

Gulf of Mexico Region

- Alabama
- West Florida
- Louisiana
- Mississippi
- Texas



Shrimp trawler, Galveston, Texas (1968)
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MANAGEMENT CONTEXT

The Gulf of Mexico Region includes Alabama, Louisiana, Mississippi, Texas and West Florida. Federal fisheries in this region are managed by the Gulf of Mexico Fishery Management Council (GMFMC) and NOAA Fisheries under seven fishery management plans (FMPs). The coastal migratory pelagic resources and spiny lobster fisheries are managed in conjunction with the South Atlantic Fishery Management Council (SAFMC).

FMPs in the Gulf of Mexico Region

1. Aquaculture
2. Coastal migratory pelagic resources (with SAFMC)
3. Corals
4. Red drum
5. Reef fish
6. Shrimp
7. Spiny lobster (with SAFMC)

Three stocks or stock complexes in the Gulf of Mexico Region were identified as overfished in 2014: gray triggerfish, greater amberjack and red snapper. Gag grouper was removed from the overfished list in 2014. Hogfish, gray triggerfish and greater amberjack were listed as subject to overfishing in 2014. The jacks complex was removed from the overfishing list in 2014.

CATCH SHARE PROGRAMS

Two catch share programs have been implemented in the Gulf of Mexico: the Red Snapper Individual Fishing Quota (IFQ) Program and the Grouper-Tilefish IFQ Program. Below is a description of these catch share programs and their performance.

The Red Snapper IFQ Program was implemented in 2007 to reduce overcapacity and mitigate derby fishing conditions. The key performance indicators of this program show that relative to the Baseline period (the 3-year period prior to implementation), the 2013 quota, landings, inflation-adjusted total revenue and inflation-adjusted total revenue per vessel increased. In contrast, the number of active vessels decreased during this period.

The Grouper-Tilefish IFQ Program was implemented in 2010 to reduce overcapacity and mitigate derby

fishing conditions in the grouper-tilefish segment of the commercial reef fish fishery. The key performance indicators of this Program show that relative to the Baseline period (the 3-year period prior to implementation), 2013 inflation-adjusted total revenue and inflation-adjusted revenue per active vessel increased. However, quota, landings and number of active vessels decreased during this period.

POLICY UPDATES

In May 2015, a final rule was established to increase the commercial and recreational quotas for red snapper in the Gulf of Mexico from 2015 to 2017. Unless the GMFMC changes this rule in the future, the values for 2017 will remain in effect for 2018 and beyond. The total allowable catch increased from 11 million pounds whole weight to 14.3 million pounds. The commercial and recreational quotas are based on the current allocation, which provides 51 percent of the allowable catch to the commercial sector and 49 percent to the recreational sector. Because the commercial sector is managed under the Red Snapper IFQ Program, the increased quota was allocated as pounds of red snapper among participating shareholders.

In addition, to ensure that the recreational sector does not exceed the red snapper quota, the GMFMC established a recreational catch target that is less than the recreational quota. NOAA Fisheries based the recreational fishing season on this catch target. The recreational sector was also divided into two components: the for-hire component and the private angling component. Each component has its own annual catch targets (2.371 million pounds for the for-hire component and 3.234 million pounds for the private angling component). In addition, each component has its own fishing season (44 days for the for-hire component and 10 days for the private angling component). Both components are managed under the same bag and size limits.

COMMERCIAL FISHERIES

In 2014, commercial fishermen in the Gulf of Mexico Region landed 1.1 billion pounds of finfish and shellfish, earning \$1 billion for their harvest. Landings revenue was dominated by shrimp (\$588 million), which made up 57 percent of revenue and 18 percent of landings. Other sig-

nificant contributors to regional landings included oysters (\$87 million), blue crab (\$73 million) and menhaden (\$71 million). Louisiana and Texas had the highest landings revenue in the region in 2014, with \$451 million and \$278 million, respectively. In terms of pounds landed, Louisiana had the highest landings with 778 million pounds, followed by Mississippi with 191 million pounds.

Key Gulf of Mexico Region Commercial Species

- Blue crab
- Crawfish
- Groupers
- Menhaden
- Mulletts
- Oysters
- Red snapper
- Shrimp
- Stone crab
- Tunas

Economic Impacts

In this report^{1,2}, the U.S. seafood industry includes the commercial harvest sector; seafood processors and dealers; seafood wholesalers and distributors; importers; and seafood retailers. In 2014, the Gulf of Mexico Region's seafood industry generated \$18.3 billion in sales impacts in Florida (including East and West Florida); \$2.9 billion in Texas; \$2.2 billion in Louisiana; \$661 million in Alabama; and \$199 million in Mississippi. Florida generated the largest employment (93,000 jobs), income (\$3.4 billion) and value-added (\$6.1 billion) impacts. The importers sector in Florida generated the greatest employment impacts with 48,000 jobs. Florida importers also generated higher sales impacts (\$13.2 billion) than any other sector in any another state in the region. In addition, this sector had the greatest value added impacts (\$4 billion).

Landings Revenue

Landings revenue in the Gulf of Mexico Region totaled \$1 billion in 2014. This figure represents a 64 percent increase (40% in real terms after adjusting for inflation) from 2005 levels and a 9 percent increase from 2013. Louisiana had the highest landing revenues (\$451 million), followed by Texas (\$278 million) and West Florida (\$203 million). Shellfish landings revenue totaled \$843 million in 2014, an increase of 68 percent (43% in real terms) from 2005 and a 14 percent increase from 2013. Shellfish landings revenue was greatest in Louisiana (\$363 million), followed by Texas (\$265 million) and

West Florida (\$113 million). Finfish landings revenue totaled \$184 million and was highest in Louisiana (\$88 million), followed by West Florida (\$70 million).

From 2005 to 2014, menhaden landings revenue increased 115 percent (83% in real terms), primarily due to prices more than doubling. Red snapper increased 104 percent (73% in real terms) during this period due to a combination of higher prices and landings. Red snapper landings were at their highest level since 1983, largely because the quota increased 120 percent from 2009 to 2014. Blue crab landings revenue almost doubled from 2005 to 2014 (up 93%, 64% in real terms). Only tuna landings revenue decreased over this 10-year period (-33%, -43% in real terms). Between 2013 and 2014, landings revenue for six out of the 10 key species or species groups increased. Landings revenue for groupers (23%, 21% in real terms) and blue crab (19%, 17% in real terms) increased the most during this period. Menhaden (-26%, -27% in real terms) and mullets (-22%, -23% in real terms) decreased the most.

Landings

Fishermen in the Gulf of Mexico Region landed 1.1 billion pounds of finfish and shellfish in 2014. This was a 5 percent decrease from 2005 and an 18 percent decrease from 2013. Finfish landings constituted 74 percent of total landings in the Gulf of Mexico Region (841 million pounds) in 2014, but decreased 23 percent from 2013 to 2014. Shellfish landings in 2014 were virtually unchanged from 2013 levels.

The regionally-managed menhaden fishery is the largest fishery by volume in the Gulf of Mexico (67% of total landings in 2014) but has only two participants — Omega Protein Inc. and Daybrook Fisheries Inc. These two companies own three seafood processing plants and the fishing vessels that prosecute the fishery. Menhaden landings decreased by 6 percent from 2005 to 2014 and by 25 percent from 2013 levels. The sizable decline from 2013 levels has been attributed to two main factors: poor weather during the early part of the menhaden season; and the tendency of several fish schools to remain in the estuaries in 2014 rather than migrate to the Gulf, as typically occurs late in the season.

¹ The NMFS Commercial Fishing Industry Input/Output Model was used to generate the impact estimates (see NMFS Commercial Fishing & Seafood Industry Input/Output Model, available at www.st.nmfs.noaa.gov/documents/commercial_seafood_impacts_2007-2009.pdf).

² Separate commercial economic impacts were not available for West Florida. Impacts for the entire state of Florida are reported here.

Commercial Fisheries Facts**Landings Revenue**

- On average from 2005 to 2014, the key species or species groups accounted for 90 percent of total revenue, generating \$675 million in the Gulf of Mexico Region.
- Shrimp had higher landings revenues than any other species or species group, averaging \$409 million in landings revenue from 2005 to 2014.

Landings

- Key species or species groups contributed an average of 96 percent annually to total landings from 2005 to 2014, or 1.3 billion pounds annually.
- Menhaden contributed the most to landings in the region, averaging 967 million pounds from 2005 to 2014.

Prices

- Stone crab had the highest average annual ex-vessel price per pound from 2005 to 2014: \$5.51
- Menhaden had the lowest average annual ex-vessel price per pound from 2005 to 2014: \$0.07

The shrimp fishery is the second largest fishery in the Gulf, accounting for 18 percent of total landings in 2014. Despite this standing, shrimp landings decreased 4 percent from 2005 to 2014. During this same period, landings of mullets (51%) and red snapper (39%) increased significantly. Species or species groups with significantly lower landings during this period included stone crabs (-58%), tunas (-42%) and crawfish (-26%). Stone crabs (-50%), crawfish (-43%) and menhaden (-25%) had the largest landings declines between 2013 to 2014. Stone crab landings reached their lowest levels since 1971 with landings trending downward since 2011. Groupers were the only key species or species group with a sizable increase in landings (17%) from 2013 to 2014.

Prices

In 2014, all 10 key species in the region experienced ex-vessel prices that were higher than their 10-year averages (both nominal and real). Ex-vessel prices for stone crab (207%, 160% in real terms); menhaden (125%, 80% in real terms); crawfish (118%, 85% in real terms); and blue crab (103%, 73% in real terms)

increased the most between 2005 and 2014. Compared with ex-vessel prices in 2013, the Gulf of Mexico Region's stone crab (119%), crawfish (43%) and oysters (32%) experienced the greatest price increases. Nominally, 2014 shrimp prices were the highest on record. After adjusting for inflation, the 2014 ex-vessel price for Gulf shrimp hit its highest level since 2000, rising steadily from its record low in 2009. The rise in Gulf shrimp prices has been attributed to a number of factors, including the disruption in the Asian market due to the spread of "early mortality syndrome" (EMS), a bacteria that causes early death in shrimp. Global shrimp production fell 19 percent in 2013 (down almost 50 percent in Thailand, the world's largest shrimp exporter), but experienced a slight rise in 2014.

RECREATIONAL FISHERIES

In 2014, approximately 2.9 million recreational anglers took 21 million fishing trips in the Gulf of Mexico Region. Coastal county residents in the Gulf Region made up 91 percent of these anglers. Of the total fishing trips taken, 55 percent were from the private boat sector and 41 percent were from the shore sector. The most frequently caught species or species groups in the Gulf Region included drum (spotted seatrout) and red drum.

Key Gulf of Mexico Region Recreational Species

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|------------------------------|---------------------|
| • Atlantic croaker | • Sheepshead porgy |
| • Gulf and southern kingfish | • Southern flounder |
| • Red drum | • Spanish mackerel |
| • Red snapper | • Spotted seatrout |
| • Sand and silver seatrout | • Striped mullet |

Economic Impacts and Expenditures

The contribution of recreational fishing activities³ in the Gulf of Mexico Region is reported in terms of economic impacts at the state level (employment, sales, income and value-added impacts) and expenditures on fishing trips and durable equipment at the regional level. Employment impacts in West Florida were the highest in the region with approximately 70,109 full- and part-time jobs generated by recreational fishing activities. Texas (16,496 jobs) and Louisiana (15,241 jobs) followed in terms of employment impacts.

³ Trip expenditure estimates were generated from the 2011 National Marine Recreational Fishing Expenditure Survey. Durable good expenditure impacts were generated from the 2014 National Marine Recreational Fishing Expenditure Survey (see <http://www.st.nmfs.noaa.gov/economics/fisheries/recreational/Marine-Angler-Durable-Expenditures/2014-durable-expenditures-survey>). Economic impacts from recreational fishing activities were generated using the NMFS Recreational Economic Impact Model (see The Economic Contribution of Marine Angler Expenditures in the United States, 2011, available at <http://www.st.nmfs.noaa.gov/economics/publications/marine-angler-expenditures/marine-angler-2011>).

In addition to jobs, the contribution of recreational fishing activities to the Gulf of Mexico Region's economy can be measured in terms of sales impacts and the contribution of these activities to gross domestic product (value-added impacts). In 2014, sales impacts were highest in West Florida (\$7.5 billion), followed by Texas (\$1.8 billion). Value-added impacts were highest in West Florida (\$4.9 billion), followed by Texas (\$1.2 billion).

In 2014, the total saltwater fishing trip and durable equipment expenditures were \$11.5 billion across the Gulf of Mexico Region. Approximately 87 percent of these expenditures were related to durable equipment purchases. The largest expenditures on durable goods were for boat expenses (\$5.8 billion), followed by fishing tackle (\$2.2 billion) and vehicle expenses (\$1 billion). Fishing trip-related expenditures by non-residents totaled \$645.7 million, of which the greatest portion can be attributed to trips in the for-hire sector (\$287.1 million). Residents of the Gulf of Mexico Region spent \$886.9 million on trip-related expenses with the greatest of these expenses related to the private boat sector (\$501 million).

Participation

Approximately 2.9 million recreational anglers fished in the Gulf of Mexico Region in 2014, a 13 percent decrease from 2005 (3.3 million anglers). These anglers were Gulf of Mexico Region residents from either a coastal county (2.6 million anglers) or non-coastal county (273,000 anglers). Residents of a coastal county in the Gulf Region made up 91 percent of total anglers in 2014. Participation by coastal county anglers in 2014 decreased 17 percent compared with 2005 (3.1 million anglers) and decreased 12 percent from 2013 to 2014. Participation by non-coastal county anglers in 2014 increased 44 percent compared with 2005 (190,000 anglers) and decreased 32 percent compared with 2013 (400,000 anglers).

Fishing Trips

Recreational fishermen took 21 million fishing trips in the Gulf of Mexico Region in 2014, a 10 percent decrease from 2005 and a 17 percent decrease from 2013. Approximately 55 percent of the saltwater trips occurred in the private boat sector. The second most popular fishing mode was shore fishing which made up

41 percent of trips in 2014.

Harvest and Release

Species and species groups caught most frequently in 2014 were drum (spotted seatrout, 15 million fish); red drum (5.6 million fish); and drum (Atlantic croaker, 4.9 million fish). From 2005 to 2014, six of the Gulf Region's key species or species groups showed decreases in catch totals, with the largest decreases occurring among drum (spotted seatrout, -53%); drum (gulf and southern kingfish, -52%); and red drum (-37%). Large increases in the number of fish caught from 2005 to 2014 were observed in striped mullet (113%), Spanish mackerel (75%) and drum (Atlantic croaker, 33%).

Recreational Fishing Facts

Participation

- An average of 3.2 million anglers fished in the Gulf of Mexico Region annually from 2005 to 2014.
- Coastal county residents made up 91 percent of total anglers in this region from 2005 to 2014.

Fishing trips

- In the Gulf of Mexico Region, an average of 23.1 million fishing trips were taken annually from 2005 to 2014.
- Private or rental boat and shore-based fishing trips accounted for an annual average of 13.4 million and 8.9 million fishing trips, respectively, from 2005 to 2014.

Harvest and release

- Spotted seatrout was the most commonly caught key species or species group, averaging 30.4 million fish during the 10-year period. Of these, approximately 59 percent were released rather than harvested.

MARINE ECONOMY

Note that when discussing the marine economy in the Gulf of Mexico Region^{4,5}, all statistics include the entire state of Florida, not just West Florida. Across all economic sectors in Alabama, Louisiana, Mississippi, Texas and Florida approximately 21 million full- and part-time jobs were filled by approximately 1.3 million establishments in 2013. Annual payroll totaled \$929 billion. Total employee compensation in the Gulf of Mexico Region totaled \$1.4 trillion and the combined gross state product of all

⁴ Marine Economy information was not available for West Florida, information for the entire state of Florida is provided here.

⁵ Unless otherwise stated, data was accessed from the U.S. Census Bureau on September 15, 2014 at <http://censtats.census.gov/>

⁶ U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis, "Table 1.1.5 Gross Domestic Product" and "Table SA6N Compensation of Employees by NAICS Industry," http://www.bea.gov/iTable/index_nipa.cfm (accessed September 15, 2014).

states totaled approximately \$2.9 trillion.⁶

The Commercial Fishing Location Quotient (CFLQ) measures the size of this sector in a state's economy relative to the size of the commercial fishing sector in the national economy.⁷ The CFLQ is calculated as the ratio of the percentage of regional employment in the commercial fishing sector compared with the percentage of national employment in the commercial fishing sector. The U.S. CFLQ is 1. If a state CFLQ is less than 1, then less commercial fishing occurs in this state than the national average. If a state CFLQ is greater than 1, then more commercial fishing occurs in this state than the national average.

In 2013, CFLQ for Louisiana was the highest in the region at 1.93. Louisiana's CFLQ suggests that the level of employment in commercial fishing-related industries in this state is approximately 1.93 times higher than the level of employment in these industries nationwide. The 2013 CFLQ in Mississippi was second highest in the region at 1.18.

Seafood Sales and Processing

From 2005 to 2013, the number of non-employer firms (businesses that have no paid employees and are subject to federal income tax) engaged in seafood product preparation and packaging increased 45 percent to 580 firms in 2013, relative to 2005. Most of these non-employer firms were located in Florida (300). Annual receipts for the region increased 54 percent to approximately \$37 million in 2013 (an 18% increase in real terms). During the same period, employer establishments engaged in seafood product preparation and packaging decreased 13 percent to 132 firms. Most employer firms in this sector were located in Louisiana (36). The number of employees decreased 34 percent to 6,637. Annual payroll decreased 4 percent to approximately \$209 million in 2013 (a 26% decrease in real terms).

From 2005 to 2013, employer establishments in the wholesale seafood sales sector decreased 17 percent from 2005 to 2013, to 447. Most wholesaling establishments were located in Florida (234). The number of employees decreased 20 percent to 3,734. Annual payroll

increased 20 percent to approximately \$141 million in 2013 (an 8% decrease in real terms).

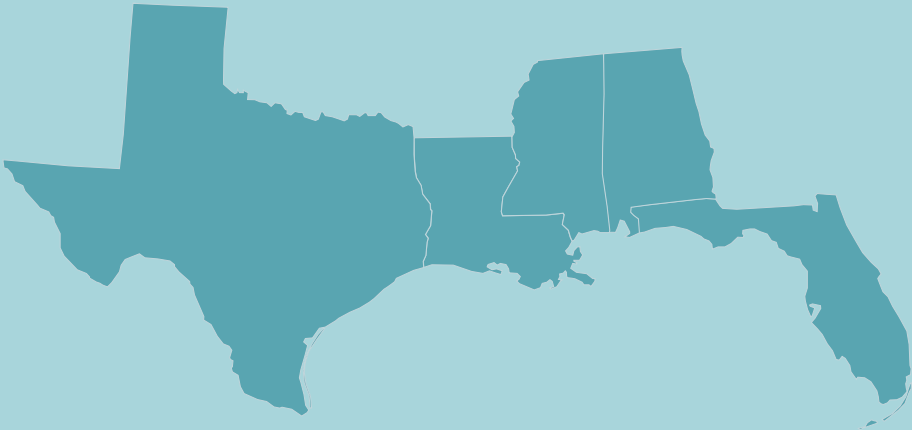
From 2005 to 2013, the number of non-employer firms in the retail seafood sector increased 24 percent to 804 firms. Most of these non-employer firms were located in Florida (338). Annual receipts increased 6 percent to approximately \$67 million in 2013 (a 19% decrease in real terms). During the same period, employer establishments engaged in seafood retail decreased 9 percent to 360 firms. Most employer firms in this sector were located in Florida (165). The number of employees increased 4 percent to 2,102. Annual payroll increased 38 percent to approximately \$45 million in 2013 (a 6% increase in real terms).

Transport, Support and Marine Operations

The size of the Transport, Support and Marine Operations sectors in the Gulf of Mexico Region is difficult to assess because much of the state-level data is suppressed for confidentiality purposes. It is clear, however, that these sectors play an important role in the regional economy. For example, in 2013 679 establishments were classified as marinas, employing 7,070 workers and spending \$204 million on payroll across all five states in the region. Four of the five states had significant activity in the Ship and Boat Building sector, which included 513 establishments, 27,860 workers and \$1.4 billion in payroll across Alabama, Louisiana, Texas and Florida. The Marine Cargo Handling sector had a substantial presence in the same four states and consisted of 167 establishments employing 16,036 workers. This sector contributed \$670 million in payroll, mainly in Texas, Florida and Louisiana. In addition, the Coastal Freight Transportation sector in Louisiana, Texas, Florida and Mississippi accounted for 202 establishments, 8,850 workers and \$766 million in payroll, with the majority of activity in Louisiana and, to a lesser extent, Texas.

⁷ U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, "Location Quotient Calculator," http://data.bls.gov/location_quotient/ (accessed September 15, 2014).

Tables | Gulf of Mexico Region



Gulf of Mexico Region | Commercial Fisheries

2014 Economic Impacts of the Gulf of Mexico Seafood Industry (thousands of dollars)

| | Landings Revenue | #Jobs | With Imports | | | #Jobs | Without Imports | | |
|-------------|------------------|--------|--------------|-----------|-------------|--------|-----------------|---------|-------------|
| | | | Sales | Income | Value Added | | Sales | Income | Value Added |
| Alabama | 68,793 | 15,069 | 660,627 | 251,520 | 333,185 | 14,329 | 573,214 | 229,907 | 300,165 |
| Florida | 203,372 | 92,858 | 18,317,052 | 3,434,238 | 6,135,060 | 12,241 | 1,059,989 | 279,380 | 429,336 |
| Louisiana | 451,371 | 44,066 | 2,220,879 | 816,203 | 1,115,858 | 42,901 | 2,042,092 | 778,941 | 1,053,888 |
| Mississippi | 25,995 | 4,714 | 198,608 | 79,501 | 102,731 | 4,704 | 197,129 | 79,189 | 102,217 |
| Texas | 278,353 | 33,880 | 2,857,586 | 826,213 | 1,238,477 | 26,496 | 1,568,259 | 567,146 | 796,557 |

Total Landings Revenue & Landings Revenue of Key Species/Species Groups (thousands of dollars)

| | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|--------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|-----------|
| Total Revenue | 625,038 | 691,220 | 690,211 | 663,848 | 636,427 | 624,629 | 811,905 | 745,822 | 943,640 | 1,027,885 |
| Finfish & Other | 122,642 | 135,982 | 145,584 | 146,341 | 142,028 | 117,363 | 184,536 | 184,067 | 205,184 | 184,448 |
| Shellfish | 502,396 | 555,238 | 544,626 | 517,507 | 494,400 | 507,265 | 627,368 | 561,755 | 738,457 | 843,437 |
| Key Species | | | | | | | | | | |
| Blue crab | 37,961 | 43,355 | 46,028 | 39,813 | 45,484 | 41,264 | 48,794 | 47,984 | 61,802 | 73,426 |
| Crawfish | 8,360 | 1,290 | 9,034 | 9,507 | 15,547 | 13,971 | 9,914 | 4,998 | 16,490 | 13,430 |
| Groupers | 24,692 | 22,795 | 20,242 | 22,927 | 17,292 | 13,580 | 19,679 | 23,415 | 23,396 | 28,830 |
| Menhaden | 32,938 | 44,946 | 62,110 | 64,376 | 60,606 | 51,750 | 92,855 | 83,450 | 95,331 | 70,917 |
| Mulletts | 6,593 | 9,429 | 5,543 | 6,099 | 6,105 | 5,221 | 10,368 | 7,557 | 13,222 | 10,292 |
| Oysters | 56,510 | 62,316 | 69,542 | 60,464 | 73,464 | 55,085 | 65,273 | 71,688 | 76,413 | 86,751 |
| Red snapper | 11,336 | 13,167 | 9,570 | 7,972 | 7,984 | 10,202 | 11,413 | 13,565 | 20,621 | 23,088 |
| Shrimp | 360,513 | 397,706 | 367,060 | 366,808 | 327,608 | 339,228 | 441,384 | 390,464 | 510,486 | 587,986 |
| Stone crab | 21,223 | 24,115 | 26,242 | 19,040 | 17,910 | 23,384 | 24,521 | 24,039 | 24,763 | 27,135 |
| Tunas | 9,431 | 8,461 | 10,535 | 6,170 | 8,180 | 2,688 | 5,516 | 10,516 | 7,308 | 6,330 |

Total Landings & Landings of Key Species/Species Groups (thousands of pounds)

| | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|--------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Total Landings | 1,198,203 | 1,362,326 | 1,404,307 | 1,278,879 | 1,435,665 | 1,072,068 | 1,792,550 | 1,438,492 | 1,395,521 | 1,143,715 |
| Finfish & Other | 887,920 | 974,969 | 1,071,322 | 994,374 | 1,071,708 | 810,649 | 1,472,798 | 1,150,289 | 1,093,569 | 840,674 |
| Shellfish | 310,283 | 387,357 | 332,985 | 284,505 | 363,957 | 261,419 | 319,752 | 288,203 | 301,952 | 303,041 |
| Key Species | | | | | | | | | | |
| Blue crab | 50,041 | 67,481 | 57,964 | 49,258 | 61,277 | 41,240 | 55,606 | 50,409 | 46,940 | 47,765 |
| Crawfish | 15,177 | 1,469 | 15,848 | 15,735 | 19,312 | 14,557 | 9,599 | 4,216 | 19,676 | 11,230 |
| Groupers | 10,776 | 9,092 | 7,308 | 8,560 | 6,633 | 4,870 | 6,987 | 7,973 | 7,280 | 8,547 |
| Menhaden | 815,495 | 901,398 | 1,005,325 | 927,517 | 1,002,579 | 753,442 | 1,398,654 | 1,078,139 | 1,021,526 | 769,943 |
| Mulletts | 9,023 | 12,727 | 8,933 | 10,609 | 11,303 | 8,963 | 14,233 | 10,772 | 13,482 | 13,604 |
| Oysters | 20,174 | 19,674 | 22,518 | 20,723 | 22,829 | 15,824 | 18,742 | 19,948 | 19,249 | 16,525 |
| Red snapper | 4,109 | 4,637 | 2,998 | 2,370 | 2,503 | 3,259 | 3,567 | 3,994 | 5,306 | 5,722 |
| Shrimp | 216,291 | 288,973 | 225,163 | 188,806 | 250,572 | 178,902 | 221,469 | 203,328 | 205,993 | 206,774 |
| Stone crab | 4,534 | 4,806 | 5,893 | 6,169 | 5,407 | 5,112 | 5,482 | 5,226 | 3,778 | 1,890 |
| Tunas | 3,050 | 2,851 | 3,426 | 1,786 | 2,836 | 1,322 | 1,588 | 3,031 | 2,094 | 1,757 |

Average Annual Price of Key Species/Species Groups (dollars per pound)

| | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|-------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|
| Blue crab | 0.76 | 0.64 | 0.79 | 0.81 | 0.74 | 1.00 | 0.88 | 0.95 | 1.32 | 1.54 |
| Crawfish | 0.55 | 0.88 | 0.57 | 0.60 | 0.81 | 0.96 | 1.03 | 1.19 | 0.84 | 1.20 |
| Groupers | 2.29 | 2.51 | 2.77 | 2.68 | 2.61 | 2.79 | 2.82 | 2.94 | 3.21 | 3.37 |
| Menhaden | 0.04 | 0.05 | 0.06 | 0.07 | 0.06 | 0.07 | 0.07 | 0.08 | 0.09 | 0.09 |
| Mulletts | 0.73 | 0.74 | 0.62 | 0.57 | 0.54 | 0.58 | 0.73 | 0.70 | 0.98 | 0.76 |
| Oysters | 2.80 | 3.17 | 3.09 | 2.92 | 3.22 | 3.48 | 3.48 | 3.59 | 3.97 | 5.25 |
| Red snapper | 2.76 | 2.84 | 3.19 | 3.36 | 3.19 | 3.13 | 3.20 | 3.40 | 3.89 | 4.04 |
| Shrimp | 1.67 | 1.38 | 1.63 | 1.94 | 1.31 | 1.90 | 1.99 | 1.92 | 2.48 | 2.84 |
| Stone crab | 4.68 | 5.02 | 4.45 | 3.09 | 3.31 | 4.57 | 4.47 | 4.60 | 6.55 | 14.35 |
| Tunas | 3.09 | 2.97 | 3.07 | 3.45 | 2.88 | 2.03 | 3.47 | 3.47 | 3.49 | 3.60 |

2014 Economic Impacts of the Gulf of Mexico Recreational Fishing Expenditures (thousands of dollars, trips)

| | Trips | #Jobs | Sales | Income | Value Added |
|--------------|-----------------|--------|-----------|-----------|-------------|
| Alabama | 2,169 | 14,124 | 1,070,579 | 540,257 | 827,849 |
| West Florida | 15,179 | 70,109 | 7,467,774 | 3,161,122 | 4,868,743 |
| Louisiana | 2,188 | 15,241 | 1,619,677 | 662,470 | 1,029,281 |
| Mississippi | 1,480 | 4,174 | 374,063 | 157,772 | 247,281 |
| Texas | NA ¹ | 16,496 | 1,825,290 | 757,027 | 1,205,146 |

2014 Angler Trip & Durable Goods Expenditures (thousands of dollars)

| Fishing Mode | Trip Expenditures | | Equipment | Durable Goods Expenditures |
|---|-------------------|-----------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| | Non-Residents | Residents | Fishing Tackle | 2,160,705 |
| For-Hire | 287,092 | 104,377 | Other Equipment | 941,315 |
| Private Boat | 144,610 | 501,020 | Boat Expenses | 5,753,157 |
| Shore | 213,957 | 281,503 | Vehicle Expenses | 1,020,298 |
| Total | 645,660 | 886,899 | Second Home Expenses | 137,662 |
| | | | Total Durable Expenditures | 10,013,137 |
| Total State Trip and Durable Goods Expenditures | | | | 11,545,696 |

Recreational Anglers by Residential Area (thousands of anglers)^{1,2}

| | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|---------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Coastal | 3,133 | 3,328 | 3,236 | 2,926 | 2,550 | 2,479 | 2,737 | 2,802 | 2,972 | 2,616 |
| Non-Coastal | 190 | 315 | 327 | 262 | 295 | 236 | 311 | 268 | 400 | 273 |
| Out-of-State ³ | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Total Anglers | 3,323 | 3,643 | 3,563 | 3,188 | 2,845 | 2,715 | 3,048 | 3,070 | 3,372 | 2,889 |

Recreational Fishing Effort by Mode (thousands of angler trips)

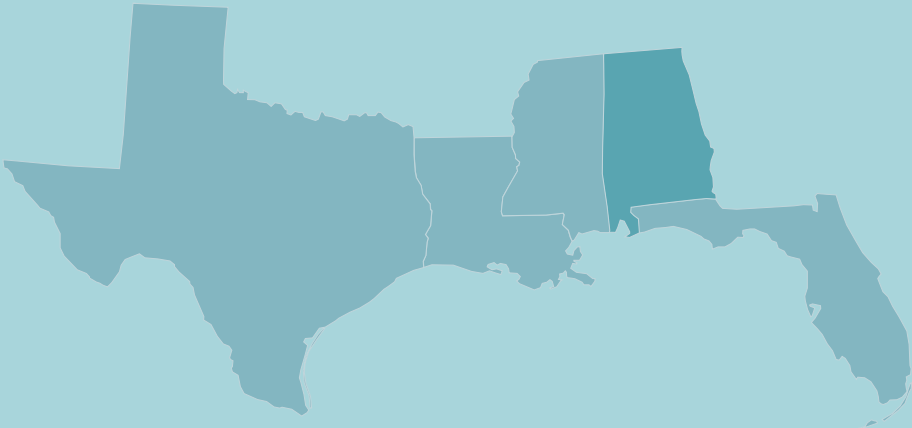
| | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|-------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| For-Hire | 692 | 837 | 852 | 819 | 823 | 581 | 735 | 884 | 907 | 927 |
| Private | 13,586 | 13,620 | 14,980 | 15,195 | 13,443 | 12,684 | 12,911 | 12,782 | 13,510 | 11,508 |
| Shore | 9,014 | 8,837 | 8,458 | 8,776 | 8,333 | 7,783 | 8,930 | 9,506 | 10,817 | 8,581 |
| Total Trips | 23,292 | 23,294 | 24,290 | 24,790 | 22,599 | 21,048 | 22,576 | 23,172 | 25,234 | 21,016 |

Harvest (H) & Release (R) of Key Species/Species Groups (thousands of fish)⁴

| | | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|-----------------------------------|---|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-------|
| Drum (Atlantic croaker) | H | 867 | 1541 | 1408 | 1935 | 1290 | 1635 | 2209 | 1462 | 1883 | 2682 |
| | R | 2,844 | 2,314 | 2,616 | 3,149 | 3,858 | 3,827 | 5,899 | 3,922 | 3,268 | 2,240 |
| Drum (Gulf and southern kingfish) | H | 1,426 | 1,250 | 1,137 | 1,307 | 1,066 | 1,420 | 941 | 918 | 1,623 | 705 |
| | R | 781 | 926 | 843 | 729 | 576 | 625 | 539 | 535 | 474 | 356 |
| Drum (sand and silver seatrouts) | H | 2,159 | 2,239 | 3,185 | 3,556 | 4,314 | 4,700 | 5,962 | 5,055 | 3,013 | 2,500 |
| | R | 724 | 1,538 | 1,910 | 1,989 | 2,444 | 1,807 | 2,541 | 2,474 | 1,851 | 481 |
| Drum (spotted seatrout) | H | 10,882 | 14,272 | 12,103 | 15,042 | 14,146 | 10,870 | 14,719 | 13,593 | 12,761 | 5,703 |
| | R | 20,214 | 20,055 | 18,849 | 21,017 | 17,365 | 14,564 | 19,120 | 20,217 | 19,528 | 8,931 |
| Porgies (sheepshead) | H | 2,081 | 1,185 | 1,245 | 1,613 | 1,607 | 1,195 | 2,274 | 1,596 | 1,355 | 1,381 |
| | R | 2,394 | 1,507 | 1,223 | 1,486 | 1,338 | 1,739 | 1,634 | 1,516 | 1,672 | 1,579 |
| Red drum | H | 2,548 | 2,681 | 3,136 | 3,560 | 2,893 | 3,516 | 3,889 | 3,012 | 4,138 | 2,096 |
| | R | 6,233 | 6,392 | 6,222 | 7,016 | 5,525 | 6,468 | 6,448 | 6,330 | 7,699 | 3,479 |
| Red snapper | H | 884 | 1035 | 1270 | 720 | 828 | 368 | 557 | 626 | 1291 | 500 |
| | R | 2,194 | 2,831 | 3,259 | 2,112 | 2,145 | 1,436 | 1,521 | 1,424 | 2,824 | 1,785 |
| Southern flounder | H | 623 | 538 | 701 | 538 | 691 | 801 | 857 | 836 | 1103 | 491 |
| | R | 195 | 171 | 239 | 121 | 193 | 220 | 222 | 309 | 339 | 72 |
| Spanish mackerel | H | 1,192 | 1,759 | 1,330 | 1,895 | 1,504 | 1,564 | 1,534 | 1,834 | 3,352 | 1,718 |
| | R | 1,374 | 2,855 | 2,104 | 2,040 | 1,634 | 2,477 | 1,941 | 1,441 | 4,158 | 2,779 |
| Striped mullet | H | 1,081 | 1,103 | 1,150 | 1,258 | 743 | 1,666 | 1,900 | 2,356 | 2,984 | 2,365 |
| | R | 165 | 141 | 158 | 146 | 226 | 127 | 313 | 204 | 194 | 293 |

¹ NA = The Marine Recreational Program (MRIP) does not collect effort data for Texas.² Includes Louisiana resident participation estimated from historical MRIP data and a state creel survey.³ Data are not available because out-of-state resident information is collected for individual states but whether an angler is a resident of a region is not specified.⁴ Data on the number of fish released in Texas are not collected by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department (TPWD) and therefore not reported in this table.

Tables | Alabama



Alabama | Commercial Fisheries

2014 Economic Impacts of the Alabama Seafood Industry (thousands of dollars)

| | With Imports | | | | Without Imports | | | |
|------------------------------------|--------------|---------|---------|-------------|-----------------|---------|---------|-------------|
| | #Jobs | Sales | Income | Value Added | #Jobs | Sales | Income | Value Added |
| Total Impacts | 15,069 | 660,627 | 251,520 | 333,185 | 14,329 | 573,214 | 229,907 | 300,165 |
| Commercial Harvesters | 2,363 | 113,695 | 33,648 | 50,164 | 2,363 | 113,695 | 33,648 | 50,164 |
| Seafood Processors & Dealers | 2,802 | 176,209 | 69,022 | 87,712 | 2,312 | 145,443 | 56,971 | 72,397 |
| Importers | 199 | 54,840 | 8,789 | 16,718 | - | - | - | - |
| Seafood Wholesalers & Distributors | 219 | 10,250 | 3,593 | 4,628 | 211 | 9,889 | 3,467 | 4,466 |
| Retail | 9,486 | 305,632 | 136,468 | 173,963 | 9,442 | 304,187 | 135,821 | 173,138 |

Total Landings Revenue & Landings Revenue of Key Species/Species Groups (thousands of dollars)

| | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|--------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Total Revenue | 39,726 | 48,558 | 48,845 | 44,503 | 39,624 | 26,335 | 50,910 | 46,495 | 55,532 | 68,793 |
| Finfish & Other | 3,982 | 4,572 | 3,686 | 4,358 | 3,662 | 2,748 | 4,072 | 5,183 | 4,680 | 4,572 |
| Shellfish | 35,744 | 43,986 | 45,160 | 40,145 | 35,962 | 23,587 | 46,838 | 41,312 | 50,853 | 64,221 |
| Key Species | | | | | | | | | | |
| Blue crab | 663 | 1,319 | 1,711 | 1,533 | 961 | 732 | 1,128 | 1,044 | 1,036 | 1,319 |
| Flounders | 247 | 223 | 261 | 214 | 197 | 97 | 222 | 185 | 58 | 53 |
| Menhaden | 63 | 48 | 71 | 59 | 42 | 15 | 58 | 84 | 104 | 147 |
| Mulletts | 1,117 | 1,171 | 984 | 1,030 | 765 | 594 | 687 | 1,206 | 1,178 | 1,046 |
| Oysters | 3,020 | 3,639 | 2,698 | 243 | 77 | 390 | 1,322 | 1,253 | 786 | 441 |
| Red snapper | 638 | 536 | 213 | 239 | 263 | 329 | 314 | 316 | 401 | 697 |
| Sharks | 478 | 463 | 250 | 403 | 275 | 111 | 381 | 330 | 247 | 219 |
| Shrimp | 32,002 | 39,022 | 40,742 | 38,355 | 34,894 | 22,463 | 44,361 | 39,009 | 49,021 | 62,445 |
| Spanish mackerel | 401 | 573 | 453 | 664 | 301 | 499 | 582 | 1,149 | 940 | 472 |
| Vermillion snapper | 149 | 318 | 323 | 507 | 841 | 384 | 622 | 393 | 88 | 387 |

Total Landings & Landings of Key Species/Species Groups (thousands of pounds)

| | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|--------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Total Landings | 23,985 | 34,033 | 29,434 | 24,612 | 29,199 | 14,063 | 26,119 | 26,322 | 23,085 | 25,268 |
| Finfish & Other | 5,552 | 6,498 | 4,857 | 5,577 | 4,478 | 3,441 | 4,966 | 6,596 | 5,831 | 5,276 |
| Shellfish | 18,432 | 27,535 | 24,578 | 19,035 | 24,721 | 10,622 | 21,153 | 19,726 | 17,254 | 19,992 |
| Key Species | | | | | | | | | | |
| Blue crab | 1,024 | 2,384 | 2,557 | 1,799 | 1,458 | 927 | 1,617 | 1,325 | 1,025 | 1,184 |
| Flounders | 130 | 118 | 133 | 107 | 97 | 48 | 111 | 83 | 25 | 23 |
| Menhaden | 521 | 350 | 470 | 268 | 190 | 81 | 364 | 521 | 496 | 700 |
| Mulletts | 1,976 | 1,913 | 1,798 | 2,017 | 1,814 | 1,202 | 1,262 | 1,946 | 1,793 | 1,829 |
| Oysters | 1,041 | 940 | 769 | 71 | 23 | 68 | 296 | 265 | 133 | 58 |
| Red snapper | 214 | 177 | 59 | 61 | 65 | 83 | 78 | 78 | 108 | 180 |
| Sharks | 800 | 1,227 | 315 | 424 | 328 | 140 | 450 | 495 | 343 | 272 |
| Shrimp | 16,260 | 24,201 | 21,247 | 17,154 | 23,215 | 9,625 | 19,224 | 18,124 | 16,082 | 18,735 |
| Spanish mackerel | 568 | 873 | 580 | 921 | 418 | 733 | 839 | 1,377 | 972 | 431 |
| Vermillion snapper | 66 | 122 | 129 | 199 | 346 | 148 | 224 | 133 | 28 | 124 |

Average Annual Price of Key Species/Species Groups (dollars per pound)

| | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|--------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Blue crab | 0.65 | 0.55 | 0.67 | 0.85 | 0.66 | 0.79 | 0.70 | 0.79 | 1.01 | 1.11 |
| Flounders | 1.91 | 1.89 | 1.97 | 2.01 | 2.04 | 2.05 | 2.00 | 2.21 | 2.35 | 2.24 |
| Menhaden | 0.12 | 0.14 | 0.15 | 0.22 | 0.22 | 0.18 | 0.16 | 0.16 | 0.21 | 0.21 |
| Mulletts | 0.57 | 0.61 | 0.55 | 0.51 | 0.42 | 0.49 | 0.54 | 0.62 | 0.66 | 0.57 |
| Oysters | 2.90 | 3.87 | 3.51 | 3.41 | 3.33 | 5.75 | 4.47 | 4.72 | 5.90 | 7.62 |
| Red snapper | 2.98 | 3.03 | 3.62 | 3.93 | 4.04 | 3.97 | 4.04 | 4.05 | 3.70 | 3.86 |
| Sharks | 0.60 | 0.38 | 0.79 | 0.95 | 0.84 | 0.79 | 0.85 | 0.67 | 0.72 | 0.81 |
| Shrimp | 1.97 | 1.61 | 1.92 | 2.24 | 1.50 | 2.33 | 2.31 | 2.15 | 3.05 | 3.33 |
| Spanish mackerel | 0.71 | 0.66 | 0.78 | 0.72 | 0.72 | 0.68 | 0.69 | 0.83 | 0.97 | 1.09 |
| Vermillion snapper | 2.26 | 2.61 | 2.50 | 2.55 | 2.43 | 2.59 | 2.78 | 2.97 | 3.12 | 3.11 |

2014 Economic Impacts of Recreational Fishing Expenditures (thousands of dollars)

| | | #Jobs | Sales | Income | Value Added |
|------------------------------|--------------|--------|-----------|---------|-------------|
| Trip Impacts by Fishing Mode | For-Hire | 570 | 49,799 | 19,498 | 26,942 |
| | Private Boat | 398 | 34,902 | 12,167 | 20,128 |
| | Shore | 1,046 | 88,048 | 30,424 | 49,852 |
| Total Durable Expenditures | | 12,110 | 897,830 | 478,168 | 730,927 |
| Total State Economic Impacts | | 14,124 | 1,070,579 | 540,257 | 827,849 |

2014 Angler Trip & Durable Goods Expenditures (thousands of dollars)

| Fishing Mode | Trip Expenditures | | Equipment | Durable Goods Expenditures |
|---|-------------------|-----------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| | Non-Residents | Residents | | |
| | | | Fishing Tackle | 272,096 |
| For-Hire | 26,481 | 6,455 | Other Equipment | 86,600 |
| Private Boat | 7,904 | 26,859 | Boat Expenses | 864,053 |
| Shore | 40,222 | 33,090 | Vehicle Expenses | 36,281 |
| Total | 74,607 | 66,404 | Second Home Expenses | 24,247 |
| | | | Total Durable Expenditures | 1,283,277 |
| Total State Trip and Durable Goods Expenditures | | | | 1,424,288 |

Recreational Anglers by Residential Area (thousands of anglers)

| | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|---------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|------|
| Coastal | 231 | 233 | 253 | 192 | 205 | 195 | 295 | 254 | 279 | 220 |
| Non-Coastal | 93 | 184 | 169 | 116 | 151 | 140 | 177 | 131 | 224 | 123 |
| Out-of-State | 161 | 320 | 291 | 237 | 209 | 220 | 435 | 339 | 549 | 510 |
| Total Anglers | 485 | 737 | 713 | 545 | 565 | 555 | 907 | 724 | 1,052 | 853 |

Recreational Fishing Effort by Mode (thousands of angler trips)

| | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|-------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| For-Hire | 56 | 78 | 75 | 56 | 56 | 34 | 75 | 59 | 90 | 87 |
| Private | 828 | 811 | 985 | 946 | 885 | 840 | 1,206 | 1,035 | 1,006 | 714 |
| Shore | 721 | 1,050 | 901 | 702 | 772 | 812 | 1,202 | 1,211 | 1,767 | 1,368 |
| Total Trips | 1,605 | 1,939 | 1,961 | 1,704 | 1,713 | 1,686 | 2,483 | 2,305 | 2,863 | 2,169 |

Harvest (H) & Release (R) of Key Species/Species Groups (thousands of fish)

| | | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|--------------------------------|---|-------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Bluefish | H | 15 | 13 | 26 | 16 | 14 | 30 | 74 | 55 | 163 | 37 |
| | R | 77 | 150 | 175 | 54 | 46 | 80 | 166 | 197 | 639 | 518 |
| Drum (Atlantic croaker) | H | 233 | 452 | 463 | 1,163 | 250 | 918 | 886 | 345 | 391 | 1,106 |
| | R | 1,593 | 824 | 924 | 1,370 | 1,822 | 1,861 | 2,593 | 1,206 | 886 | 1,393 |
| Drum (kingfishes) ¹ | H | 263 | 444 | 477 | 668 | 593 | 633 | 626 | 226 | 929 | 321 |
| | R | 266 | 460 | 291 | 257 | 284 | 310 | 342 | 97 | 260 | 156 |
| Drum (sand seatrout) | H | 349 | 593 | 704 | 1,216 | 1,428 | 2,069 | 2,346 | 1,415 | 485 | 524 |
| | R | 289 | 502 | 481 | 409 | 753 | 835 | 743 | 479 | 294 | 246 |
| Drum (spotted seatrout) | H | 295 | 327 | 358 | 269 | 318 | 610 | 825 | 773 | 539 | 242 |
| | R | 323 | 598 | 487 | 844 | 758 | 454 | 1,302 | 1,126 | 761 | 253 |
| Porgies (sheepshead) | H | 279 | 123 | 321 | 289 | 165 | 218 | 480 | 313 | 285 | 121 |
| | R | 86 | 80 | 30 | 158 | 48 | 51 | 146 | 48 | 46 | 17 |
| Red drum | H | 154 | 100 | 84 | 88 | 62 | 123 | 143 | 124 | 188 | 90 |
| | R | 184 | 144 | 136 | 227 | 111 | 152 | 150 | 306 | 425 | 317 |
| Red snapper | H | 232 | 181 | 217 | 107 | 138 | 42 | 217 | 152 | 451 | 133 |
| | R | 494 | 639 | 852 | 340 | 394 | 287 | 488 | 193 | 857 | 757 |
| Southern flounder | H | 151 | 123 | 96 | 93 | 139 | 243 | 163 | 155 | 84 | 29 |
| | R | 83 | 65 | 38 | 37 | 22 | 65 | 60 | 53 | 43 | 18 |
| Spanish mackerel | H | 45 | 58 | 91 | 111 | 76 | 254 | 335 | 515 | 1,313 | 128 |
| | R | 52 | 49 | 21 | 32 | 59 | 102 | 128 | 148 | 1,130 | 53 |

¹ Kingfishes include southern kingfish and Gulf kingfish.

Alabama | Marine Economy

Alabama's State Economy (% of national total)

| | #Establishments | #Employees | Annual Payroll (\$ billions) | Employee Compensation (\$ billions) | Gross State Product (\$ billions) | Commercial Fishing Location Quotient ¹ |
|---------|-----------------|------------------|---------------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|
| 2005 | 101,976 (1.4%) | 1,667,526 (1.4%) | 53.37 (1.2%) | 86.75 (1.2%) | 157.91 (1.2%) | 0.29 |
| 2013 | 97,578 (1.3%) | 1,603,100 (1.4%) | 62.41 (1.1%) | 102.80 (1.2%) | 194.67 (1.2%) | 0.57 |
| %Change | -4.5 | -4.0 | 14.5 | 15.6 | 18.9 | -96.6 |

Seafood Sales & Processing - Non-Employer Firms (thousands of dollars)

| | | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 |
|-----------------------|----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Seafood product | Firms | 40 | 34 | 47 | 33 | 41 | 68 | 67 | 47 | 58 |
| prep. & packaging | Receipts | 3,414 | 1,558 | 1,547 | 1,894 | 1,809 | 3,314 | 4,354 | 1,965 | 3,069 |
| Seafood sales, retail | Firms | 44 | 57 | 61 | 57 | 67 | 71 | 58 | 68 | 66 |
| | Receipts | 3,855 | 4,802 | 4,279 | 5,632 | 5,484 | 5,197 | 4,759 | 7,073 | 5,520 |

Seafood Sales & Processing - Employer Establishments (thousands of dollars)²

| | | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 |
|--------------------------|----------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Seafood product | Establishments | 26 | 24 | 23 | 23 | 22 | 21 | 16 | 17 | 22 |
| prep. & packaging | Employees | 1,925 | 1,629 | 1,510 | 1,450 | 1,086 | 1,128 | 882 | 778 | 989 |
| | Payroll | 38,229 | 34,703 | 32,774 | 29,277 | 24,900 | 22,824 | 21,922 | 19,730 | 22,641 |
| Seafood sales, wholesale | Establishments | 26 | 26 | 31 | 29 | 28 | 23 | 25 | 16 | 18 |
| | Employees | 607 | 395 | 395 | 494 | 339 | 332 | 321 | 306 | 281 |
| | Payroll | 6,345 | 6,195 | 6,202 | 8,751 | 5,893 | 5,119 | 6,547 | 6,221 | 6,861 |
| Seafood sales, retail | Establishments | 34 | 28 | 33 | 33 | 31 | 34 | 32 | 32 | 28 |
| | Employees | 95 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 130 | 132 | 120 | 189 | 219 |
| | Payroll | 1,399 | 0 | 1,809 | 1,710 | 2,044 | 2,016 | 1,888 | 2,990 | 3,267 |

Transport, Support & Marine Operations - Employer Establishments (thousands of dollars)^{2,3}

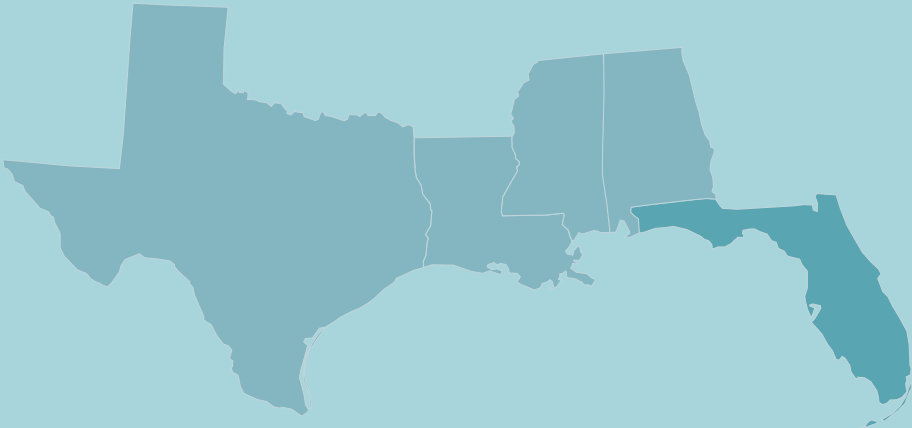
| | | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 |
|--|----------------|--------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Coastal & Great Lakes freight transportation | Establishments | 10 | 6 | 8 | 4 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 5 |
| | Employees | ds | 15 | 48 | ds | ds | ds | 215 | ds | ds |
| | Payroll | ds | 754 | 3,266 | ds | ds | ds | 13,117 | ds | ds |
| Deep sea freight transportation | Establishments | 3 | 3 | 5 | 7 | 7 | 5 | 6 | 5 | 5 |
| | Employees | ds | ds | 46 | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds |
| | Payroll | ds | ds | 3,553 | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds |
| Deep sea passenger transportation | Establishments | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| | Employees | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | NA |
| | Payroll | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | NA |
| Marinas | Establishments | 58 | 52 | 52 | 56 | 55 | 54 | 53 | 57 | 54 |
| | Employees | 347 | 312 | 364 | 316 | 278 | 609 | ds | 329 | 332 |
| | Payroll | 8,047 | 8,388 | 9,382 | 9,170 | 8,418 | 12,149 | 12,196 | 10,253 | 9,659 |
| Marine cargo handling | Establishments | 17 | 14 | 19 | 20 | 19 | 19 | 19 | 10 | 13 |
| | Employees | 672 | ds | 491 | 756 | 658 | 548 | 536 | ds | 554 |
| | Payroll | 28,458 | ds | 21,076 | 33,244 | 27,272 | 32,143 | 34,998 | ds | 34,481 |
| Navigational services to shipping | Establishments | 17 | 18 | 16 | 17 | 16 | 16 | 16 | 14 | 12 |
| | Employees | ds | ds | 338 | 287 | 294 | 276 | 283 | 241 | 208 |
| | Payroll | ds | ds | 17,554 | 16,712 | 15,383 | 14,737 | 14,981 | 8,808 | 14,761 |
| Port & harbor operations | Establishments | 3 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 3 | 6 | 3 |
| | Employees | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | 101 | 4 |
| | Payroll | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | 5,788 | 160 |
| Ship & boat building | Establishments | 45 | 47 | 42 | 42 | 40 | 32 | 35 | 37 | 38 |
| | Employees | 2,591 | 3,027 | 3,570 | 4,435 | 3,913 | 2,598 | 3,176 | 4,936 | 5,948 |
| | Payroll | 86,453 | 121,185 | 172,380 | 188,543 | 159,065 | 151,813 | 166,116 | 251,063 | 303,016 |

¹ The U.S. Commercial Fishing Location Quotient (CFLQ) is 1. A CFLQ greater than 1 indicates that more commercial fishing occurs in this state than the national average. A CFLQ less than 1 indicates that less commercial fishing occurs in this state than the national average.

² ds = these data are suppressed.

³ NA = not available.

Tables | West Florida



West Florida | Commercial Fisheries

2014 Economic Impacts of the Florida¹ Seafood Industry (thousands of dollars)

| | With Imports | | | | Without Imports | | | |
|------------------------------------|--------------|------------|-----------|-------------|-----------------|-----------|---------|-------------|
| | #Jobs | Sales | Income | Value Added | #Jobs | Sales | Income | Value Added |
| Total Impacts | 92,858 | 18,317,052 | 3,434,238 | 6,135,060 | 12,241 | 1,059,989 | 279,380 | 429,336 |
| Commercial Harvesters | 7,921 | 510,330 | 160,460 | 213,356 | 7,921 | 510,330 | 160,460 | 213,356 |
| Seafood Processors & Dealers | 5,381 | 863,388 | 167,091 | 328,486 | 640 | 110,089 | 21,306 | 41,885 |
| Importers | 48,133 | 13,240,472 | 2,122,038 | 4,036,275 | - | - | - | - |
| Seafood Wholesalers & Distributors | 11,710 | 1,333,732 | 523,618 | 651,451 | 533 | 60,718 | 23,837 | 29,657 |
| Retail | 19,712 | 2,369,130 | 461,031 | 905,493 | 3,146 | 378,853 | 73,777 | 144,438 |

Total Landings Revenue & Landings Revenue of Key Species/Species Groups (thousands of dollars)²

| | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|--------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Total Revenue | 137,912 | 145,494 | 132,162 | 123,850 | 117,324 | 139,046 | 166,015 | 143,188 | 181,507 | 203,372 |
| Finfish & Other | 50,600 | 50,358 | 45,890 | 50,926 | 49,582 | 40,865 | 59,410 | 60,406 | 67,612 | 69,919 |
| Shellfish | 87,312 | 95,136 | 86,272 | 72,924 | 67,743 | 98,181 | 106,605 | 82,783 | 113,895 | 133,452 |
| Key Species | | | | | | | | | | |
| Blue crab | 7,035 | 7,043 | 5,769 | 3,289 | 4,195 | 6,706 | 7,719 | 5,142 | 6,454 | 6,977 |
| Gag | 7,084 | 4,151 | 4,348 | 4,913 | 2,759 | 2,079 | 1,439 | 2,437 | 2,799 | 2,852 |
| Lobsters | 15,077 | 24,885 | 24,546 | 19,175 | 12,206 | 32,752 | 35,616 | 21,136 | 46,749 | 50,537 |
| Mulletts | 4,355 | 6,021 | 3,663 | 4,172 | 5,069 | 4,188 | 8,630 | 5,050 | 11,081 | 8,072 |
| Oyster | 2,854 | 5,415 | 6,631 | 5,519 | 6,968 | 6,298 | 8,582 | 9,706 | 5,783 | 4,038 |
| Quahog clam | 1,736 | 807 | 914 | 1,825 | 1,524 | 1,002 | 921 | 753 | 921 | NA |
| Red grouper | 13,376 | 14,384 | 11,024 | 13,591 | 10,488 | 8,992 | 15,087 | 16,737 | 16,219 | 20,944 |
| Red snapper | 1,671 | 1,991 | 3,066 | 2,951 | 2,980 | 4,552 | 5,417 | 6,141 | 8,073 | 8,067 |
| Shrimp | 38,625 | 32,225 | 20,976 | 23,265 | 24,446 | 27,554 | 28,456 | 21,463 | 28,498 | 40,714 |
| Stone crab | 21,074 | 24,029 | 26,213 | 19,019 | 17,806 | 23,335 | 24,430 | 23,934 | 24,710 | 27,132 |

Total Landings & Landings of Key Species/Species Groups (thousands of pounds)²

| | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|--------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Total Landings | 73,038 | 70,766 | 59,784 | 60,380 | 66,387 | 63,678 | 78,459 | 63,347 | 62,960 | 76,126 |
| Finfish & Other | 36,543 | 35,887 | 30,645 | 35,302 | 38,792 | 32,023 | 42,288 | 37,993 | 37,759 | 39,076 |
| Shellfish | 36,496 | 34,879 | 29,139 | 25,078 | 27,595 | 31,656 | 36,171 | 25,355 | 25,200 | 37,050 |
| Key Species | | | | | | | | | | |
| Blue crab | 7,370 | 8,610 | 6,110 | 2,660 | 3,371 | 5,759 | 6,833 | 4,157 | 4,463 | 4,187 |
| Gag | 2,688 | 1,436 | 1,339 | 1,478 | 825 | 572 | 369 | 612 | 676 | 681 |
| Lobsters | 3,059 | 4,372 | 3,405 | 2,981 | 3,961 | 5,287 | 5,303 | 3,635 | 5,601 | 4,795 |
| Mulletts | 5,635 | 7,308 | 5,619 | 6,980 | 9,167 | 7,262 | 11,410 | 7,249 | 10,879 | 10,495 |
| Oyster | 1,417 | 2,394 | 2,959 | 2,526 | 2,877 | 2,165 | 3,100 | 3,316 | 1,298 | 731 |
| Quahog clam | 212 | 96 | 116 | 279 | 255 | 156 | 137 | 128 | 183 | NA |
| Red grouper | 6,386 | 6,062 | 4,352 | 5,628 | 4,387 | 3,488 | 5,635 | 6,141 | 5,412 | 6,545 |
| Red snapper | 584 | 649 | 919 | 849 | 863 | 1,317 | 1,538 | 1,698 | 2,181 | 2,094 |
| Shrimp | 19,297 | 14,176 | 8,628 | 9,942 | 11,451 | 12,892 | 11,975 | 7,658 | 9,405 | 11,448 |
| Stone crab | 4,502 | 4,784 | 5,884 | 6,163 | 5,382 | 5,100 | 5,460 | 5,202 | 3,767 | 1,889 |

Average Annual Price of Key Species/Species Groups (dollars per pound)²

| | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|-------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|
| Blue crab | 0.95 | 0.82 | 0.94 | 1.24 | 1.24 | 1.16 | 1.13 | 1.24 | 1.45 | 1.67 |
| Gag | 2.64 | 2.89 | 3.25 | 3.32 | 3.34 | 3.63 | 3.90 | 3.98 | 4.14 | 4.19 |
| Lobsters | 4.93 | 5.69 | 7.21 | 6.43 | 3.08 | 6.19 | 6.72 | 5.81 | 8.35 | 10.54 |
| Mulletts | 0.77 | 0.82 | 0.65 | 0.60 | 0.55 | 0.58 | 0.76 | 0.70 | 1.02 | 0.77 |
| Oyster | 2.02 | 2.26 | 2.24 | 2.19 | 2.42 | 2.91 | 2.77 | 2.93 | 4.46 | 5.52 |
| Quahog clam | 8.17 | 8.44 | 7.90 | 6.53 | 5.97 | 6.43 | 6.74 | 5.86 | 5.03 | NA |
| Red grouper | 2.09 | 2.37 | 2.53 | 2.41 | 2.39 | 2.58 | 2.68 | 2.73 | 3.00 | 3.20 |
| Red snapper | 2.86 | 3.07 | 3.34 | 3.47 | 3.45 | 3.46 | 3.52 | 3.62 | 3.70 | 3.85 |
| Shrimp | 2.00 | 2.27 | 2.43 | 2.34 | 2.13 | 2.14 | 2.38 | 2.80 | 3.03 | 3.56 |
| Stone crab | 4.68 | 5.02 | 4.45 | 3.09 | 3.31 | 4.58 | 4.47 | 4.60 | 6.56 | 14.36 |

¹ Information reported in this table is for the entire state of Florida, not just West Florida.² NA = These data are confidential and therefore not disclosable.

2014 Economic Impacts of Recreational Fishing Expenditures (thousands of dollars)

| | | #Jobs | Sales | Income | Value Added |
|------------------------------|--------------|--------|-----------|-----------|-------------|
| Trip Impacts by Fishing Mode | For-Hire | 4,409 | 471,415 | 199,485 | 286,678 |
| | Private Boat | 3,878 | 406,135 | 155,527 | 257,061 |
| | Shore | 2,903 | 286,396 | 108,612 | 178,817 |
| Total Durable Expenditures | | 58,919 | 6,303,828 | 2,697,498 | 4,146,187 |
| Total State Economic Impacts | | 70,109 | 7,467,774 | 3,161,122 | 4,868,743 |

2014 Angler Trip & Durable Goods Expenditures (thousands of dollars)

| Fishing Mode | Trip Expenditures | | Equipment | Durable Goods Expenditures |
|---|-------------------|-----------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| | Non-Residents | Residents | | |
| For-Hire | 227,247 | 31,488 | Fishing Tackle | 1,317,124 |
| Private Boat | 121,376 | 218,202 | Other Equipment | 548,979 |
| Shore | 152,225 | 54,261 | Boat Expenses | 3,138,979 |
| Total | 500,848 | 303,951 | Vehicle Expenses | 318,188 |
| | | | Second Home Expenses | 57,872 |
| | | | Total Durable Expenditures | 5,381,143 |
| Total State Trip and Durable Goods Expenditures | | | | 6,185,942 |

Recreational Anglers by Residential Area (thousands of anglers)

| | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|--------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Coastal | 2,088 | 2,084 | 1,934 | 1,820 | 1,551 | 1,538 | 1,592 | 1,718 | 1,813 | 1,649 |
| Non-Coastal ¹ | NA | NA | NA | NA | NA | NA | NA | NA | NA | NA |
| Out-of-State | 2,008 | 1,988 | 2,151 | 2,029 | 1,671 | 1,470 | 1,624 | 2,141 | 2,538 | 2,716 |
| Total Anglers | 4,096 | 4,072 | 4,085 | 3,849 | 3,222 | 3,008 | 3,216 | 3,859 | 4,351 | 4,365 |

Recreational Fishing Effort by Mode (thousands of angler trips)

| | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|-------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| For-Hire | 505 | 565 | 612 | 571 | 573 | 461 | 536 | 699 | 684 | 694 |
| Private | 9,491 | 9,382 | 10,005 | 10,145 | 8,623 | 8,160 | 7,520 | 7,865 | 8,328 | 8,115 |
| Shore | 6,699 | 6,721 | 6,319 | 6,782 | 6,482 | 5,645 | 5,845 | 6,216 | 6,937 | 6,370 |
| Total Trips | 16,695 | 16,668 | 16,936 | 17,498 | 15,678 | 14,266 | 13,901 | 14,780 | 15,949 | 15,179 |

Harvest (H) & Release (R) of Key Species/Species Groups (thousands of fish)²

| | | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|----------------------------------|---|--------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|--------|--------|-------|-------|
| Common snook | H | 62 | 25 | 35 | 25 | 14 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 33 | 13 |
| | R | 2,281 | 1,391 | 1,591 | 1,596 | 1,925 | 600 | 747 | 1,040 | 1,547 | 1,578 |
| Drum (sand and silver seatrouts) | H | 487 | 434 | 1,119 | 746 | 892 | 409 | 865 | 1,415 | 705 | 578 |
| | R | 64 | 409 | 599 | 583 | 459 | 211 | 295 | 742 | 240 | 122 |
| Drum (spotted seatrout) | H | 1,980 | 1,616 | 1,514 | 1,543 | 1,370 | 1,115 | 1,475 | 1,626 | 1,406 | 1,340 |
| | R | 11,749 | 9,456 | 10,059 | 9,584 | 7,672 | 8,470 | 11,382 | 10,921 | 7,760 | 7,935 |
| Gag | H | 491 | 356 | 286 | 434 | 203 | 232 | 98 | 132 | 213 | 105 |
| | R | 2,314 | 1,875 | 2,676 | 4,076 | 2,724 | 2,017 | 1,158 | 980 | 1,170 | 817 |
| Gray snapper | H | 932 | 663 | 1,046 | 1,394 | 1,176 | 560 | 419 | 949 | 1,482 | 1,933 |
| | R | 4,700 | 2,848 | 4,289 | 5,690 | 3,014 | 1,858 | 2,239 | 3,125 | 5,136 | 7,519 |
| King mackerel | H | 178 | 343 | 271 | 184 | 453 | 172 | 128 | 180 | 205 | 306 |
| | R | 133 | 392 | 84 | 155 | 138 | 81 | 46 | 62 | 88 | 118 |
| Mullet ³ | H | 988 | 1,297 | 613 | 1,237 | 656 | 967 | 855 | 1,550 | 1,640 | 1,480 |
| | R | 208 | 100 | 183 | 143 | 191 | 73 | 106 | 88 | 224 | 319 |
| Porgies (sheepshead) | H | 1,050 | 623 | 591 | 556 | 682 | 455 | 608 | 628 | 524 | 895 |
| | R | 1,856 | 942 | 894 | 855 | 808 | 1,245 | 1,276 | 1,177 | 1,084 | 1,535 |
| Red drum | H | 501 | 377 | 412 | 457 | 225 | 240 | 286 | 414 | 364 | 388 |
| | R | 3,254 | 2,828 | 2,558 | 2,562 | 1,440 | 1,992 | 2,894 | 2,300 | 2,196 | 2,647 |
| Spanish mackerel | H | 1,100 | 1,672 | 1,205 | 1,753 | 1,392 | 1,284 | 1,154 | 1,215 | 1,970 | 1,565 |
| | R | 1,279 | 2,767 | 2,064 | 1,988 | 1,545 | 2,360 | 1,780 | 1,219 | 3,017 | 2,724 |

¹ Data is not available because all West Florida residents are considered coastal county residents.² In this table, '0' = 0-999 thousand fish and '1' = 1,000-1,499 thousand fish.³ Mullet³ encompass species within the mullet genus, including striped mullets.

West Florida | Marine Economy

West Florida's State Economy (% of national total)¹

| | #Establishments | #Employees | Annual Payroll (\$ billions) | Employee Compensation (\$ billions) | Gross State Product (\$ billions) | Commercial Fishing Location Quotient ² |
|----------|-----------------|------------------|---------------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|
| 2005 | 504,662 (6.7%) | 7,107,378 (6.1%) | 239.20 (5.3%) | 382.54 (5.4%) | 700.22 (5.4%) | 1.00 |
| 2013 | 510,389 (6.8%) | 7,134,644 (6%) | 294.14 (5.2%) | 440.33 (5%) | 800.70 (4.8%) | 1.04 |
| % Change | 1.1 | 0.4 | 18.7 | 13.1 | 12.5 | 4.0 |

Seafood Sales & Processing - Non-Employer Firms (thousands of dollars)

| | | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 |
|-----------------------|----------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Seafood product | Firms | 164 | 174 | 173 | 202 | 217 | 280 | 294 | 307 | 300 |
| prep. & packaging | Receipts | 8,756 | 10,184 | 10,497 | 11,065 | 12,473 | 14,635 | 14,618 | 17,557 | 17,214 |
| Seafood sales, retail | Firms | 247 | 251 | 319 | 331 | 316 | 361 | 362 | 383 | 338 |
| | Receipts | 22,787 | 20,708 | 27,557 | 26,087 | 25,667 | 27,964 | 29,037 | 30,765 | 25,332 |

Seafood Sales & Processing - Employer Establishments (thousands of dollars)

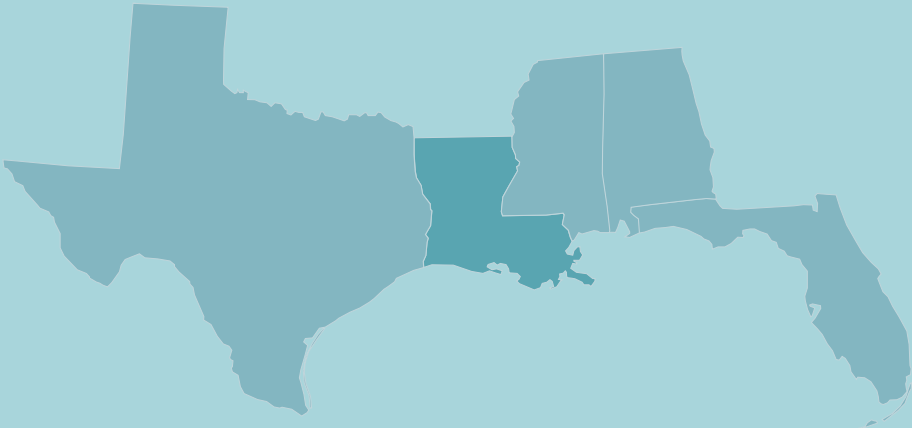
| | | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 |
|--------------------------|----------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Seafood product | Establishments | 25 | 22 | 20 | 23 | 25 | 27 | 24 | 27 | 25 |
| prep. & packaging | Employees | 1,616 | 1,704 | 1,748 | 1,637 | 1,143 | 1,269 | 1,095 | 1,608 | 1,374 |
| | Payroll | 47,529 | 62,801 | 58,233 | 53,455 | 46,235 | 45,772 | 42,612 | 51,735 | 50,003 |
| Seafood sales, wholesale | Establishments | 258 | 259 | 267 | 229 | 215 | 229 | 250 | 226 | 234 |
| | Employees | 1,883 | 2,091 | 2,308 | 1,913 | 1,762 | 1,747 | 1,913 | 1,957 | 1,878 |
| | Payroll | 65,339 | 73,897 | 85,019 | 75,203 | 72,159 | 70,889 | 77,115 | 75,945 | 79,266 |
| Seafood sales, retail | Establishments | 176 | 173 | 169 | 168 | 158 | 145 | 145 | 151 | 165 |
| | Employees | 970 | 936 | 989 | 991 | 885 | 865 | 849 | 945 | 909 |
| | Payroll | 19,192 | 19,513 | 20,595 | 21,604 | 21,182 | 20,783 | 20,158 | 21,577 | 23,476 |

Transport, Support & Marine Operations - Employer Establishments (thousands of dollars)³

| | | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 |
|--|----------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Coastal & Great Lakes freight transportation | Establishments | 59 | 54 | 47 | 42 | 42 | 50 | 54 | 60 | 47 |
| | Employees | 1,150 | 1,217 | 1,242 | 1,106 | 972 | 709 | 753 | 1,381 | 1,050 |
| | Payroll | 71,420 | 91,638 | 94,429 | 50,115 | 37,774 | 50,217 | 53,341 | 100,402 | 82,078 |
| Deep sea freight transportation | Establishments | 69 | 73 | 69 | 57 | 58 | 61 | 65 | 75 | 69 |
| | Employees | 2,622 | 3,729 | 3,190 | 2,486 | 2,801 | 2,279 | 2,374 | 3,345 | 2,485 |
| | Payroll | 207,300 | 226,810 | 208,144 | 169,055 | 180,139 | 159,025 | 177,386 | 231,887 | 140,564 |
| Deep sea passenger transportation | Establishments | 31 | 37 | 34 | 31 | 33 | 29 | 29 | 39 | 31 |
| | Employees | 8,492 | 9,077 | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds |
| | Payroll | 504,625 | 571,590 | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds |
| Marinas | Establishments | 551 | 513 | 493 | 442 | 428 | 430 | 411 | 432 | 444 |
| | Employees | 5,069 | 5,494 | 4,935 | 5,024 | 4,665 | 4,439 | 4,657 | 4,918 | 5,076 |
| | Payroll | 133,384 | 146,390 | 148,592 | 151,677 | 132,955 | 133,017 | 142,997 | 148,573 | 145,265 |
| Marine cargo handling | Establishments | 63 | 66 | 53 | 56 | 59 | 55 | 64 | 43 | 58 |
| | Employees | 6,409 | 7,266 | 6,585 | 8,052 | 7,288 | 7,547 | 7,484 | 4,598 | 6,258 |
| | Payroll | 177,983 | 189,020 | 173,788 | 192,473 | 185,309 | 191,560 | 195,458 | 86,461 | 188,997 |
| Navigational services to shipping | Establishments | 148 | 142 | 145 | 147 | 145 | 145 | 150 | 151 | 180 |
| | Employees | 660 | 781 | 1,484 | 894 | 829 | 980 | 1,047 | 853 | 1,390 |
| | Payroll | 42,200 | 48,370 | 61,470 | 56,917 | 60,641 | 76,853 | 75,561 | 68,366 | 130,893 |
| Port & harbor operations | Establishments | 31 | 27 | 29 | 40 | 32 | 34 | 32 | 66 | 61 |
| | Employees | 973 | 584 | 459 | 712 | 527 | 470 | 377 | 2,082 | 555 |
| | Payroll | 22,606 | 19,417 | 12,872 | 24,668 | 19,006 | 20,525 | 16,879 | 72,554 | 25,439 |
| Ship & boat building | Establishments | 312 | 301 | 296 | 297 | 261 | 248 | 246 | 258 | 259 |
| | Employees | 12,729 | 12,385 | 12,332 | 12,419 | 8,221 | 7,363 | 7,909 | 8,621 | 8,813 |
| | Payroll | 454,209 | 427,888 | 469,382 | 442,096 | 296,537 | 302,909 | 325,942 | 374,831 | 390,853 |

¹ All data presented on this page are for the entire state of Florida, not just West Florida.² The U.S. Commercial Fishing Location Quotient (CFLQ) is 1. A CFLQ greater than 1 indicates that more commercial fishing occurs in this state than the national average. A CFLQ less than 1 indicates that less commercial fishing occurs in this state than the national average.³ ds = these data are suppressed.

Tables | Louisiana



2014 Economic Impacts of the Louisiana Seafood Industry (thousands of dollars)

| | With Imports | | | | Without Imports | | | |
|------------------------------------|--------------|-----------|---------|-------------|-----------------|-----------|---------|-------------|
| | #Jobs | Sales | Income | Value Added | #Jobs | Sales | Income | Value Added |
| Total Impacts | 44,066 | 2,220,879 | 816,203 | 1,115,858 | 42,901 | 2,042,092 | 778,941 | 1,053,888 |
| Commercial Harvesters | 16,609 | 854,636 | 275,397 | 412,406 | 16,609 | 854,636 | 275,397 | 412,406 |
| Seafood Processors & Dealers | 2,743 | 230,163 | 89,275 | 113,874 | 2,659 | 223,105 | 86,538 | 110,383 |
| Importers | 523 | 143,745 | 23,038 | 43,820 | - | - | - | - |
| Seafood Wholesalers & Distributors | 1,240 | 134,463 | 45,808 | 59,295 | 1,146 | 124,239 | 42,324 | 54,787 |
| Retail | 22,951 | 857,872 | 382,685 | 486,463 | 22,487 | 840,112 | 374,681 | 476,314 |

Total Landings Revenue & Landings Revenue of Key Species/Species Groups (thousands of dollars)

| | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|--------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Total Revenue | 251,678 | 278,292 | 289,288 | 275,701 | 286,993 | 233,559 | 324,123 | 291,721 | 403,650 | 451,371 |
| Finfish & Other | 49,443 | 60,735 | 65,198 | 64,116 | 62,629 | 56,900 | 102,083 | 85,077 | 108,593 | 88,145 |
| Shellfish | 202,235 | 217,557 | 224,090 | 211,585 | 224,364 | 176,658 | 222,040 | 206,644 | 295,057 | 363,226 |
| Key Species | | | | | | | | | | |
| Blue crab | 27,419 | 32,605 | 35,044 | 32,203 | 37,301 | 30,325 | 36,784 | 38,196 | 51,566 | 61,082 |
| Crawfish | 8,360 | 1,290 | 9,034 | 9,507 | 15,547 | 13,971 | 9,914 | 4,998 | 16,490 | 13,430 |
| King mackerel | 1,273 | 1,112 | 1,298 | 1,307 | 1,184 | 1,149 | 1,594 | 1,475 | 1,517 | 2,299 |
| Menhaden | 25,776 | 36,441 | 41,368 | 45,768 | 42,555 | 43,331 | 82,881 | 60,934 | 84,951 | 63,364 |
| Mullet | 946 | 2,061 | 690 | 749 | 73 | 185 | 775 | 976 | 626 | 874 |
| Oysters | 33,305 | 35,999 | 40,148 | 39,009 | 50,950 | 24,986 | 41,652 | 37,832 | 44,835 | 61,365 |
| Red snapper | 3,568 | 4,472 | 2,529 | 2,038 | 2,185 | 2,311 | 2,261 | 2,434 | 4,824 | 6,400 |
| Shrimp | 133,143 | 147,652 | 139,842 | 130,854 | 120,555 | 107,362 | 133,670 | 125,587 | 182,144 | 227,318 |
| Tunas | 7,687 | 7,040 | 8,334 | 4,409 | 6,338 | 1,649 | 3,369 | 7,752 | 4,595 | 4,276 |
| Vermillion snapper | 1,137 | 762 | 991 | 819 | 806 | 399 | 517 | 598 | 474 | 698 |

Total Landings & Landings of Key Species/Species Groups (thousands of pounds)

| | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|--------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|-----------|---------|-----------|---------|-----------|---------|
| Total Landings | 849,280 | 918,675 | 999,343 | 919,017 | 1,007,474 | 793,377 | 1,311,040 | 993,744 | 1,044,006 | 778,282 |
| Finfish & Other | 681,322 | 714,545 | 814,645 | 759,438 | 806,844 | 665,665 | 1,153,912 | 852,093 | 874,106 | 607,087 |
| Shellfish | 167,959 | 204,130 | 184,698 | 159,579 | 200,631 | 127,712 | 157,128 | 141,650 | 169,901 | 171,195 |
| Key Species | | | | | | | | | | |
| Blue crab | 38,100 | 53,394 | 45,107 | 41,714 | 53,057 | 30,752 | 43,893 | 41,291 | 39,192 | 39,589 |
| Crawfish | 15,177 | 1,469 | 15,848 | 15,735 | 19,312 | 14,557 | 9,599 | 4,216 | 19,676 | 11,230 |
| King mackerel | 867 | 971 | 879 | 789 | 927 | 691 | 1,002 | 969 | 788 | 1,112 |
| Menhaden | 657,702 | 689,853 | 789,621 | 738,092 | 785,575 | 648,561 | 1,131,287 | 828,612 | 850,318 | 585,047 |
| Mullet | 1,238 | 3,361 | 1,375 | 1,503 | 189 | 362 | 1,385 | 1,385 | 609 | 1,136 |
| Oysters | 12,099 | 11,417 | 12,858 | 12,840 | 15,006 | 6,874 | 11,156 | 10,124 | 11,356 | 11,286 |
| Red snapper | 1,316 | 1,653 | 807 | 589 | 667 | 828 | 918 | 980 | 1,216 | 1,481 |
| Shrimp | 102,576 | 137,839 | 110,860 | 89,285 | 113,250 | 75,515 | 92,469 | 85,988 | 99,659 | 109,063 |
| Tunas | 2,296 | 2,143 | 2,476 | 1,248 | 2,009 | 490 | 932 | 2,113 | 1,241 | 1,142 |
| Vermillion snapper | 588 | 365 | 517 | 409 | 412 | 186 | 234 | 261 | 174 | 242 |

Average Annual Price of Key Species/Species Groups (dollars per pound)

| | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|--------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Blue crab | 0.72 | 0.61 | 0.78 | 0.77 | 0.70 | 0.99 | 0.84 | 0.93 | 1.32 | 1.54 |
| Crawfish | 0.55 | 0.88 | 0.57 | 0.60 | 0.81 | 0.96 | 1.03 | 1.19 | 0.84 | 1.20 |
| King mackerel | 1.47 | 1.15 | 1.48 | 1.66 | 1.28 | 1.66 | 1.59 | 1.52 | 1.93 | 2.07 |
| Menhaden | 0.04 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.06 | 0.05 | 0.07 | 0.07 | 0.07 | 0.10 | 0.11 |
| Mullet | 0.76 | 0.61 | 0.50 | 0.50 | 0.39 | 0.51 | 0.56 | 0.70 | 1.03 | 0.77 |
| Oysters | 2.75 | 3.15 | 3.12 | 3.04 | 3.40 | 3.63 | 3.73 | 3.74 | 3.95 | 5.44 |
| Red snapper | 2.71 | 2.71 | 3.13 | 3.46 | 3.28 | 2.79 | 2.46 | 2.48 | 3.97 | 4.32 |
| Shrimp | 1.30 | 1.07 | 1.26 | 1.47 | 1.06 | 1.42 | 1.45 | 1.46 | 1.83 | 2.08 |
| Tunas | 3.35 | 3.29 | 3.37 | 3.53 | 3.16 | 3.37 | 3.62 | 3.67 | 3.70 | 3.74 |
| Vermillion snapper | 1.93 | 2.09 | 1.92 | 2.00 | 1.95 | 2.15 | 2.21 | 2.30 | 2.73 | 2.89 |

2014 Economic Impacts of Recreational Fishing Expenditures (thousands of dollars)

| | | #Jobs | Sales | Income | Value Added |
|------------------------------|--------------|--------|-----------|---------|-------------|
| Trip Impacts by Fishing Mode | For-Hire | 633 | 70,164 | 32,540 | 42,749 |
| | Private Boat | 873 | 106,015 | 33,029 | 61,075 |
| | Shore | 265 | 30,922 | 9,487 | 17,410 |
| Total Durable Expenditures | | 13,470 | 1,412,576 | 587,414 | 908,047 |
| Total State Economic Impacts | | 15,241 | 1,619,677 | 662,470 | 1,029,281 |

2014 Angler Trip & Durable Goods Expenditures (thousands of dollars)

| Fishing Mode | Trip Expenditures | | Equipment | Durable Goods Expenditures |
|---|-------------------|-----------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| | Non-Residents | Residents | | |
| For-Hire | 27,377 | 13,298 | Fishing Tackle | 240,695 |
| Private Boat | 8,636 | 75,838 | Other Equipment | 118,752 |
| Shore | 3,855 | 21,785 | Boat Expenses | 990,445 |
| Total | 39,869 | 110,921 | Vehicle Expenses | 190,325 |
| | | | Second Home Expenses | 16,162 |
| | | | Total Durable Expenditures | 1,556,378 |
| Total State Trip and Durable Goods Expenditures | | | | 1,707,168 |

Recreational Anglers by Residential Area (thousands of anglers)

| | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 ¹ |
|---------------|------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|------|-------|-------------------|
| Coastal | 706 | 868 | 853 | 795 | 669 | 609 | 690 | 651 | 709 | |
| Non-Coastal | 68 | 108 | 124 | 120 | 108 | 67 | 86 | 77 | 109 | |
| Out-of-State | 138 | 198 | 157 | 170 | 139 | 120 | 183 | 165 | 262 | |
| Total Anglers | 912 | 1,174 | 1,134 | 1,085 | 916 | 796 | 959 | 893 | 1,080 | |

Recreational Fishing Effort by Mode (thousands of angler trips)²

| | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|-------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| For-Hire | 123 | 187 | 144 | 179 | 183 | 79 | 113 | 115 | 122 | 130 |
| Private | 2,784 | 2,801 | 3,156 | 3,508 | 3,176 | 3,055 | 3,342 | 2,891 | 3,190 | 2,058 |
| Shore | 1,159 | 775 | 889 | 933 | 769 | 729 | 1,122 | 1,131 | 1,349 | 0 |
| Total Trips | 4,066 | 3,763 | 4,189 | 4,620 | 4,128 | 3,863 | 4,577 | 4,137 | 4,661 | 2,188 |

Harvest (H) & Release (R) of Key Species/Species Groups (thousands of fish)^{3,4}

| | | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|--------------------------|---|-------|--------|-------|--------|--------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|
| Black drum | H | 309 | 368 | 386 | 543 | 519 | 399 | 468 | 424 | 455 | 200 |
| | R | 651 | 717 | 729 | 1,116 | 974 | 1,033 | 1,085 | 882 | 1,639 | 0 |
| Drum (Atlantic croaker) | H | 443 | 805 | 684 | 357 | 470 | 229 | 606 | 520 | 829 | 235 |
| | R | 963 | 1,143 | 1,006 | 1,187 | 1,100 | 1,268 | 2,319 | 1,676 | 1,797 | 0 |
| Drum (sand seatrout) | H | 974 | 775 | 889 | 1,085 | 879 | 1,065 | 1,188 | 895 | 755 | 358 |
| | R | 254 | 453 | 540 | 824 | 854 | 514 | 1,032 | 679 | 990 | 0 |
| Drum (spotted seatrout) | H | 7,435 | 10,872 | 8,930 | 11,705 | 10,558 | 7,857 | 10,441 | 9,608 | 9,004 | 3,115 |
| | R | 7,304 | 9,026 | 7,394 | 9,580 | 7,975 | 5,054 | 5,802 | 6,776 | 9,709 | 0 |
| Drum (southern kingfish) | H | 240 | 89 | 67 | 74 | 103 | 41 | 17 | 110 | 15 | 4 |
| | R | 187 | 151 | 28 | 119 | 59 | 47 | 25 | 40 | 65 | 0 |
| Porgies (sheepshead) | H | 644 | 325 | 270 | 705 | 704 | 430 | 869 | 397 | 368 | 250 |
| | R | 429 | 463 | 288 | 448 | 473 | 440 | 188 | 237 | 477 | 0 |
| Red drum | H | 1,626 | 1,828 | 2,308 | 2,673 | 2,237 | 2,812 | 3,023 | 2,010 | 3,169 | 1,265 |
| | R | 2,652 | 3,321 | 3,455 | 4,074 | 3,734 | 4,111 | 3,195 | 2,871 | 4,675 | 0 |
| Red snapper | H | 111 | 172 | 160 | 85 | 98 | 7 | 31 | 102 | 83 | 68 |
| | R | 339 | 429 | 285 | 261 | 195 | 7 | 109 | 131 | 223 | 0 |
| Southern flounder | H | 280 | 290 | 349 | 235 | 286 | 327 | 399 | 331 | 685 | 213 |
| | R | 76 | 54 | 67 | 37 | 50 | 72 | 61 | 97 | 134 | 0 |
| Yellowfin tuna | H | 10 | 14 | 8 | 17 | 3 | 1 | 13 | 25 | 11 | 10 |
| | R | 1 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 0 |

¹ Louisiana data not available for 2014.² Effort for 2014 is estimated using data from a state creel survey and does not capture shore-based effort separately from private boat effort.³ In this table, '0' = 0-999 thousand fish and '1' = 1,000-1,499 thousand fish.⁴ Harvest and release totals for 2014 are estimated using data from a state creel survey.

Louisiana | Marine Economy

Louisiana's State Economy (% of national total)

| | #Establishments | #Employees | Annual Payroll (\$ billions) | Employee Compensation (\$ billions) | Gross State Product (\$ billions) | Commercial Fishing Location Quotient ¹ |
|----------|-----------------|------------------|---------------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|
| 2005 | 102,790 (1.4%) | 1,617,507 (1.4%) | 50.66 (1.1%) | 84.68 (1.2%) | 200.44 (1.5%) | 2.28 |
| 2013 | 104,375 (1.4%) | 1,687,956 (1.4%) | 72.07 (1.3%) | 112.97 (1.3%) | 246.66 (1.5%) | 1.93 |
| % Change | 1.5 | 4.2 | 29.7 | 25.0 | 18.7 | -15.4 |

Seafood Sales & Processing - Non-Employer Firms (thousands of dollars)

| | | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 |
|-----------------------------------|----------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Seafood product prep. & packaging | Firms | 76 | 99 | 85 | 77 | 68 | 120 | 94 | 78 | 99 |
| | Receipts | 8,513 | 8,179 | 6,523 | 7,365 | 5,308 | 10,358 | 9,308 | 8,492 | 9,136 |
| Seafood sales, retail | Firms | 156 | 181 | 196 | 182 | 173 | 197 | 192 | 184 | 173 |
| | Receipts | 14,585 | 20,046 | 20,932 | 25,900 | 17,622 | 16,001 | 18,758 | 16,804 | 17,538 |

Seafood Sales & Processing - Employer Establishments (thousands of dollars)

| | | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Seafood product prep. & packaging | Establishments | 50 | 40 | 41 | 36 | 38 | 34 | 33 | 35 | 36 |
| | Employees | 1,556 | 1,506 | 1,253 | 991 | 1,301 | 1,209 | 1,006 | 1,117 | 964 |
| | Payroll | 43,801 | 45,439 | 41,391 | 32,382 | 37,657 | 35,770 | 46,440 | 51,237 | 49,339 |
| Seafood sales, wholesale | Establishments | 128 | 112 | 119 | 98 | 98 | 97 | 94 | 103 | 106 |
| | Employees | 1,037 | 807 | 954 | 739 | 702 | 683 | 767 | 862 | 846 |
| | Payroll | 17,649 | 21,243 | 21,604 | 15,858 | 17,261 | 15,554 | 18,427 | 22,296 | 23,235 |
| Seafood sales, retail | Establishments | 106 | 101 | 101 | 107 | 106 | 101 | 100 | 97 | 94 |
| | Employees | 723 | 759 | 781 | 681 | 703 | 527 | 590 | 704 | 643 |
| | Payroll | 8,277 | 10,560 | 11,827 | 11,141 | 11,564 | 11,214 | 11,090 | 13,042 | 11,213 |

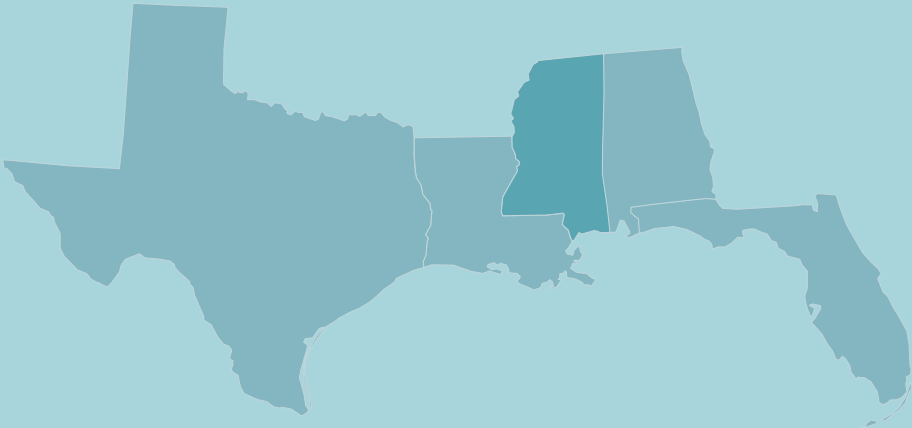
Transport, Support & Marine Operations - Employer Establishments (thousands of dollars)²

| | | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 |
|--|----------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Coastal & Great Lakes freight transportation | Establishments | 136 | 137 | 138 | 123 | 117 | 125 | 125 | 105 | 102 |
| | Employees | 5,771 | 6,397 | 7,680 | 6,506 | 6,077 | 5,610 | 5,834 | 6,422 | 5,317 |
| | Payroll | 294,941 | 386,136 | 527,290 | 549,388 | 391,914 | 405,796 | 417,362 | 497,165 | 458,589 |
| Deep sea freight transportation | Establishments | 25 | 24 | 22 | 18 | 21 | 16 | 17 | 18 | 11 |
| | Employees | ds | 595 | 685 | 1,095 | 1,192 | 93 | 93 | ds | 95 |
| | Payroll | ds | 35,269 | 39,843 | 87,479 | 91,760 | 6,147 | 5,608 | ds | 5,435 |
| Deep sea passenger transportation | Establishments | 3 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 4 |
| | Employees | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | 3 |
| | Payroll | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | 363 |
| Marinas | Establishments | 53 | 41 | 50 | 43 | 43 | 43 | 45 | 44 | 41 |
| | Employees | 352 | ds | 378 | 274 | 244 | 314 | 329 | 257 | 250 |
| | Payroll | 10,213 | ds | 17,794 | 9,581 | 8,989 | 14,716 | 10,771 | 9,209 | 8,693 |
| Marine cargo handling | Establishments | 46 | 51 | 49 | 39 | 44 | 41 | 42 | 37 | 44 |
| | Employees | 3,263 | 3,100 | 2,978 | 2,010 | 2,193 | 2,511 | 2,526 | 2,016 | 2,834 |
| | Payroll | 110,129 | 118,748 | 128,207 | 85,484 | 92,883 | 105,063 | 108,491 | 93,896 | 174,054 |
| Navigational services to shipping | Establishments | 120 | 129 | 128 | 145 | 137 | 138 | 138 | 136 | 133 |
| | Employees | 2,136 | 2,204 | 2,508 | 2,884 | 2,893 | 3,176 | 3,396 | 2,545 | 2,533 |
| | Payroll | 96,202 | 115,222 | 141,757 | 183,381 | 175,271 | 224,533 | 208,306 | 162,094 | 169,795 |
| Port & harbor operations | Establishments | 18 | 18 | 14 | 22 | 17 | 21 | 20 | 46 | 18 |
| | Employees | 418 | 436 | 467 | 517 | 440 | 431 | 461 | 1,205 | 443 |
| | Payroll | 19,510 | 29,676 | 31,734 | 37,181 | 33,907 | 38,776 | 38,745 | 80,780 | 37,122 |
| Ship & boat building | Establishments | 111 | 108 | 112 | 117 | 109 | 109 | 109 | 116 | 110 |
| | Employees | 11,016 | 11,521 | 12,808 | 12,815 | 12,521 | 11,737 | 11,722 | 10,933 | 7,413 |
| | Payroll | 376,407 | 437,028 | 503,199 | 619,606 | 613,188 | 600,259 | 639,047 | 631,098 | 416,319 |

¹ The U.S. Commercial Fishing Location Quotient (CFLQ) is 1. A CFLQ greater than 1 indicates that more commercial fishing occurs in this state than the national average. A CFLQ less than 1 indicates that less commercial fishing occurs in this state than the national average.

² ds = these data are suppressed.

Tables | Mississippi



Mississippi | Commercial Fisheries

2014 Economic Impacts of the Mississippi Seafood Industry (thousands of dollars)

| | With Imports | | | | Without Imports | | | |
|------------------------------------|--------------|---------|--------|-------------|-----------------|---------|--------|-------------|
| | #Jobs | Sales | Income | Value Added | #Jobs | Sales | Income | Value Added |
| Total Impacts | 4,714 | 198,608 | 79,501 | 102,731 | 4,704 | 197,129 | 79,189 | 102,217 |
| Commercial Harvesters | 845 | 42,238 | 12,725 | 18,695 | 845 | 42,238 | 12,725 | 18,695 |
| Seafood Processors & Dealers | 714 | 53,243 | 21,064 | 26,394 | 713 | 53,137 | 21,022 | 26,341 |
| Importers | 4 | 1,171 | 188 | 357 | - | - | - | - |
| Seafood Wholesalers & Distributors | 58 | 5,307 | 1,873 | 2,359 | 57 | 5,225 | 1,844 | 2,323 |
| Retail | 3,093 | 96,648 | 43,651 | 54,925 | 3,089 | 96,528 | 43,597 | 54,857 |

Total Landings Revenue & Landings Revenue of Key Species/Species Groups (thousands of dollars)¹

| | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|--------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Total Revenue | 23,386 | 21,586 | 39,340 | 43,696 | 37,956 | 21,895 | 30,291 | 49,335 | 34,953 | 25,995 |
| Finfish & Other | 7,804 | 8,959 | 21,359 | 19,233 | 18,667 | 8,963 | 10,527 | 23,172 | 10,938 | 8,102 |
| Shellfish | 15,582 | 12,628 | 17,981 | 24,464 | 19,289 | 12,932 | 19,764 | 26,163 | 24,015 | 17,893 |
| Key Species | | | | | | | | | | |
| Blue crab | 433 | 928 | 741 | 447 | 573 | 366 | 318 | 724 | 416 | 997 |
| Flounders | 20 | 36 | 58 | 40 | 58 | 64 | 118 | 101 | 45 | 55 |
| Menhaden | 7,074 | 8,447 | 20,658 | 18,534 | 17,987 | 8,378 | 9,871 | 22,394 | 10,230 | 7,358 |
| Mulletts | 38 | 23 | 35 | 32 | 30 | 31 | 56 | 63 | 61 | 25 |
| Oysters | 1,447 | NA | 819 | 6,858 | 6,094 | 4,268 | 928 | 1,596 | 1,544 | 1,685 |
| Red snapper | 115 | NA | NA | NA | 158 | NA | 168 | 226 | NA | 307 |
| Shrimp | 13,698 | 11,699 | 16,418 | 17,146 | 12,612 | 8,293 | 18,514 | 23,844 | 22,055 | 15,210 |

Total Landings & Landings of Key Species/Species Groups (thousands of pounds)¹

| | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|--------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Total Landings | 167,610 | 221,720 | 227,834 | 201,822 | 230,255 | 111,229 | 278,075 | 263,641 | 180,595 | 190,548 |
| Finfish & Other | 158,721 | 212,213 | 216,375 | 190,191 | 217,461 | 105,274 | 267,407 | 249,382 | 171,000 | 184,393 |
| Shellfish | 8,889 | 9,507 | 11,459 | 11,631 | 12,794 | 5,955 | 10,668 | 14,259 | 9,594 | 6,154 |
| Key Species | | | | | | | | | | |
| Blue crab | 429 | 1,127 | 737 | 450 | 545 | 366 | 370 | 782 | 359 | 570 |
| Flounders | 10 | 16 | 25 | 17 | 25 | 28 | 55 | 43 | 19 | 21 |
| Menhaden | 157,194 | 211,163 | 215,182 | 189,118 | 216,709 | 104,729 | 266,774 | 248,824 | 170,500 | 183,950 |
| Mulletts | 99 | 66 | 70 | 57 | 62 | 59 | 93 | 99 | 95 | 39 |
| Oysters | 610 | NA | 299 | 2,606 | 2,189 | 1,453 | 247 | 425 | 336 | 321 |
| Red snapper | 54 | NA | NA | NA | 57 | NA | 86 | 115 | NA | 170 |
| Shrimp | 7,848 | 8,380 | 10,421 | 8,570 | 10,054 | 4,135 | 10,048 | 13,051 | 8,899 | 5,263 |

Average Annual Price of Key Species/Species Groups (dollars per pound)¹

| | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|-------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Blue crab | 1.01 | 0.82 | 1.01 | 0.99 | 1.05 | 1.00 | 0.86 | 0.93 | 1.16 | 1.75 |
| Flounders | 1.88 | 2.22 | 2.38 | 2.36 | 2.34 | 2.33 | 2.14 | 2.33 | 2.38 | 2.66 |
| Menhaden | 0.05 | 0.04 | 0.10 | 0.10 | 0.08 | 0.08 | 0.04 | 0.09 | 0.06 | 0.04 |
| Mulletts | 0.38 | 0.35 | 0.50 | 0.57 | 0.48 | 0.52 | 0.61 | 0.64 | 0.64 | 0.64 |
| Oysters | 2.37 | NA | 2.74 | 2.63 | 2.78 | 2.94 | 3.75 | 3.75 | 4.59 | 5.25 |
| Red snapper | 2.13 | NA | NA | NA | 2.75 | NA | 1.96 | 1.97 | NA | 1.81 |
| Shrimp | 1.75 | 1.40 | 1.58 | 2.00 | 1.25 | 2.01 | 1.84 | 1.83 | 2.48 | 2.89 |

¹ NA = these data are confidential and therefore not disclosable.

2014 Economic Impacts of Recreational Fishing Expenditures (thousands of dollars)

| | | #Jobs | Sales | Income | Value Added |
|------------------------------|--------------|-------|---------|---------|-------------|
| Trip Impacts by Fishing Mode | For-Hire | 90 | 7,206 | 2,496 | 3,520 |
| | Private Boat | 204 | 20,395 | 6,665 | 11,397 |
| | Shore | 140 | 12,508 | 4,203 | 6,967 |
| Total Durable Expenditures | | 3,740 | 333,954 | 144,408 | 225,397 |
| Total State Economic Impacts | | 4,174 | 374,063 | 157,772 | 247,281 |

2014 Angler Trip & Durable Goods Expenditures (thousands of dollars)

| Fishing Mode | Trip Expenditures | | Equipment | Durable Goods Expenditures |
|---|-------------------|-----------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| | Non-Residents | Residents | Fishing Tackle | 81,725 |
| For-Hire | 2,310 | 2,084 | Other Equipment | 41,474 |
| Private Boat | 1,113 | 21,104 | Boat Expenses | 269,621 |
| Shore | 2,612 | 10,010 | Vehicle Expenses | 79,531 |
| Total | 6,034 | 33,197 | Second Home Expenses | 281 |
| | | | Total Durable Expenditures | 472,632 |
| Total State Trip and Durable Goods Expenditures | | | | 511,863 |

Recreational Anglers by Residential Area (thousands of anglers)

| | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|---------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Coastal | 108 | 143 | 196 | 119 | 125 | 137 | 160 | 179 | 171 | 171 |
| Non-Coastal | 29 | 23 | 34 | 26 | 36 | 29 | 48 | 60 | 67 | 62 |
| Out-of-State | 39 | 27 | 55 | 48 | 50 | 50 | 60 | 91 | 101 | 94 |
| Total Anglers | 176 | 193 | 285 | 193 | 211 | 216 | 268 | 330 | 339 | 327 |

Recreational Fishing Effort by Mode (thousands of angler trips)

| | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|-------------|------|------|-------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| For-Hire | 8 | 7 | 21 | 13 | 11 | 7 | 11 | 11 | 11 | 16 |
| Private | 483 | 626 | 834 | 596 | 759 | 629 | 843 | 991 | 986 | 621 |
| Shore | 435 | 291 | 349 | 359 | 310 | 597 | 761 | 948 | 764 | 843 |
| Total Trips | 926 | 924 | 1,204 | 968 | 1,080 | 1,233 | 1,615 | 1,950 | 1,761 | 1,480 |

Harvest (H) & Release (R) of Key Species/Species Groups (thousands of fish)¹

| | | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|----------------------------------|---|------|------|------|-------|-------|------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Drum (Atlantic croaker) | H | 41 | 59 | 72 | 182 | 340 | 209 | 453 | 317 | 330 | 820 |
| | R | 208 | 190 | 264 | 388 | 716 | 422 | 606 | 695 | 329 | 376 |
| Drum (kingfishes) ² | H | 225 | 163 | 161 | 181 | 126 | 173 | 177 | 234 | 519 | 190 |
| | R | 62 | 30 | 48 | 58 | 61 | 47 | 36 | 157 | 94 | 31 |
| Drum (sand and silver seatrouts) | H | 222 | 305 | 296 | 351 | 1,004 | 986 | 1,336 | 1,151 | 917 | 892 |
| | R | 117 | 173 | 230 | 166 | 378 | 246 | 471 | 574 | 327 | 113 |
| Drum (spotted seatrout) | H | 317 | 470 | 385 | 608 | 1,090 | 556 | 841 | 776 | 1,016 | 416 |
| | R | 838 | 975 | 909 | 1,009 | 960 | 586 | 634 | 1,394 | 1,298 | 743 |
| Porgies (sheepshead) | H | 27 | 36 | 17 | 17 | 22 | 43 | 260 | 115 | 94 | 76 |
| | R | 23 | 22 | 11 | 25 | 9 | 3 | 24 | 54 | 65 | 27 |
| Red drum | H | 36 | 58 | 43 | 76 | 84 | 77 | 90 | 141 | 148 | 106 |
| | R | 143 | 99 | 73 | 153 | 240 | 213 | 209 | 853 | 403 | 515 |
| Red snapper | H | 1 | 7 | 2 | 9 | 15 | 1 | 7 | 27 | 35 | 6 |
| | R | 51 | 52 | 9 | 104 | 55 | 25 | 0 | 2 | 95 | 41 |
| Sharks ³ | H | 9 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 21 | 71 | 35 | 15 | 89 | 5 |
| | R | 36 | 38 | 41 | 31 | 36 | 87 | 37 | 103 | 75 | 45 |
| Southern flounder | H | 72 | 47 | 121 | 110 | 209 | 196 | 182 | 227 | 215 | 168 |
| | R | 30 | 35 | 31 | 45 | 120 | 79 | 99 | 153 | 160 | 54 |
| Striped mullet | H | 34 | 2 | 66 | 79 | 119 | 188 | 491 | 396 | 647 | 602 |
| | R | 0 | 3 | 14 | 4 | 4 | 13 | 83 | 108 | 19 | 5 |

¹ In this table, '0' = 0-999 thousand fish and '1' = 1,000-1,499 thousand fish.² Kingfishes include southern kingfish and Gulf kingfish.³ Sharks include species within the requiem shark family, blacktip sharks, Atlantic sharpnose sharks and unidentified sharks.

Mississippi | Marine Economy

Mississippi's State Economy (% of national total)

| | #Establishments | #Employees | Annual Payroll (\$ billions) | Employee Compensation (\$ billions) | Gross State Product (\$ billions) | Commercial Fishing Location Quotient ¹ |
|----------|-----------------|----------------|---------------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|
| 2005 | 60,542 (0.8%) | 926,952 (0.8%) | 25.8 (0.6%) | 46.03 (0.7%) | 82.27 (0.6%) | 1.96 |
| 2013 | 58,435 (0.8%) | 902,638 (0.8%) | 31.7 (0.6%) | 55.14 (0.6%) | 104.09 (0.6%) | 1.18 |
| % Change | -3.6 | -2.7 | 18.6 | 16.5 | 21.0 | -39.8 |

Seafood Sales & Processing - Non-Employer Firms (thousands of dollars)

| | | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 |
|-----------------------------------|----------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Seafood product prep. & packaging | Firms | 12 | 22 | ds | 17 | 16 | 30 | 25 | 27 | ds |
| | Receipts | 1,045 | 1,537 | ds | 1,055 | 753 | 1,937 | 2,108 | 930 | ds |
| Seafood sales, retail | Firms | 41 | 53 | 57 | 48 | 56 | 69 | 51 | 50 | 54 |
| | Receipts | 2,934 | 4,021 | 4,126 | 3,437 | 4,206 | 3,421 | 3,505 | 3,957 | 3,855 |

Seafood Sales & Processing - Employer Establishments (thousands of dollars)

| | | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Seafood product prep. & packaging | Establishments | 28 | 24 | 22 | 20 | 20 | 20 | 18 | 18 | 19 |
| | Employees | 3,637 | 3,353 | 3,022 | 3,062 | 2,796 | 2,849 | 2,464 | 2,368 | 2,284 |
| | Payroll | 63,957 | 60,510 | 60,633 | 61,723 | 61,926 | 61,731 | 52,502 | 55,407 | 59,212 |
| Seafood sales, wholesale | Establishments | 30 | 23 | 25 | 18 | 16 | 18 | 18 | 17 | 14 |
| | Employees | 145 | 58 | 106 | 61 | 113 | 0 | 64 | 102 | 0 |
| | Payroll | 1,822 | 2,063 | 3,285 | 3,088 | 2,836 | 2,542 | 2,532 | 4,412 | 1,546 |
| Seafood sales, retail | Establishments | 21 | 12 | 15 | 18 | 14 | 15 | 17 | 13 | 13 |
| | Employees | 57 | 41 | 0 | 50 | 46 | 50 | 58 | 0 | 0 |
| | Payroll | 521 | 395 | 0 | 699 | 841 | 810 | 838 | 1,902 | 0 |

Transport, Support & Marine Operations - Employer Establishments (thousands of dollars)^{2,3}

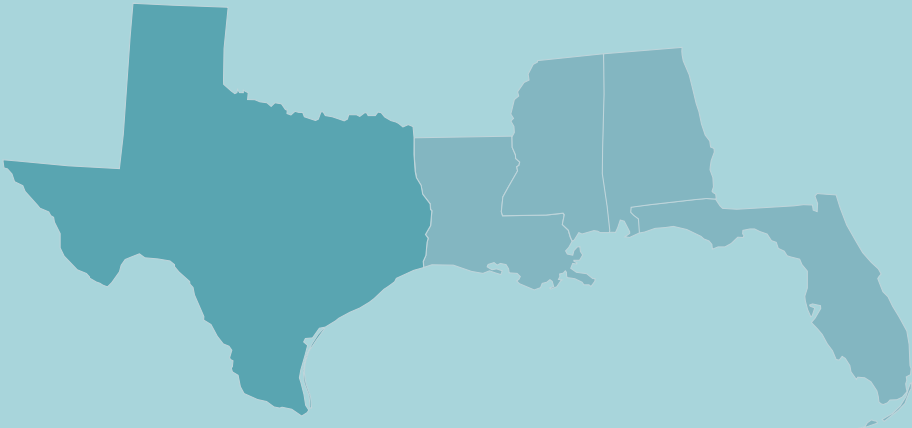
| | | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 |
|--|----------------|---------|---------|---------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|--------|
| Coastal & Great Lakes freight transportation | Establishments | 5 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 6 |
| | Employees | ds | ds | ds | 119 | 114 | ds | 127 | ds | 230 |
| | Payroll | ds | ds | 7,585 | 8,351 | 7,730 | 8,058 | 7,233 | ds | 17,080 |
| Deep sea freight transportation | Establishments | 3 | 3 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| | Employees | ds | ds | ds | NA | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds |
| | Payroll | ds | ds | ds | NA | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds |
| Deep sea passenger transportation | Establishments | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | Employees | ds | ds | ds | NA | NA | NA | NA | NA | NA |
| | Payroll | ds | ds | ds | NA | NA | NA | NA | NA | NA |
| Marinas | Establishments | 25 | 16 | 19 | 17 | 13 | 18 | 19 | 16 | 16 |
| | Employees | 158 | ds | ds | 111 | 172 | 183 | 189 | 204 | 154 |
| | Payroll | 2,358 | ds | 2,145 | 2,794 | 3,479 | 4,163 | 5,137 | 5,361 | 3,972 |
| Marine cargo handling | Establishments | 6 | 5 | 5 | 7 | 8 | 7 | 7 | 2 | 4 |
| | Employees | ds | 238 | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds |
| | Payroll | ds | 8,621 | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds |
| Navigational services to shipping | Establishments | 8 | 8 | 9 | 8 | 7 | 8 | 6 | 7 | 6 |
| | Employees | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | 141 | ds | ds | ds |
| | Payroll | ds | ds | 1,754 | ds | ds | 6,982 | ds | ds | ds |
| Port & harbor operations | Establishments | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 2 |
| | Employees | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds |
| | Payroll | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds |
| Ship & boat building | Establishments | 17 | 20 | 23 | 24 | 20 | 20 | 20 | 18 | 19 |
| | Employees | 11,845 | 11,909 | 14,578 | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds |
| | Payroll | 471,243 | 498,660 | 615,837 | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds |

¹ The U.S. Commercial Fishing Location Quotient (CFLQ) is 1. A CFLQ greater than 1 indicates that more commercial fishing occurs in this state than the national average. A CFLQ less than 1 indicates that less commercial fishing occurs in this state than the national average.

² ds = these data are suppressed.

³ NA = not applicable.

Tables | Texas



2014 Economic Impacts of the Texas Seafood Industry (thousands of dollars)

| | With Imports | | | | Without Imports | | | |
|------------------------------------|--------------|-----------|---------|-------------|-----------------|-----------|---------|-------------|
| | #Jobs | Sales | Income | Value Added | #Jobs | Sales | Income | Value Added |
| Total Impacts | 33,880 | 2,857,586 | 826,213 | 1,238,477 | 26,496 | 1,568,259 | 567,146 | 796,557 |
| Commercial Harvesters | 6,889 | 590,201 | 169,040 | 272,087 | 6,889 | 590,201 | 169,040 | 272,087 |
| Seafood Processors & Dealers | 2,391 | 195,657 | 73,604 | 96,939 | 2,204 | 180,327 | 67,838 | 89,344 |
| Importers | 3,842 | 1,056,873 | 169,384 | 322,181 | - | - | - | - |
| Seafood Wholesalers & Distributors | 1,571 | 207,484 | 69,229 | 95,869 | 789 | 104,273 | 34,792 | 48,180 |
| Retail | 19,187 | 807,372 | 344,955 | 451,400 | 16,614 | 693,459 | 295,476 | 386,945 |

Total Landings Revenue & Landings Revenue of Key Species/Species Groups (thousands of dollars)¹

| | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|--------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Total Revenue | 172,337 | 197,291 | 180,575 | 176,098 | 154,530 | 203,795 | 240,566 | 215,083 | 267,998 | 278,353 |
| Finfish & Other | 10,813 | 11,359 | 9,452 | 7,709 | 7,488 | 7,888 | 8,445 | 10,231 | 13,361 | 13,709 |
| Shellfish | 161,523 | 185,932 | 171,123 | 168,389 | 147,043 | 195,907 | 232,121 | 204,852 | 254,637 | 264,644 |
| Key Species | | | | | | | | | | |
| Atlantic croaker | 415 | 500 | 450 | 446 | 484 | 531 | 622 | 743 | 819 | 681 |
| Black drum | 1,917 | 2,013 | 1,660 | 1,363 | 1,377 | 1,573 | 1,448 | 1,491 | 1,699 | 1,981 |
| Blue crab | 2,410 | 1,459 | 2,763 | 2,342 | 2,454 | 3,134 | 2,845 | 2,878 | 2,331 | 3,050 |
| Flounders | 276 | 164 | 62 | 144 | 91 | 62 | 205 | 175 | 73 | 97 |
| Groupers | 795 | 628 | 417 | 553 | 641 | 356 | 549 | 723 | 1,121 | 1,128 |
| Oysters | 15,883 | 17,263 | 19,246 | 8,835 | 9,376 | 19,144 | 12,789 | 21,302 | 23,465 | 19,221 |
| Red snapper | 5,345 | 6,168 | 3,762 | 2,744 | 2,398 | 3,009 | 3,254 | 4,448 | 7,324 | 7,617 |
| Shrimp | 143,045 | 167,108 | 149,084 | 157,187 | 135,100 | 173,556 | 216,382 | 180,562 | 228,768 | 242,299 |
| Tunas | 340 | 0 | NA | 94 | 139 | 4 | 2 | 5 | 7 | 14 |
| Vermilion snapper | 571 | 642 | 1,554 | 1,430 | 1,233 | 1,337 | 1,274 | 1,434 | 659 | 604 |

Total Landings & Landings of Key Species/Species Groups (thousands of pounds)¹

| | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|--------------------|--------|---------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Total Landings | 84,289 | 117,131 | 87,912 | 73,048 | 102,351 | 89,721 | 98,857 | 91,438 | 84,875 | 73,491 |
| Finfish & Other | 5,782 | 5,825 | 4,800 | 3,866 | 4,134 | 4,247 | 4,224 | 4,225 | 4,872 | 4,842 |
| Shellfish | 78,507 | 111,306 | 83,111 | 69,182 | 98,216 | 85,475 | 94,633 | 87,213 | 80,003 | 68,650 |
| Key Species | | | | | | | | | | |
| Atlantic croaker | 58 | 67 | 62 | 59 | 63 | 67 | 79 | 89 | 96 | 78 |
| Black drum | 2,077 | 2,212 | 1,687 | 1,468 | 1,610 | 1,729 | 1,795 | 1,623 | 1,689 | 1,747 |
| Blue crab | 3,119 | 1,966 | 3,454 | 2,635 | 2,844 | 3,436 | 2,893 | 2,853 | 1,902 | 2,234 |
| Flounders | 144 | 68 | 24 | 58 | 32 | 26 | 75 | 60 | 20 | 25 |
| Groupers | 303 | 220 | 141 | 170 | 208 | 144 | 190 | 211 | 292 | 273 |
| Oysters | 5,007 | 4,923 | 5,633 | 2,679 | 2,733 | 5,265 | 3,943 | 5,817 | 6,126 | 4,129 |
| Red snapper | 1,940 | 2,158 | 1,213 | 870 | 851 | 1,031 | 948 | 1,123 | 1,800 | 1,797 |
| Shrimp | 70,310 | 104,378 | 74,007 | 63,855 | 92,602 | 76,734 | 87,753 | 78,507 | 71,948 | 62,265 |
| Tunas | 112 | 0 | NA | 22 | 45 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 6 |
| Vermilion snapper | 279 | 273 | 672 | 592 | 561 | 539 | 465 | 511 | 234 | 203 |

Average Annual Price of Key Species/Species Groups (dollars per pound)

| | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|-------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| Atlantic croaker | 7.14 | 7.43 | 7.29 | 7.58 | 7.64 | 7.98 | 7.84 | 8.31 | 8.55 | 8.77 |
| Black drum | 0.92 | 0.91 | 0.98 | 0.93 | 0.86 | 0.91 | 0.81 | 0.92 | 1.01 | 1.13 |
| Blue crab | 0.77 | 0.74 | 0.80 | 0.89 | 0.86 | 0.91 | 0.98 | 1.01 | 1.23 | 1.37 |
| Flounders | 1.92 | 2.42 | 2.55 | 2.48 | 2.84 | 2.37 | 2.75 | 2.94 | 3.55 | 3.89 |
| Groupers | 2.62 | 2.85 | 2.96 | 3.25 | 3.07 | 2.47 | 2.88 | 3.42 | 3.84 | 4.13 |
| Oysters | 3.17 | 3.51 | 3.42 | 3.30 | 3.43 | 3.64 | 3.24 | 3.66 | 3.83 | 4.66 |
| Red snapper | 2.76 | 2.86 | 3.10 | 3.15 | 2.82 | 2.92 | 3.43 | 3.96 | 4.07 | 4.24 |
| Shrimp | 2.03 | 1.60 | 2.01 | 2.46 | 1.46 | 2.26 | 2.47 | 2.30 | 3.18 | 3.89 |
| Tunas | 3.04 | 0.69 | NA | 4.26 | 3.08 | 3.19 | 1.82 | 1.83 | 2.10 | 2.29 |
| Vermilion snapper | 2.05 | 2.35 | 2.31 | 2.42 | 2.20 | 2.48 | 2.74 | 2.81 | 2.81 | 2.98 |

¹ NA = these data are confidential thus not disclosable.

2014 Economic Impacts of Recreational Fishing Expenditures (thousands of dollars)

| | | #Jobs | Sales | Income | Value Added |
|------------------------------|--------------|--------|-----------|---------|-------------|
| Trip Impacts by Fishing Mode | For-Hire | 948 | 99,716 | 38,693 | 57,356 |
| | Private Boat | 2,150 | 252,000 | 86,743 | 147,480 |
| | Shore | 2,478 | 275,325 | 94,377 | 160,547 |
| Total Durable Expenditures | | 10,920 | 1,198,249 | 537,214 | 839,763 |
| Total State Economic Impacts | | 16,496 | 1,825,290 | 757,027 | 1,205,146 |

2014 Angler Trip & Durable Goods Expenditures (thousands of dollars)¹

| Fishing Mode | Trip Expenditures | | Equipment | Durable Goods Expenditures |
|---|-------------------|-----------|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| | Non-Residents | Residents | | |
| For-Hire | 3,677 | 51,052 | Fishing Tackle | 249,065 |
| Private Boat | 5,581 | 159,017 | Other Equipment | 145,510 |
| Shore | 15,043 | 162,357 | Boat Expenses | 490,059 |
| Total | 24,302 | 372,426 | Vehicle Expenses | 395,973 |
| | | | Second Home Expenses | 39,100 |
| | | | Total Durable Expenditures | 1,319,707 |
| Total State Trip and Durable Goods Expenditures | | | | 1,716,435 |

Harvest (H) of Key Species Species Groups (thousands of fish)²

| | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 |
|-------------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-------|------|------|------|
| Atlantic croaker | 95 | 101 | 95 | 64 | 117 | 125 | 157 | 157 | 152 | 117 |
| Black drum | 53 | 73 | 66 | 82 | 98 | 165 | 129 | 257 | 150 | 139 |
| King mackerel | 14 | 29 | 11 | 8 | 16 | 6 | 9 | 9 | 10 | 13 |
| Red drum | 231 | 318 | 289 | 266 | 285 | 264 | 347 | 323 | 269 | 247 |
| Red snapper | 49 | 69 | 45 | 41 | 31 | 33 | 36 | 34 | 48 | 40 |
| Sand seatrout | 125 | 129 | 95 | 152 | 111 | 127 | 227 | 177 | 151 | 147 |
| Sheepshead | 81 | 78 | 46 | 46 | 34 | 49 | 57 | 143 | 84 | 39 |
| Southern flounder | 81 | 64 | 49 | 64 | 47 | 30 | 92 | 96 | 92 | 71 |
| Spotted seatrout | 855 | 987 | 916 | 917 | 810 | 732 | 1,137 | 810 | 796 | 590 |

¹ The Marine Recreational Information Program (MRIP) does not collect participation (number of anglers) or effort (number of trips) data for Texas. To calculate trip expenditure estimates, effort by fishing mode was estimated based on 2013 data provided by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department (TPWD). These effort estimates were reviewed by the TPWD. To calculate angler expenditure estimates (durable equipment expenditures), participation estimates were based on the sum of saltwater licenses sold in Texas plus a proportion of combination licenses sold in Texas. A change in the method of reporting landings occurred in 2007 so data from 2007 is not comparable to earlier years.

² Data collected by the TPWG is reported in this table. The data collected by the TPWD differs from the data collected and reported in the MRIP. Data on the number of fish released are not reported by TPWD. Please see the TPWD for more information: www.tpwd.state.tx.us/fishboat/.

Texas's State Economy (% of national total)

| | #Establishments | #Employees | Annual Payroll (\$ billions) | Employee Compensation (\$ billions) | Gross State Product (\$ billions) | Commercial Fishing Location Quotient ¹ |
|----------|-----------------|------------------|---------------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|---|
| 2005 | 497,758 (6.6%) | 8,305,102 (7.1%) | 315.81 (7%) | 491.28 (6.9%) | 999.64 (7.7%) | 0.38 |
| 2013 | 547,190 (7.3%) | 9,663,567 (8.2%) | 468.42 (8.3%) | 713.14 (8.1%) | 1,557.19 (9.3%) | 0.24 |
| % Change | 9.0 | 14.1 | 32.6 | 31.1 | 35.8 | -36.8 |

Seafood Sales & Processing - Non-Employer Firms (thousands of dollars)

| | | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 |
|-----------------------------------|----------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Seafood product prep. & packaging | Firms | 108 | 109 | 94 | 85 | 82 | 99 | 119 | 123 | 123 |
| | Receipts | 2,228 | 2,974 | 5,386 | 3,466 | 3,858 | 3,224 | 5,734 | 6,675 | 7,484 |
| Seafood sales, retail | Firms | 159 | 141 | 182 | 188 | 196 | 184 | 171 | 194 | 173 |
| | Receipts | 19,534 | 18,355 | 17,442 | 18,204 | 13,177 | 12,124 | 13,433 | 14,891 | 15,094 |

Seafood Sales & Processing - Employer Establishments (thousands of dollars)

| | | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Seafood product prep. & packaging | Establishments | 23 | 21 | 26 | 27 | 24 | 22 | 24 | 22 | 30 |
| | Employees | 1,288 | 1,155 | 1,207 | 1,169 | 1,026 | 1,184 | 1,273 | 1,248 | 1,026 |
| | Payroll | 23,842 | 24,302 | 27,813 | 27,045 | 29,006 | 24,961 | 26,425 | 27,737 | 27,638 |
| Seafood sales, wholesale | Establishments | 97 | 92 | 104 | 69 | 75 | 77 | 82 | 71 | 75 |
| | Employees | 1,001 | 897 | 970 | 734 | 683 | 715 | 723 | 603 | 729 |
| | Payroll | 26,408 | 28,586 | 51,597 | 24,498 | 23,650 | 23,879 | 26,356 | 25,309 | 30,370 |
| Seafood sales, retail | Establishments | 59 | 58 | 62 | 60 | 51 | 52 | 50 | 60 | 60 |
| | Employees | 176 | 207 | 189 | 206 | 189 | 199 | 0 | 0 | 331 |
| | Payroll | 3,162 | 3,229 | 3,703 | 3,403 | 3,393 | 3,742 | 4,090 | 6,102 | 6,891 |

Transport, Support & Marine Operations - Employer Establishments (thousands of dollars)^{2,3}

| | | 2005 | 2006 | 2007 | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 |
|--|----------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Coastal & Great Lakes freight transportation | Establishments | 61 | 45 | 43 | 42 | 43 | 48 | 48 | 39 | 42 |
| | Employees | ds | 2,270 | 2,513 | 2,815 | 2,729 | 1,909 | 1,764 | 1,814 | 2,253 |
| | Payroll | ds | 107,328 | 131,946 | 251,997 | 200,219 | 161,080 | 177,549 | 174,686 | 207,831 |
| Deep sea freight transportation | Establishments | 43 | 40 | 41 | 35 | 36 | 30 | 39 | 40 | 33 |
| | Employees | ds | 751 | 920 | 514 | 802 | 764 | 860 | 742 | ds |
| | Payroll | ds | 41,969 | 49,761 | 40,764 | 61,309 | 63,408 | 71,515 | 65,818 | 44,902 |
| Deep sea passenger transportation | Establishments | 4 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| | Employees | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | NA | ds |
| | Payroll | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | ds | NA | ds |
| Marinas | Establishments | 166 | 150 | 141 | 143 | 131 | 148 | 144 | 132 | 124 |
| | Employees | ds | ds | 1,200 | 1,486 | 1,423 | 1,198 | 1,233 | 1,169 | 1,258 |
| | Payroll | ds | ds | 28,359 | 34,039 | 33,803 | 33,968 | 34,928 | 34,711 | 36,461 |
| Marine cargo handling | Establishments | 60 | 64 | 62 | 55 | 57 | 54 | 55 | 42 | 48 |
| | Employees | 5,200 | 5,349 | 6,237 | 6,313 | 6,276 | 5,262 | 5,259 | 4,373 | 6,390 |
| | Payroll | 151,522 | 161,386 | 186,416 | 196,006 | 167,562 | 166,877 | 153,360 | 130,817 | 272,286 |
| Navigational services to shipping | Establishments | 87 | 84 | 90 | 99 | 95 | 87 | 91 | 91 | 89 |
| | Employees | 1,064 | 1,373 | 1,709 | 1,884 | 1,849 | 1,606 | 1,448 | 1,676 | 1,485 |
| | Payroll | 75,914 | 98,244 | 125,061 | 137,962 | 137,289 | 132,283 | 113,444 | 124,500 | 130,572 |
| Port & harbor operations | Establishments | 15 | 16 | 15 | 24 | 30 | 29 | 26 | 37 | 27 |
| | Employees | ds | 112 | 98 | ds | 421 | ds | 439 | 1,381 | 630 |
| | Payroll | ds | 4,992 | 5,163 | 10,538 | 13,778 | 18,627 | 18,842 | 55,470 | 25,229 |
| Ship & boat building | Establishments | 99 | 90 | 96 | 102 | 99 | 97 | 91 | 89 | 87 |
| | Employees | 3,564 | 3,515 | 4,810 | 5,368 | 3,891 | 3,386 | 2,773 | 5,601 | 5,686 |
| | Payroll | 156,259 | 170,308 | 210,275 | 235,190 | 158,261 | 147,492 | 153,077 | 310,230 | 297,248 |

¹ The U.S. Commercial Fishing Location Quotient (CFLQ) is 1. A CFLQ greater than 1 indicates that more commercial fishing occurs in this state than the national average. A CFLQ less than 1 indicates that less commercial fishing occurs in this state than the national average.

² ds = these data are suppressed.

³ NA = not applicable.