

FLORIDA KEYS SALTWATER SPORT FISH

SPECIES	SIZE	HABITAT	SEASON	TACKLE*
Amberjack	30-75 lbs.	reef, wreck, humps	March-May	20-80#
Barracuda	7-35 lbs.	all areas	year round	fly, spin, baitcast
Bonefish	5-16 lbs.	flats	May-Oct.	fly, spin, baitcast
Cobia	15-80 lbs.	reef, wreck, bay	NovApril	fly, spin, baitcast
Dolphin (Mahi-Mahi)	5-65 lbs.	blue water	April-Oct.	fly, spin, baitcast
Grouper (multiple species)	10-500 lbs.	reef, wreck	May-Dec.	spin, 20-50#
Cero Mackerel	3-10 lbs.	reef, wreck	NovApril	fly, spin, baitcast
King Mackerel	8-70 lbs.	reef, wreck	OctApril	spin, 12-30#
Spanish Mackerel	3-7 lbs.	bay, bridge, reef	NovMarch	fly, spin, baitcast
Blue Marlin	80-600 lbs.	blue water	May-Oct.	50-80#
White Marlin	30-125 lbs.	blue water	April-Sept.	12-30#
Permit	8-40 lbs.	flats, wreck	March-Nov.	fly, spin, baitcast
Redfish	3-20 lbs.	backcountry	year round	fly, spin, baitcast
Sailfish	30-80 lbs.	reef edge, blue water	NovMay	fly, spin, 12-20#
Shark (multiple species)	10-600 lbs.	all areas	year round	fly, spin, baitcast, 30-80#
Snapper (Mangrove)	1-6 lbs.	bridges, bay and reef	year round	spin
Snapper (Mutton)	5-20 lbs.	flats and reef	April-Sept.	fly, spin, baitcast
Snapper (Yellowtail)	2-6 lbs.	reef	year round	spin
Snook	6-35 lbs.	backcountry	March-Nov.	fly, spin, baitcast
Swordfish	70-700 lbs.	blue water	year round	50-130#
Tarpon	25-150 lbs.	bridges, flats, bay	March-Aug.	fly, spin, baitcast
Tuna (Blackfin)	5-38 lbs.	blue water, off- shore humps	year round	fly, spin, 20-30#
Wahoo	15-80 lbs.	blue water	NovJune	spin, 30#