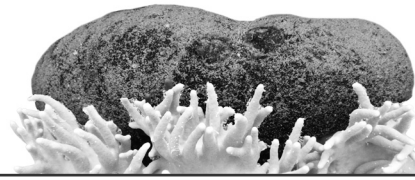


Black teatfish opening

Rules for fishers



Black teatfish minimum size = 25cm

Fishers MUST

- ✓ Hold a current TIB fishing licence with a beche-de-mer (BD) entry
- ✓ Make sure that all crew are traditional inhabitants*
- ✓ Land black teatfish catches to a licenced fish receiver **on the same day** the catch is taken. This means **daily**

*FAQs for Traditional Inhabitant identification verification can be found on www.pzja.gov.au

Fishers MUST NOT

- ✗ Fish for or stockpile black teatfish **before** 29 April 2024
- ✗ Use hookah gear
- ✗ Take black teatfish that are smaller than 25 centimetres (see ruler for length)
- ✗ Fish from a boat greater than 7 metres in length
- ✗ Fish for black teatfish **after the TAC Date**

For more information, contact AFMA

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AFMA Licensing

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