



AFMA CATCHWATCH

A REPORT FROM THE AUSTRALIAN FISHERIES MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY

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Torres Strait Beche-de-mer Fishery - 2021 Season (1 January 2021 – 31 December 2021)

Species Name	Total Allowable Catch (kg)	Reported Catch (kg) ^	% Total Allowable Catch Caught
Prickly redfish	15,000	12,842	85.61%
White teatfish	15,000	1,821.81	12.15%
Black teatfish*	20,000	17,615.47	88.08%
Deepwater redfish^	5,000	17.06	0.34%
Hairy blackfish	5,000	501.63	10.03%
Greenfish	40,000	0	-
Curryfish species	60,000	6,445.26	10.74%
Burrowing blackfish	50,000	699.90	1.40%
Brown sandfish			
Deepwater blackfish			
Golden sandfish			
Leopardfish			
Lollyfish			
Grand Total	190,000	39,944	21.02%

^ Under AFMA's Information Disclosure Policy, information on reported catch by species cannot be provided at this time to protect the confidentiality of individual operators.

* Limited trial opening from 30 April – 3 May 2021.

Reported catches are calculated based on catch reported through TDB02 Catch Disposal Records and does not include any unreported catches. All reported catch is converted to wet weight gutted using CSIRO recommended conversion factors. For details on conversion factors for each species please contact AFMA.