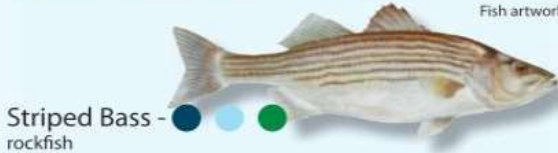


# Maryland Fish

● Coastal Bays & Atlantic Ocean ● Freshwater ● Chesapeake Bay

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**Striped Bass -** ● ● ●  
rockfish  
See pages 8, 36, 37 & 42 for size, creel and season regulations  
Angler Award Freshwater Award Size 36"  
Angler Award Chesapeake & Coast Size 40"



**Black Drum -** ● ● ●  
16" minimum, creel limit 1  
Angler Award Size 48"



**Black Sea Bass -** ● ● ●  
Check website for updates  
Angler Award Size 20"



**Chain Pickerel -** ● ● ●  
14" minimum, creel limit 5 (inland); 10 (tidal)  
Angler Award Size 24"



**Bluefish -** ● ● ●  
8" minimum, creel limit 10  
Angler Award Size 34"



**American Eel -** ● ● ●  
6" Minimum Creel limit 25



**Channel Catfish -** ● ● ●  
10" minimum  
Angler Award Size 30"



**Croaker -** ● ● ●  
hardhead  
9" minimum, creel limit 25  
Angler Award Size 18"



**Flounder (Fluke) -** ● ● ●  
Check website for updates  
Angler Award Size 24"



**Red Drum -** ● ● ●  
channel bass  
18" minimum & 27" max slot limit, creel limit 1  
Angler Award Any Size ONLY Catch & Release



**Tautog -** ● ● ●  
Check website for updates.  
Angler Award Size 24"



**Scup -** ● ● ●  
porgy  
8" minimum, creel limit 50



**Weakfish -** ● ● ●  
13" minimum, creel limit 1  
Angler Award Size 24"



**Spanish Mackerel -** ● ● ●  
14" minimum, creel limit 15  
Angler Award Size 22"



**White Perch -** ● ● ●  
No minimum size or limit if caught hook & line; 8" minimum if caught with other gear  
Angler Award Size 13"



**Yellow Perch -** ● ● ●  
9" minimum, creel 10 (tidal); no minimum size or creel in nontidal lakes except creel of 10 in Deep Ck. Lake.  
Angler Award Size 14"



**Spotted Seatrout -** ● ● ●  
14" minimum, creel 10  
Angler Award Size 24"