goldface tilefish | <i>Caulolatilus chrysops</i>         |
| ▪ Blueline tilefish | <i>Caulolatilus microps</i>          |
| ▪ Tilefish          | <i>Lopholatilus chamaeleonticeps</i> |

### **Jacks – *Carangidae* Family**

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| ▪ Greater amberjack | <i>Seriola dumerili</i>  |
| ▪ Lesser amberjack  | <i>Seriola fasciata</i>  |
| ▪ Almaco jack       | <i>Seriola rivoliana</i> |
| ▪ Banded rudderfish | <i>Seriola zonata</i>    |

### **Triggerfishes – *Balistidae* Family**

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| ▪ Gray triggerfish | <i>Balistes capriscus</i> |
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### **Hogfish – *Labridae* Family**

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| ▪ Hogfish | <i>Lachnolaimus maximus</i> |
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### **Shrimp: Species in the Management Unit**

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| ▪ Brown shrimp     | <i>Penaeus aztecus</i>    |
| ▪ White shrimp     | <i>Penaeus setiferus</i>  |
| ▪ Pink shrimp      | <i>Penaeus duorarum</i>   |
| ▪ Royal red shrimp | <i>Pleoticus robustus</i> |

### **Spiny Lobster**

#### Species in the Management Unit

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| ▪ Caribbean spiny lobster | <i>Panulirus argus</i> |
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### **Coral**

#### Species in the Management Unit

- Hydrozoa corals (stinging and hydrocorals)
- Hexacorals (stony and black corals)

\*There are over 140 species of corals listed in the Coral Fishery Management Plan. Taxonomy is undergoing review and will be updated in Coral Amendment 7.