

The Nantucket Lightship Access Area closed on August 4, 2008 due to the harvest of the yellowtail flounder bycatch quota. For more information on the yellowtail flounder bycatch quota in the Nantucket Lightship Access Area, please refer to the yellow-tail bycatch report on the Sea Scallop Fishery Monitoring page or link to: [http://www.nero.noaa.gov/ro/fso/Reports/ScallopProgram/nl\\_yt.pdf](http://www.nero.noaa.gov/ro/fso/Reports/ScallopProgram/nl_yt.pdf)

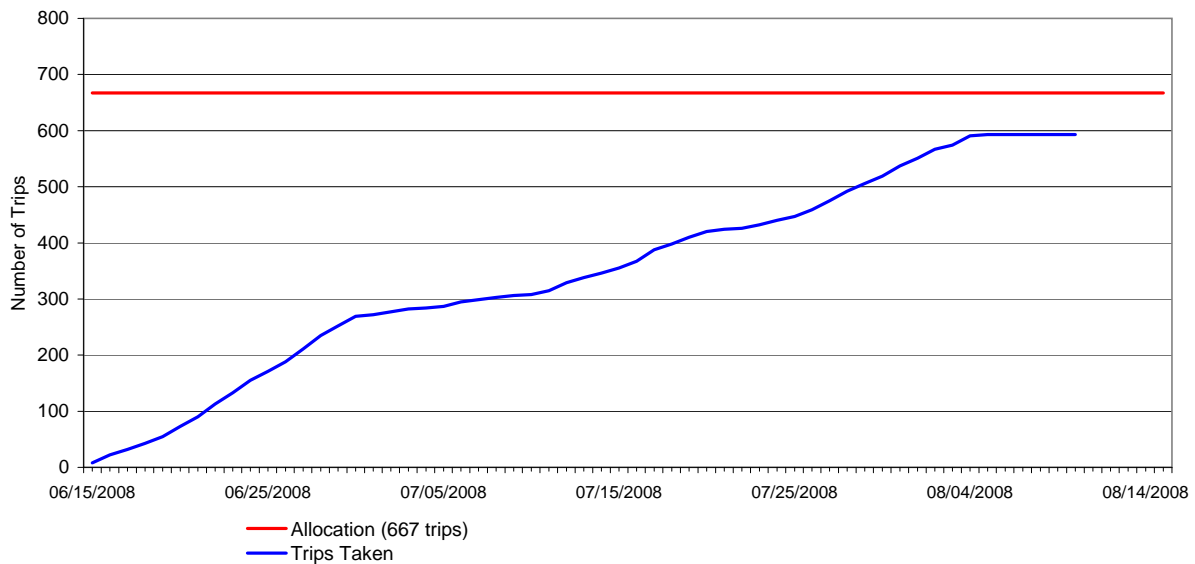
**Scallop General Category FY2008 Nantucket Lightship Access Area Trips**

Nantucket Lightship Access Area (NLAA) opened June 15, 2008.

Date*	Trips Taken	Cumulative Total Trips Taken	% of Trip Allocation (667 trips)
6/15-30/2008	269	269	40.3%
07/01-15/2008	86	355	53.2%
07/16/2008	12	367	55.0%
07/17/2008	21	388	58.2%
07/18/2008	10	398	59.7%
07/19/2008	12	410	61.5%
07/20/2008	10	420	63.0%
07/21/2008	4	424	63.6%
07/22/2008	2	426	63.9%
07/23/2008	6	432	64.8%
07/24/2008	8	440	66.0%
07/25/2008	7	447	67.0%
07/26/2008	12	459	68.8%
07/27/2008	16	475	71.2%
07/28/2008	17	492	73.8%
07/29/2008	14	506	75.9%
07/30/2008	13	519	77.8%
07/31/2008	18	537	80.5%
08/01/2008	14	551	82.6%
08/02/2008	16	567	85.0%
08/03/2008	7	574	86.1%
08/04/2008	17	591	88.6%
08/05/2008	2	593	88.9%
08/06/2008	0	593	88.9%
08/07/2008	0	593	88.9%
08/08/2008	0	593	88.9%
08/09/2008	0	593	88.9%
08/10/2008	0	593	88.9%
08/11/2008	0	593	88.9%

\*Data through August 11, 2008

General Category Scallop Trips to the Nantucket Lightship Access Area, June 15, 2008



These data are the best available to NOAA's National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS) when this report was compiled on August 11, 2008.