


VISUAL MATURITY SCALE

Barber surgeonfish / *Acanthurus bahianus*

Picture	Sex	Species	First maturity size
	♂	Acanthurus bahianus	NA

A - IMMATURE

TRANSPARENT TO
TRANSLUCID GONADS

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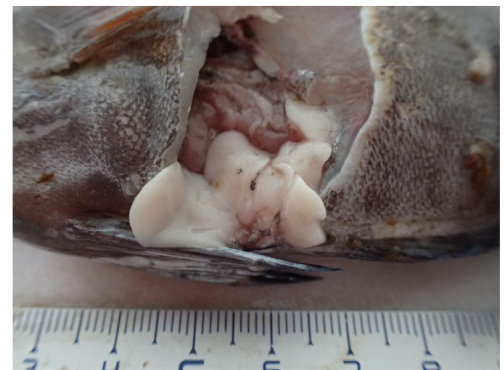
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B - DEVELOPING

OPAQUE GONADS IN
TWISTED SHAPE

NON-FLOWING GONADS



C - SPAWNING

FLOWING GONADS

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OPAQUE AND WHITISH
GONADS

D - REGRESSION/REGENERATION

BLOOD RESIDUE IN
TISSUES

FLABBY GONADS

MILT RESIDUALS



E - OMITTED SPAWNING

NOT DETERMINABLE BY THE EYE

F - ABNORMAL

NECROSIS, SCLEROSIS
OR INTERSEX

