



Eastern Tuna and Billfish Fishery (Overcatch and Undercatch) Determination 2024

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

Dated 13 November 2023

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Chief Executive Officer
for and on behalf of the Australian Fisheries Management Authority

1 Name

This instrument is the *Eastern Tuna and Billfish Fishery (Overcatch and Undercatch) Determination 2024*.

2 Commencement

This instrument commences on 1 January 2024.

3 Cessation

This instrument ceases on 31 December 2024.

4 Authority

This instrument is made pursuant to paragraph 17(6)(aa) of the *Fisheries Management Act 1991* and sections 3.2, 4.5 and 4.6 of the *Eastern Tuna and Billfish Fishery Management Plan 2010 (the Plan)*.

5 Definitions

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 *Fisheries Management Act 1991* have the same meaning in this instrument.

6 Determination of overcatch and undercatch

- (1) This section applies to the fishing season commencing on 1 January 2024 and ending on 31 December 2024.

Note: The total allowable commercial catch (TACC) for each quota species for the fishing season commencing on 1 January 2024 and ending on 31 December 2024 is determined by the *Eastern Tuna and Billfish Fishery Total Allowable Commercial Catch Determination 2024*.

- (2) For the quota species listed in an item in column 1 of the table:
- (a) for the purpose of section 4.5 of the *Plan*, the determined percentage of overcatch is determined by column 2 of the table; and
 - (b) for the purpose of section 4.5 of the *Plan*, the determined weight of overcatch is determined by column 3 of the table; and
 - (c) for the purpose of subsection 4.6 of the *Plan*, the determined percentage of undercatch is determined by column 4 of the table.

Item	Column 1 Species	Column 2 Determined percentage (overcatch)	Column 3 Determined weight (overcatch)	Column 4 Determined percentage (undercatch)
1	Albacore Tuna	10%	2 tonnes	10%

Item	Column 1 Species	Column 2 Determined percentage (overcatch)	Column 3 Determined weight (overcatch)	Column 4 Determined percentage (undercatch)
2	Bigeye Tuna	10%	2 tonnes	10%
3	Broadbill Swordfish	10%	2 tonnes	10%
4	Striped Marlin	10%	2 tonnes	10%
5	Yellowfin Tuna	10%	2 tonnes	10%