

<i>As of December 24, 2013</i>	2013 RHODE ISLAND COMMERCIAL POSSESSION LIMITS (pounds)											
Species/Month	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
<b>BLACK SEA BASS</b> 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 (7/31)	CLOSED (8/1 thru 8/31)	50/day(9/1) CLOSED (9/4)	CLOSED	50/day (11/1)* CLOSED (12/2)	CLOSED
<b>SCUP (General Category)</b> 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	5,000/wk 10,000/wk (7/7)*	10,000/wk	10,000/wk 10,000/wk (9/15)* 15,000/wk (9/29)	15,000/wk 20,000/wk (10/13) 25,000/wk (10/24)	8,000/day(11/1)*	8,000/day(11/1)*
<b>SCUP</b> 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	No Limit	No Limit	No Limit	No Limit	8,000/day(11/1)*	8,000/day(11/1)*
<b>STRIPED BASS</b> Rod & Reel - 34" min size	Closed(1/1)*	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED 5 fish/day (6/6)* (closed Fri/Sat thru-out) CLOSED (6/27)	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED 5 fish/day (9/8)* CLOSED (9/17) 5 fish/day (9/22) CLOSED (9/23)	CLOSED	CLOSED 5 fish/day(11/24) CLOSED (11/29)	CLOSED
<b>STRIPED BASS</b> Floating Traps - 26" min size	No Limit (1/1)*	No Limit	No Limit	No Limit	No Limit	No Limit	No Limit	No Limit				
<b>SUMMER FLOUNDER</b> 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 50/day (6/23)	50/day	50/day	50/day CLOSED (10/10)	50/day CLOSED (10/10)	200/day(11/1)*	200/day(11/1)*
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 50/day (6/23)	50/day	50/day	50/day CLOSED (10/10)	50/day CLOSED (10/10)	700/day(11/1)* 500/day (11/15) 350/day (11/27)	350/day 500/day (12/14) 700/day (12/25)
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)* 350/wk (6/23)	350/wk	350/wk PROGRAM ENDS (8/25)	PROGRAM ENDED	PROGRAM ENDED	N/A	N/A
<b>TAUTOG</b> 16" min size	CLOSED(1/1)*	CLOSED	CLOSED	10 fish (4/15)*	10 fish CLOSED (5/12)	CLOSED	CLOSED	10 fish(8/1)*	10 fish CLOSED (9/16)	CLOSED 10 fish(10/15)* CLOSED (10/31)	CLOSED	CLOSED
<b>SPINY DOGFISH</b>	3,000/day	3,000/day	3,000/day	3,000/day	4,000/day (5/1)*	4,000/day	4,000/day	4,000/day	4,000/day	4,000/day	4,000/day	4,000/day
<b>WEAKFISH</b> 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 (11/9)*
<b>MENHADEN</b> in the Narragansett Bay Menhaden Management Area	CLOSED (1/1)*	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED 120,000/day(5/20)	120,000/day closed (6/10) 120,000/day (6/17)	120,000/day CLOSED(7/3)	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED	CLOSED
<b>MENHADEN</b> in State Waters outside the Narragansett Bay Menhaden Management Area							CLOSED - 6,000/day as bycatch (7/28)	CLOSED - 6,000/day as bycatch 120,000/day(8/14)	120,000/day	120,000/day	120,000/day	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.