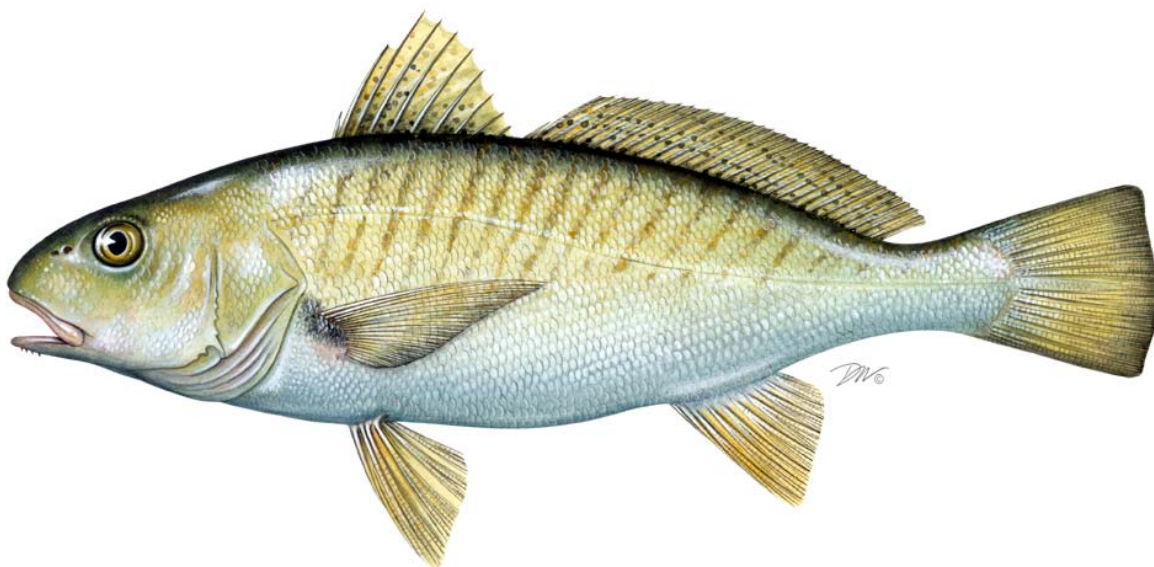


**2008 REVIEW OF THE
ATLANTIC STATES MARINE FISHERIES COMMISSION
FISHERY MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR**

**ATLANTIC CROAKER
(*Micropogonias undulatus*)**

2007 FISHING YEAR



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XI. Tables

Table 1. Summary of state regulations for Atlantic croaker in 2007*

State	Recreational	Commercial
New Jersey	none	otter/beam trawl mesh restriction for directed croaker harvest (>100 lbs in possession)
Delaware	8" minimum; license required for recreational gill nets (up to 200 ft.)	8" minimum
Maryland	9" min, 25 fish/day.	9" minimum; open 3/16 to 12/31
PRFC	25 fish/day	pound net season: 2/25 to 12/15
Virginia	none	none
North Carolina	license required for recreational use of commercial gears; license required for 3+ special devices in inland waters	license required for 3+ special devices in inland waters
South Carolina	mandatory for-hire logbooks	no commercial fishery
Georgia	8" min, 25 fish/day	8" minimum; 25 fish/day limit except for commercial shrimp trawlers
Florida	none	none

* A commercial fishing license is required to sell croaker in all states with fisheries. For all states, general gear restrictions affect commercial croaker harvest.