

AS OF June 13, 2011

2011 RHODE ISLAND COMMERCIAL POSSESSION LIMITS (pounds)

	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
BLACK SEA BASS 11" min size	750/day(1/1)*	750/day	500/day(3/6)	500/day 100/day (4/16) CLOSED(4/18)	50/day (5/1)*	50/day <u>CLOSED (6/7)</u>	50/day (7/1)*	CLOSED (8/1 - 8/31)			250/day (11/1)*	
SCUP Other gear - 9" min size	30,000/week (1/1)*	30,000/week or 2,000/day	30,000/week or 2,000/day	30,000/week or 2,000/day	1,000/wk (5/1)* 3,500/wk (5/8)	<u>3,500/wk</u>	3,500/wk (7/3)*		3,500/wk (9/18)*		2,000(11/1)*	
SCUP Floating Traps - 9" min size	30,000/week(1/1)*	30,000/week or 2,000/day	30,000/week or 2,000/day	30,000/week or 2,000/day	No Limit (5/1)*	<u>No Limit</u>					2,000(11/1)*	
STRIPED BASS Rod & Reel-34" min size	CLOSED(1/1)*	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	<u>5 fish(6/6)*</u> <u>closed</u> <u>Fri/Sat thru-out</u>			5 fish(9/4)* <u>closed Fri/Sat thru-out</u>			
STRIPED BASS Floating Traps-26" min size	No Limit (1/1)*	No Limit	No Limit	No Limit	No Limit	<u>No Limit</u>						
SUMMER FLOUNDER 14" min size (Without RI exemption certificate, limit is 200 if current limit exceeds 200 pounds. Only permitted vessels may participate in weekly landing limits when available)	300/day(1/1)*	3,000/week or 300/day(2/6)*	3,000/week or 500/day	3,000/week or 500/day	100/day(5/1)*	<u>500/wk or</u> <u>100/day(6/1)*</u> <u>closed</u> <u>Fri/Sat thru-out</u>					600 (11/1)*	
TAUTOG 16" min size	CLOSED(1/1)*	CLOSED	CLOSED	10fish (4/15)*	10fish CLOSED(5/15)	<u>CLOSED</u>	CLOSED	10fish(8/1)*		10 fish(10/15)*		
SPINY DOGFISH	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	3,000/day(5/1)*	<u>3000/day</u>	3000/day	3000/day	3000/day	3000/day	3000/day	3000/day
WEAKFISH 16" min size	100/day	100/day	100/day	100/day	100/day	<u>100/day(6/1)*</u>		100/day (8/7)*			100/day (11/9)*	
MENHADEN in the Narragansett Bay Menhaden Management Area	CLOSED (1/1)*	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED 120,000/day(5/25)	<u>120,000/day</u>						

underlined font indicates current possession limit as of June 13, 2011

* Indicates scheduled start or end of a sub-period