

Southern and Eastern Scalefish and Shark Fishery (Total Allowable Catch for Quota Species) Determination 2020

The Australian Fisheries Management Authority makes the following determination in accordance with a decision made by the AFMA Commission under section 23 of the *Fisheries Administration Act 1991*.

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1 Name

 This instrument is the *Southern and Eastern Scalefish and Shark Fishery (Total Allowable Catch for Quota Species) Determination 2020*.

2 Commencement

 (1) Each provision of this instrument specified in column 1 of the table commences, or is taken to have commenced, in accordance with column 2 of the table. Any other statement in column 2 has effect according to its terms.

| Commencement information |
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| Column 1 | Column 2 | Column 3 |
| Provisions | Commencement | Date/Details |
| 1. *All of the Provisions* | *1 May 2020* | *1 May 2020* |

Note: This table relates only to the provisions of this instrument as originally made. It will not be amended to deal with any later amendments of this instrument.

 (2) Any information in column 3 of the table is not part of this instrument. Information may be inserted in this column, or information in it may be edited, in any published version of this instrument.

3 Revocation

 This instrument is revoked on 1 May 2021.

4 Authority

 This instrument is made under paragraph 17(6)(aa) of the Act for the purpose of subsection 11(1) of the Management Plan.

5 Definitions

1. In this instrument:

 ***Act*** means the *Fisheries Management Act 1991*.

 ***Management Plan*** means the *Southern and Eastern Scalefish and Shark Fishery Management Plan 2003*.

1. A term used in this instrument that is defined for the purposes of the Plan has the same meaning in this instrument as it has in the Plan.

 Note: Terms defined in the Act have the same meaning in this instrument (see paragraph 13(1)(b) of the *Legislation Act 2003*).

6 Determination of total allowable catch—whole fishery

1. This section applies to the 2020 fishing year commencing on 1 May 2020 and ending on 30 April 2021.
2. For a species of fish specified in an item in column 1 of the table, the total allowable catch, in tonnes, for that species is determined in column 2 on the basis of the preparation of the fish in accordance with column 3.

| Item | Column 1Species of fish | Column 2Total allowance catch | Column 3**Preparation** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 1 | Alfonsino | 1,017 tonnes | Whole weight |
| 2 | Bight redfish | 893 tonnes | Whole weight |
| 3 | Blue eye trevalla | 448 tonnes | Whole weight |
| 4 | Blue grenadier | 12,183 tonnes | Whole weight |
| 5 | Blue warehou | 118 tonnes | Whole weight |
| 6 | Deepwater flathead | 1,238 tonnes | Whole weight |
| 7 | Elephant fish | 114 tonnes | Trunked, bellyflaps removed |
| 8 | Flathead | 2,010 tonnes | Whole weight |
| 9 | Gummy shark | 1,775 tonnes | Trunked weight |
| 10 | Jackass morwong | 468 tonnes | Whole weight |
| 11 | John dory | 452 tonnes | Whole weight |
| 12 | Mirror dory  | 137 tonnes | Whole weight |
| 13 | Ocean perch  | 239 tonnes | Whole weight |
| 14 | Oreo, basket | 185 tonnes | Whole weight |
| 15 | Pink ling | 1,310 tonnes | Whole weight |
| 16 | Redfish | 50 tonnes  | Whole weight |
| 17 | Ribaldo | 422 tonnes | Whole weight |
| 18 | Royal red prawn | 403 tonnes | Whole weight |
| 19 | Sawshark | 432 tonnes | Trunked weight |
| 20 | School shark | 195 tonnes | Trunked weight |
| 21 | School whiting | 788 tonnes  | Whole weight |
| 22 | Silver trevally | 289 tonnes | Whole weight |
| 23 | Silver warehou | 450 tonnes | Whole weight |

7 Determination of total allowable catch—parts of the area of the fishery

1. This section applies to the 2020 fishing year commencing on 1 May 2020 and ending on 30 April 2021.
2. For a species of fish specified in an item in column 1 of the table in the zone, or zones, of the fishery in column 2, the total allowable catch, in tonnes, for that species in that part, or parts, of the area of the fishery is determined in column 3 on the basis of the preparation of the fish in accordance with column 4.

| Item | Column 1Species of fish | Column 2**Part of the area of the fishery** | Column 3Total allowance catch | Column 4**Preparation** |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| 1 | Deepwater shark, basket | Gemfish and deepwater shark eastern zone | 24 tonnes | Trunked weight |
| 2 | Deepwater shark, basket | Gemfish and deepwater shark western zone | 235 tonnes | Trunked weight |
| 3 | Gemfish | Gemfish and deepwater shark eastern zone | 100 tonnes | Whole weight |
| 4 | Gemfish | Gemfish and deepwater shark western zone | 300 tonnes | Whole weight |
| 5 | Orange roughy | Both the GAB Albany zone and GAB Esperance zone | 50 tonnes | Whole weight |
| 6 | Orange roughy | Cascade Plateau zone | 500 tonnes  | Whole weight |
| 7 | Orange roughy | Orange roughy eastern zone | 1,276 tonnes | Whole weight |
| 8 | Orange roughy | Orange roughy southern zone | 125 tonnes | Whole weight |
| 9 | Orange roughy | Orange roughy western zone | 60 tonnes | Whole weight |
| 10 | Smooth oreo dory | Cascade Plateau zone | 150 tonnes | Whole weight |
| 11 | Smooth oreo dory | Other than Cascade Plateau zone | 135 tonnes | Whole weight |