

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

Coastal Migratory Pelagics: Species in the Management Unit

- King Mackerel *Scomberomorus cavalla*
- Spanish mackerel *Scomberomorus maculatus*
- Cobia *Rachycentron canadum*

Red Drum: Species in the Management Unit

- Red drum *Sciaenops ocellatus*

Reef Fish: Species in the Management Unit

Snappers – *Lutjanidae* Family

- Queen snapper *Etelis oculatus*
- Mutton snapper *Lutjanus analis*
- Blackfin snapper *Lutjanus buccanella*
- Red snapper *Lutjanus campechanus*
- Cubera snapper *Lutjanus cyanopterus*
- Gray (mangrove) snapper *Lutjanus cyanopterus*
- Lane snapper *Lutjanus synagris*
- Silk snapper *Lutjanus vivanus*
- Yellowtail snapper *Ocyurus crysryus*
- Wenchman *Pristipomoides aquilonaris*
- Vermillion snapper *Rhomboplites aurorubens*

Groupers – *Serranidae* Family

- Speckled hind *Epinephelus drummondhayi*
- Goliath grouper *Epinephelus itajara*
- Red grouper *Epinephelus morio*
- Yellowedge grouper *Hyporthodus flavolimbatus*
- Warsaw grouper *Hyporthodus nigritus*
- Snowy grouper *Hyporthodus niveatus*
- Black grouper *Mycteroperca bonaci*
- Yellowmouth grouper *Mycteroperca interstitialis*
- Gag *Mycteroperca microlepis*
- Scamp *Mycteroperca phenax*
- Yellowfin grouper *Mycteroperca venenosa*

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.