



# AFMA CATCHWATCH

A REPORT FROM THE AUSTRALIAN FISHERIES MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY

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Torres Strait Finfish Fishery - Data Period 1 July 2023 to 28 February 2024

Species Name	Agreed Total Allowable Catch (TAC)(kg)	Reported Catch (kg)	Available TAC (kg)	% TAC Caught
<b>Traditional Inhabitant Boat licence (TIB) and Sunset licence (Sunset) sectors combined</b>				
Spanish Mackerel	75,000	57,299	17,701	76.4%
Coral Trout	135,000	560	134,440	0.4%
Basket Species	NO CATCH LIMIT	11.25	N/A	N/A

**Notes:**

^ Catch reported through mandatory TDB02 Catch Disposal Records (CDRs) and does not include any unreported catches or outstanding catches (there is an expected processing delay of 2-3 weeks from when a Fish Receiver completes a CDR and AFMA receives and processes it). TIB sector operates under a competitive total allowable catch. Sunset sector boats have individual vessel catch allowances detailed here: [www.afma.gov.au/fisheries-services/concession-holders-conditions](http://www.afma.gov.au/fisheries-services/concession-holders-conditions)

Conversion ratios used to convert back to whole weight are:

	Spanish mackerel	Coral trout	Other reef-line species
Filleted	1.608 : 1	2 : 1	2.5 : 1
Gilled & Guttled	1.050 : 1	1.1 : 1	1.1 : 1

**Season date is financial year 1 July to 30 June.**