

COMMONLY CAUGHT MHI SPECIES LIST

DEEP-SEA (Bottomfish)

Alfonsin

Ehu (Red snapper, *ʻula ʻula*)

Gindai (*ʻUkikiki*)

Golden *kalekale*

Hapuupuu (Sea bass, shapon)

Hauliuli (Snake mackerel)

Hogo (Largeheaded scorpionfish, *o ʻopu kae nohu*)

Kalekale (Siebold's snapper)

Lehi (Ironjaw snapper)

Onaga (Longtailed red snapper, *ʻula ʻula koa ʻe*)

Opakapaka (Pink snapper)

Randall's snapper

Uku (Gray snapper)

Yellowtail *kalekale*

SNAPPERS/GROUPERS

Roi (Royal bass)

Ta ʻape (Bluestripe snapper)

To ʻau (Blacktail snapper)

Wahanui (Smalltooth jobfish)

SHARKS

Blue shark

Green eyed shark (Green-eyed dogfish)

Mako shark

Oceanic whitetip shark

Thresher shark

Tiger shark

JACKS/ULUA/PAPIO

Barred jack

Black ulua (Gunkan, Black trevally)

Butaguchi (Thick-lip, pig-lip)

Dobe (Dusky)

Kagami (Threadfin jack, pompano, *ulua kihikih*)

Kahala (Amberjack)

Kamanu (Rainbow runner, Hawaiian salmon)

Lae (Leatherback, *lai*)

No-bite papio

Omaka (Yellowtail scad)

Omilu (Bluefin trevally, hoshi)

Pa ʻopa ʻo (Golden trevally, yellow striped)

Sasa (Bigeye trevally, pake-*ulua*)

White *papio/ulua* (Giant trevally, *ulua*)

Yellowspot papio (Papa, Island jack)

PELAGIC

Billfishes

Black marlin (*A ʻu Blk*, *hida*)

Blue marlin (*A ʻu B*, *kajiki*, *a ʻu*)

Sailfish (*A ʻu S*, *a ʻu lepe*)

Shortbill spearfish (*A ʻu l*, *hebi*, *a ʻu*)

Striped marlin (*Nairagi*, *a ʻu*)

Swordfish (*Shutome*, *a ʻu ku*)

Tunas

Aku (Skipjack)

Bigeye tuna (**BE tuna**, *Mebachi*, *ʻahi po ʻonui*)

Bluefin tuna (*Maguro*, *ʻahi B*)

Dogtooth tuna (*Kitsune*)

Kawakawa

Ke ʻo ke ʻo (Frigate, *oi oi*)

Tombo (Albacore, *ʻahi palaha*)

Yellowfin tuna (**YF tuna**, *ʻAhi Y*, *ʻahi*)

Other Pelagics

Mahimahi (Dolphin fish, dorado)

Malolo (Flying fish)

Monchong (Pomfret)

Ono (Wahoo)

Opah (Moonfish)

Walu (Oil fish)

INSHORE MARINE FISH

Barracudas

Kaku (Barracuda)

Kawale ʻa (Heller's barracuda)

Damsels

Kupipi (Blackspot sergeant)

Mamo (Hawaiian sergeant)

Goatfishes

Kumu (Whitesaddle goatfish)

Malu (Sidespot goatfish)

Moano (Manybar goatfish)

Moana kali (Blue goatfish, *moana kea*)

Munu (Doublebar goatfish)

"Red *weke*" (Yellowfin goatfish = *weke ʻula*)¹

"*Weke nono*" (Pflueger's goatfish, *moe lua* = *weke ʻula*)²

Weke pueo (Nightmare)

White *weke* (Yellowstripe goatfish, *weke ʻa*)

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Mullet

Ama'ama (Striped mullet)
Summer mullet (Australian mullet)
Uouoa (Sharpnose mullet)

Parrotfishes

Panuhunuhu (Sleeping parrotfish)
Uhu (Bullethead Parrotfish, *Panunu*)

Scads

Akule (Bigeye scad)
Halalu (*Hahalalu*, juvenile bigeye scad)
Opelu (Mackerel scad)
Opelu mama

Squirrelfishes

Ala'ihī (Tahitian squirrelfish)
Ala'ihī mama (Saber squirrelfish, *u'ukanipo*)
Menpachi (Soldierfish, *'u'u*)

Surgeonfishes

Api (Whitespotted surgeonfish)
Kole (Goldring surgeonfish)
Black Kole (Hawaiian surgeonfish)
Maii (Brown Surgeonfish)
Maiko (Bluelined surgeonfish)
Maikoiko (Whitebar surgeonfish)
Manini (Convict surgeonfish)
Na'ena'e (Orangeband surgeonfish)
Pakuikui (Archilles tang)
Palani (Eyestripe surgeonfish)
Pualu (Yellowfin surgeonfish)

Unicornfishes

Kala (all unicornfish with horns)
Opelu kala (Sleek unicornfish)
Umaumalei (orangespine unicornfish)

Wrasses

A'awa (Hawaiian hogfish, table boss)
Kupoupou (Cigar wrasse)
Laenihi (Peacock razorfish, nabeta)
Po'ou (Ringtail wrasse)

Other Inshore Marine Fishes

Aha (Needlefish)
Aholehole (Hawaiian flagtail)
Awa (Milkfish)
Awa'aua (Ladyfish, Hawaiian tenpounder)
Aweoweo (Glasseye)
Humuhumu (Trigger fish)
Iheihe (Halfbeak)
Loulu (Broomtail)
Moi (Six-fingered threadfin)
Mu (Bigeye emperor)
Nenuē (Grey chub)
Nohu (Scorpionfish, okoze)
O'io (Smallmouth bonefish)
O'i'i lepa (File fish)
O'opu hue (Pufferfish)
Paki'i (Flounder)
Po'opa'a (Hawkfish)
Saba (Japanese mackerel)
Tilapia (Hawaiian sunfish)
Upapalu (Cardinalfish)
Moray eel (*Puhi*)
White eel (Tohe)

INVERTEBRATE

A'ama crab (Rock)
Blue pincher crab
Hawaiian crab (Red, *mo'ala*)
Kona crab (*Papa'i kua loa*)
Kuahonu crab (White)
Samoan crab (Mangrove)
7-11 crab (*'Alakuma*)
Haanii (Ridgeback, humpbacked slipper lobster)
Squammosus (Scaly slipper lobster, regular)
Green Spiny lobster
Red Spiny lobster (Hawaiian)
Ensifer (Shrimp)
Laevigatus (Ama ebi, *ono* shrimp)
He'e (**Day tako**, octopus, tako)
He'e pu loa (**Night tako**, octopus, tako)
Muhe'e (True squid)
Opihi 'alinalina (**Y-opihi**, Yellow foot limpet)
Opihi makaiauli (**B-opihi**, Black foot limpet)
Loli (Other sea cucumbers)
Namako (Edible sea cucumbers)
Ha'uke'uke (Flat urchins)
Hawae (Collector urchins)
Slate pencil urchins (*ina ula*)
Urchins (Other urchins)
Wana (Long-spine urchins)

¹ Margaret Titcomb, *Native Use of Fish in Hawaii*, 2nd. ed. (Hawaii: University of Hawaii Press, 1972), pp. 160-162. The yellowfin goatfish commonly called red weke is actually weke 'ula.

² The large red goatfish commonly called weke 'ula by the markets, is actually weke nono.

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