Table 4. 2009 Scup recreational management measures by state.

State	Minimum Size	Possession Limit Open Season		
Massachusetts For Hire	11"	45 fish from May 15 to June 28; 10 fish from June 29 to September 17	May 15- September 17	
Private Angler	10.5"	10 fish; private vessels with two or more persons aboard are prohibited from possessing more than 20 scup per day	May 24-September 26	
Rhode Island For Hire	11"	10 fish June 12 to August 31; 45 fish September 1 to October 15	June 12-October 15	
Private Angler	10.5"	10 fish	May 24-September 26	
Connecticut For Hire	11"	10 fish June 12 to August 31; 45 fish September 1 to October 15	June 12-October 15	
Private Angler	10.5"	10 fish	May 24-September 26	
New York For Hire	11"	10 fish June 12 to August 31; 45 fish September 1 to October 15	June 12-October 15	
Private Angler	10.5"	10 fish	May 24-September 26	
New Jersey	9"	50 fish	Jan 1-Feb 28 and July 1 – December 31	
Delaware	8"	50 fish	All Year	
Maryland	8"	50 fish	All Year	
Virginia	8"	50 fish	All Year	
North Carolina	8"	50 fish	All Year	

Table 5. 2010 State Scup Recreational Measures

State	Minimum Size	Possession Limit	Open Season	
Massachusetts For Hire	11"	40 fish from May 15 to June 18; 10 fish from June 19 to September 17	May 15- September 17	
Private Angler	10.5"	10 fish; private vessels with five or more persons aboard are prohibited from possessing more than 50 scup per day	May 24-September 26	
Rhode Island For Hire	11"	10 fish June 8 to September 6; 40 fish September 7 to October 11	June 8-October 11	
Private Angler	10.5"	10 fish	May 24-September 26	
Connecticut For Hire	11"	10 fish June 8 to September 6; 40 fish September 7 to October 11	June 8-October 11	
Private Angler	10.5"	10 fish	May 24-September 26	
New York For Hire	11"	10 fish June 8 to September 6; 40 fish September 7 to October 11	June 8-October 11	
Private Angler	10.5"	10 fish	May 24-September 26	
New Jersey	9"	50 fish	Jan 1-Feb 28 and July 1 – December 31	
Delaware	8"	50 fish	All Year	
Maryland	8"	50 fish	All Year	
Virginia	8"	50 fish All Ye		

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North Carolina	8	50 fish	All Year	

Table 6. Scup Landings by period.

	Commercial		Landings	Date	% of Quota
Period	Quota	Trip Limits	(lbs)	Closed	Landed
Winter I	1,143,160	12,000/1,000	1,249,067	1-Apr	109.3
Summer	987,055		1,336,232	28-Jun	135.4
Winter II	403,945	4,000	737,534	26-Nov	182.6
Winter I	1,037,253	10,000/1,000	1,366,591		131.8
Summer	637,878		1,221,189	1-Aug	191.4
Winter II	70,356	4,000	34,939	3-Nov	49.7
Winter I	1,675,621	10,000/1,000	1,605,975	1-Mar	95.8
Summer	1,147,861		1,669,350	1-Jun	145.4
Winter II	708,469	2,000	777,790	20-Nov	94.7
Winter I	3,517,300	10,000/1,000	3,063,836		87.1
Summer	2,556,595		1,223,202		47.8
Winter II	1,179,502	2,000	1,135,769	2-Dec	96.3
Winter I	5,602,495	15,000/1,000	3,752,176		66.9
Summer	4,521,879		4,407,785		97.5
Winter II	1,979,689	1,500	1,592,624		80.4
Winter I	5,568,920	15,000/1,000	3,587,841		65.5
Summer	4,808,455		4,055,207		84.5
Winter II	1,967,825	1,500	1,407,733 ^f		82.2
Winter I	5,518,367	15,000/1,000	3,684,768		66.8
Summer	4,764,806		4,001,662		89.5
Winter II	1,987,718	1,500	1,380,444		74.6
Winter I	3,554,991	30,000/1,000	3,626,237		102
Summer			3,219,929		69.3
Winter II	3,729,581	2.000/1.000	2,115,323		56.7
Winter I	4,012,895	30,000/1,000	3,400,934		84.8
Summer	3,464,914		4,254,987	21-Sep	122.8
Winter II	1,417,991	2,000/1,000	1,590,747		112.2
Winter I	2,291,699	30,000/1,000	2,356,716		102.8
Summer	1,437,558		1,935,074	16-Jul	134.6
					94.8
		30,000/1,000			99.9
					104.8
					101.7
		30,000/1,000	4,735,785		95.4
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