

| AS OF May 31, 2013 | 2013 RHODE ISLAND COMMERCIAL POSSESSION LIMITS (pounds) | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|--|---|---|---|---|---|---|----------------------------------|--|-----------------|---|---|
| Species/Month | Jan | Feb | Mar | April | May | June | July | Aug | Sept | Oct | Nov | Dec |
| BLACK SEA BASS 11" min size | 750/day(1/1)* | 750/day | 750/day | 750/day 200/day (4/14) CLOSED (4/21) | 50/day (5/1)* | 50/day CLOSED (6/3) | 50/day (7/1)* | CLOSED (8/1 thru 8/31) | | | 250/day (11/1)* | |
| SCUP (General Category) Other gear - 9" min size | 50,000/day(1/1)* | 50,000/day | 50,000/day | 50,000/day | 10,000/wk 5,000/wk (5/26) | 5,000/wk | 10,000/wk (7/7)* | | 10,000/wk (9/15)* | | 2,000/day(11/1)* | |
| SCUP Floating Traps - 9" min size | 50,000/day(1/1)* | 50,000/day | 50,000/day | 50,000/day | No Limit (5/1)* | No Limit | | | | | 2,000/day(11/1)* | |
| STRIPED BASS Rod & Reel - 34" min size | Closed(1/1)* | CLOSED | CLOSED | CLOSED | CLOSED | CLOSED 5 fish/day (6/6)* (closed Fri/Sat thru-out) | | | 5 fish/day (9/8)* closed Fri/Sat thru-out | | | |
| STRIPED BASS Floating Traps - 26" min size | No Limit (1/1)* | No Limit | No Limit | No Limit | No Limit | No Limit | | | | | | |
| SUMMER FLOUNDER 14" min size | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Without a RI Summer Flounder Exemption Certificate | 200/day(1/1)* | 200/day | 200/day | 100/day (4/21) | 100/day(5/1)* | 100/day | | | | | | |
| With a RI Summer Flounder Exemption Certificate | 300/day(1/1)* | 300/day | 300/day | 200/day (4/14) 100/day (4/21) | 100/day(5/1)* | 100/day | | | | | | |
| Weekly limit** | CLOSED(1/1)* | 2,500/wk (2/3) | 2,000/wk (3/3) | 1,000/wk (4/14) | CLOSED | 700/wk (6/1)* | | | | | | |
| TAUTOG 16" min size | CLOSED(1/1)* | CLOSED | CLOSED | 10 fish (4/15)* | 10 fish CLOSED (5/12) | CLOSED | | 10 fish(8/1)* | | 10 fish(10/15)* | | |
| SPINY DOGFISH | 3,000/day | 3,000/day | 3,000/day | 3,000/day | 4,000/day (5/1)* | 4,000/day | | | | | | |
| WEAKFISH 16" min size | 100/day bycatch w/ equivalent poundage of other species | 100/day bycatch w/ equivalent poundage of other species | 100/day bycatch w/ equivalent poundage of other species | 100/day bycatch w/ equivalent poundage of other species | 100/day bycatch w/ equivalent poundage of other species | 100/day(6/1)* | 100/day bycatch w/ equivalent poundage of other species (7/1) | 100/day (8/7)* | 100/day | 100/day | 100/day bycatch w/ equivalent poundage of other species (11/9)* | 100/day bycatch w/ equivalent poundage of other species |
| MENHADEN in the Narragansett Bay Menhaden Management Area | CLOSED (1/1)* | CLOSED | CLOSED | CLOSED | CLOSED 120,000/day(5/20) | 120,000/day | | | | | | |

* Indicates scheduled start or end of a sub-period

** Weekly possession limit only for vessels with a Summer Flounder Aggregate Landing Program Permit.