

Blueline Tilefish, *Caulolatilus microps*, data update
through 2018 in the Middle Atlantic Region



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Table 1. Landings of blueline tilefish in live metric tons from 2014-2018 from Dealer electronic reporting. Preliminary 2018 landings data retrieved on 2/7/19.

Year	North of NC	NC	Total
2014	97.9	32.8	130.7
2015	33.4	11.4	44.8
2016	6.5	33.7	40.1
2017	5.3	20.1	25.5
2018	5.6	23.6	29.2

Table 2. VTR reported commercial Landings of blueline tilefish in live metric tons from 2014-2018. Preliminary 2018 landings data retrieved on 2/7/19.

Year	North of NC	NC	total
2014	89.478	7.528	97.006
2015	40.155	1.114	41.269
2016	6.030	8.803	14.833
2017	5.052	10.913	15.965
2018	5.358	13.838	19.196

Table 3. VTR reported commercial discards of blueline tilefish in metric tons from 2014-2018. Preliminary 2018 discard data retrieved on 2/7/19.

Year	North of NC	NC	total
2014	0.017	0	0.017
2015	0.179	0	0.179
2016	0.193	0	0.193
2017	0.025	0	0.025
2018	0.062	0	0.062

Table 4. VTR reported recreational kept blueline tilefish in numbers from 2002-2018 from states north of North Carolina. Preliminary 2018 data retrieved on 2/7/19.

year	party	charter	total
2002	0	0	0
2003	1	55	56
2004	0	25	25
2005	7	32	39
2006	0	27	27
2007	385	2,613	2,998
2008	391	216	607
2009	3,861	313	4,174
2010	2,127	159	2,286
2011	3,261	324	3,585
2012	9,670	381	10,051
2013	11,127	711	11,838
2014	14,866	983	15,849
2015	12,138	2,253	14,391
2016	13,476	2,017	15,493
2017	8,564	1,600	10,164
2018	4,702	7,789	12,491

Table 5. VTR reported recreational discarded blueline tilefish in numbers from 2002-2018 from states north of North Carolina. Preliminary 2018 data retrieved on 2/7/19.

year	party	charter	total
2002	0	0	0
2003	0	0	0
2004	0	0	0
2005	0	0	0
2006	0	0	0
2007	13	8	21
2008	0	0	0
2009	93	0	93
2010	110	2	112
2011	240	2	242
2012	338	0	338
2013	125	3	128
2014	188	66	254
2015	253	39	292
2016	217	29	246
2017	71	44	115
2018	65	34	99

Table 6. VTR reported recreational kept blueline tilefish in numbers from 2002-2018 from North Carolina. Preliminary 2018 data retrieved on 2/7/19.

year	party	charter	total
2002	2,524	40	2,564
2003	1,628	0	1,628
2004	0	0	0
2005	0	1,002	1,002
2006	0	1,666	1,666
2007	0	933	933
2008	0	854	854
2009	0	396	396
2010	0	484	484
2011	0	115	115
2012	0	48	48
2013	0	49	49
2014	0	10	10
2015	0	0	0
2016	0	10	10

Table 7. VTR reported recreational discarded blueline tilefish in numbers from 2002-2018 from North Carolina. Preliminary 2018 data retrieved on 2/7/19.

year	party	charter	total
2002	18	0	18
2003	15	0	15
2004	0	0	0
2005	0	35	35
2006	0	0	0
2007	0	0	0
2008	0	0	0
2009	0	0	0
2010	0	0	0
2011	0	0	0
2012	0	0	0
2013	0	0	0
2014	0	0	0
2015	0	0	0
2016	0	0	0
2017	0	0	0
2018	0	0	0