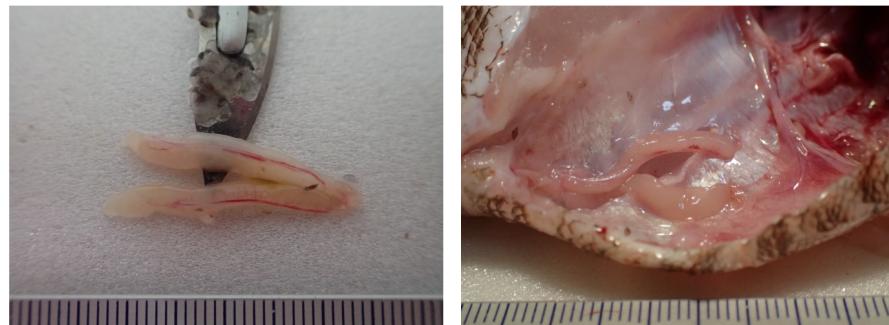


**Red lionfish / *Pterois volitans*****A - IMMATURE**TRANSPARENT TO  
TRANSLUCID GONADS**B - DEVELOPING**OPAQUE GONADS IN  
TWISTED SHAPENON-FLOWING  
GONADS**C - SPAWNING**

FLOWING GONADS

OPAQUE AND  
WHITISH GONADS**D - REGRESSION/REGENERATION**BLOOD RESIDUE IN  
TISSUES

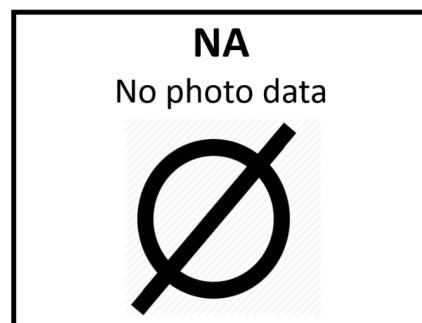
FLABBY GONADS

MILT RESIDUALS



**Red lionfish / *Pterois volitans*****E - OMITTED SPAWNING**

UNDETERMINABLE WITH THE NAKED EYE

**F - ABNORMAL**NECROSIS,  
SCLEROSIS OR  
INTERSEX

Picture	Sex	Species	First maturity size
	♂	<i>Pterois volitans</i>	NA

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