

2007 Economic Impacts of the Gulf of Mexico Region Seafood Industry (thousands of dollars)

	Total Landings Revenue	Total Sales Impacts	Total Income Impacts	Total Job Impacts
Alabama	48,168	488,264	268,020	10,979
Florida ¹	174,945	5,109,134	2,805,289	101,168
Louisiana	287,012	2,125,898	1,107,049	47,081
Mississippi	39,340	362,963	184,401	8,244
Texas	174,356	1,942,379	959,363	42,240

Total Landings Revenue and Landings Revenue of Key Species/Species Groups (thousands of dollars)

	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Total Revenue	786,450	823,364	997,270	807,403	681,646	662,902	669,002	625,038	695,494	681,074
Finfish & Other	142,175	177,997	179,109	164,959	147,338	139,373	143,479	122,642	135,975	145,168
Shellfish	644,274	645,367	818,161	642,444	534,308	523,530	525,523	502,396	559,520	535,906
Crab, Blue	45,701	43,128	47,573	42,862	42,913	46,243	42,292	37,961	43,354	45,731
Crab, Stone	22,963	24,080	28,670	20,477	23,091	23,043	26,704	21,223	24,063	26,156
Crawfish	14,392	10,480	684	8,511	8,070	4,845	4,810	8,360	1,290	9,011
Groupers	18,192	22,684	24,124	25,986	24,631	24,257	25,807	24,692	22,793	20,240
Menhaden	56,655	78,514	80,674	72,366	52,116	45,863	44,921	32,938	44,946	62,109
Mulletts	8,297	14,129	11,697	10,206	8,877	8,265	8,956	6,593	9,428	5,395
Oyster	46,313	48,568	53,115	52,285	50,756	61,634	60,845	56,510	62,316	68,043
Shrimp	486,116	479,079	655,759	497,202	385,679	365,434	366,426	360,513	402,040	360,247
Snapper, Red	9,801	9,589	10,368	10,251	10,714	10,447	11,676	11,336	13,167	9,572
Tunas	9,646	11,635	14,017	9,187	13,227	12,000	12,335	9,431	8,461	10,535

Total Landings and Landings of Key Species / Species Groups (thousands of pounds)

	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Total Landings	1,576,301	2,004,446	1,795,396	1,613,163	1,728,899	1,595,895	1,475,139	1,198,203	1,364,521	1,398,602
Finfish & Other	1,184,895	1,637,524	1,397,440	1,254,170	1,377,421	1,228,816	1,110,240	887,920	974,964	1,070,681
Shellfish	391,405	366,922	397,955	358,993	351,478	367,080	364,899	310,283	389,558	327,922
Crab, Blue	67,580	68,996	68,898	54,500	66,019	63,961	60,581	50,041	67,480	57,560
Crab, Stone	6,978	5,654	6,848	6,682	6,433	5,292	5,971	4,534	4,795	5,859
Crawfish	21,978	13,226	393	10,410	15,602	8,337	8,537	15,177	1,469	15,802
Groupers	8,852	11,185	11,418	12,167	12,003	10,933	11,912	10,776	9,091	7,307
Menhaden	1,092,670	1,530,487	1,303,895	1,165,244	1,290,407	1,142,747	1,023,260	815,495	901,398	1,005,324
Mulletts	15,770	20,045	16,812	16,084	12,661	12,957	13,750	9,023	12,726	8,790
Oyster	20,560	24,016	25,767	25,621	24,110	27,033	25,052	20,174	19,674	22,071
Shrimp	264,211	242,795	288,628	257,088	233,759	256,357	255,782	216,291	291,186	221,030
Snapper, Red	4,694	4,888	4,844	4,642	4,803	4,435	4,677	4,109	4,637	2,999
Tunas	4,175	5,959	4,631	3,463	4,877	5,063	3,882	3,050	2,851	3,426

Average Annual Price for Key Species / Species Groups (price per pound)

	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Crab, Blue	0.68	0.63	0.69	0.79	0.65	0.72	0.70	0.76	0.64	0.79
Crab, Stone	3.29	4.26	4.19	3.06	3.59	4.35	4.47	4.68	5.02	4.46
Crawfish	0.65	0.79	1.74	0.82	0.52	0.58	0.56	0.55	0.88	0.57
Groupers	2.06	2.03	2.11	2.14	2.05	2.22	2.17	2.29	2.51	2.77
Menhaden	0.05	0.05	0.06	0.06	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.04	0.05	0.06
Mulletts	0.53	0.70	0.70	0.63	0.70	0.64	0.65	0.73	0.74	0.61
Oyster	2.25	2.02	2.06	2.04	2.11	2.28	2.43	2.80	3.17	3.08
Shrimp	1.84	1.97	2.27	1.93	1.65	1.43	1.43	1.67	1.38	1.63
Snapper, Red	2.09	1.96	2.14	2.21	2.23	2.36	2.50	2.76	2.84	3.19
Tunas	2.31	1.95	3.03	2.65	2.71	2.37	3.18	3.09	2.97	3.07

¹In this table, Florida's total sales, income, and job impacts and total landings revenue are for the state of Florida, not West Florida.

2007 Economic Impacts of Recreational Fishing Expenditures (*thousands of dollars*)

	Trips	Jobs	Total Sales	Value Added
Alabama	2,119,649	6,759	654,353	337,493
Louisiana	4,515,757	27,446	2,453,392	1,234,449
Mississippi	1,233,459	4,707	616,930	239,021
Texas ¹	1,445,106	23,382	3,004,862	1,514,791
West Florida	16,398,566	65,799	6,829,434	3,704,818

2007 Angler Trip & Durable Equipment Expenditures (*thousands of dollars*)

Fishing Mode	Trip Expenditures		Durable Equipment Expenditures	Expenditures
	Non-Residents	Residents		
Private Boat	169,011	572,920	Fishing Tackle	1,753,687
Shore	296,576	187,552	Other Equipment	664,776
For-Hire	136,459	86,617	Boat Expenses	7,365,456
Total Trip Expenditures	602,046	847,089	Vehicle Expenses	1,852,679
			Second Home Expenses	1,343,847
			Total Durable Equipment Expenditures	12,980,445
Total State Trip and Durable Equipment Expenditures				14,429,580

Recreational Anglers by Residential Area (*thousands of anglers*)²

	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Coastal	1,884	1,834	2,539	2,898	2,485	3,039	3,185	3,133	3,328	3,235
Non-Coastal	122	151	191	227	216	256	318	190	315	326
Out-of-State	NA ³	NA ³	NA ³	NA ³	NA ³	NA ³	NA ³	NA ³	NA ³	NA ³
Total Anglers	2,006	1,985	2,730	3,125	2,701	3,294	3,503	3,323	3,643	3,562

Recreational Fishing Effort by Mode (*thousands of trips*)²

	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
For-Hire	903	877	812	742	764	691	818	712	820	876
Private or Rental	8,939	9,098	11,728	12,371	11,635	14,110	14,107	12,629	13,837	14,435
Shore	6,861	5,919	8,478	9,776	7,266	8,155	9,430	8,530	9,206	8,957
Total Trips	16,703	15,894	21,018	22,890	19,666	22,957	24,355	21,871	23,863	24,267

Harvest (H) and Release (R) of Key Species / Species Groups (*number of fish in thousands*)²

Species/Groups		1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
Drum (Atlantic Croaker)	H	760	974	1,783	1,432	832	1,057	938	747	1,430	1,332
	R	2,021	2,427	4,302	2,755	2,757	2,431	3,404	1,913	2,476	2,648
Drum (Gulf & Southern Kingfish)	H	1,219	1,670	1,652	2,552	1,205	1,802	1,886	1,636	1,494	1,260
	R	398	679	432	1,044	477	538	911	884	1,063	671
Drum, Red	H	1,845	2,134	3,266	3,115	2,478	2,673	2,850	2,173	2,814	2,973
	R	4,623	3,991	5,469	5,146	4,874	5,915	5,538	5,319	7,024	6,057
Drum (Sand & Silver Seatrout)	H	2,927	5,272	4,711	3,360	3,256	3,111	2,292	1,825	2,726	2,998
	R	965	1,738	1,596	1,063	1,069	1,003	1,064	790	1,677	1,739
Drum (Spotted Seatrout)	H	6,840	9,055	11,608	9,381	7,366	9,568	10,569	9,977	15,564	11,575
	R	13,337	16,167	16,758	11,202	15,298	19,217	18,282	19,702	20,872	19,036
Flounder, Southern	H	423	646	563	732	506	659	706	507	560	609
	R	88	101	108	171	117	252	212	185	178	194
Mackerel, Spanish	H	1,170	1,621	1,714	2,477	1,962	1,504	2,120	1,134	1,936	1,708
	R	714	1,243	1,497	1,845	1,920	2,211	2,183	1,385	3,011	2,110
Mullet, Striped ⁴	H	970	1,303	1,478	1,561	1,264	1,587	1,141	1,112	1,146	986
	R	90	148	390	733	76	280	116	211	157	176
Porgies (Sheepshead)	H	1,342	1,366	1,298	1,478	1,552	1,941	2,475	1,979	1,452	1,324
	R	1,654	1,433	1,728	1,649	1,701	2,004	2,194	1,982	1,541	1,073
Snapper, Red	H	1,319	1,207	767	848	1,106	993	1,077	829	969	1,117
	R	1,360	1,997	1,427	1,807	2,091	1,942	2,140	1,904	2,558	2,755

¹2007 effort data (number of trips) for Texas was estimated from data provided by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department (TPWD).

²Excludes Texas; effort (number of trips), participation (number of anglers), and key species (number of species harvested or released) data from Texas was either not compatible with the other Gulf states or was not available.

³Out-of-state resident information is collected for individual states but whether an angler is a resident of a region is not specified; NA = data is not available.

⁴This species may not be equivalent to species with similar names listed in the commercial tables.