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National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
National Marine Fisheries Service
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2011 SCUP WINTER II PERIOD QUOTA INCREASE

Dear Scup Commercial Permit Holder:

The commercial scup quota and the possession limit for the 2011 Winter II quota period (November 1-December 31) have been increased. This increase is because of the rollover of unused quota from the Winter I period.

2011 Winter II Period	Pounds (lb)
Commercial Scup Quota	6,612,413
Possession Limit	8,000

Keep in mind that when the state and Federal possession limits are different, you are required to abide by the more restrictive state or Federal measure.

You may also receive permit holder letters, including closure notices, by e-mail by clicking on "Permit Holder Letters" on our website at <http://www.nero.noaa.gov>. This small entity compliance guide complies with section 212 of the Small Business Regulatory Enforcement Fairness Act of 1996. This notice has been approved by the Regional Administrator.

