



2024 New Jersey Recreational Fishing Seasons Summary Chart

Fish and Wildlife	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	
Black Sea Bass						10 Fish at 12.5" May 17-June 19		1 Fish at 12.5" July 1- Aug 31		10 Fish at 12.5", Oct 1- Oct 31	15 Fish at 12.5" Nov 1-Dec 31		
Bluefish	3 Fish Private/Shore Anglers, 5 Fish For-Hire Vessels, No Minimum Size, No Closed Season												
Scup (Porgy)	30 Fish at 10", Jan 1-Jun 30								30 Fish at 10", Sept 1-Dec 31				
Striped Bass Atlantic Ocean (State Waters)	1 Fish at 28" to 31", No Closed Season												
Striped Bass Del River & Tributaries			1 Fish at 28"- 31" Mar 1-Mar 31			1 Fish at 28" to 31", June 1-Dec 31							
Striped Bass All Other Marine Waters			1 Fish at 28" to 31", March 1-Dec 31										
Summer Flounder All Marine Waters Except Those Noted below					3 Fish at 18", May 4-Sept 25								
Summer Flounder Delaware Bay					3 Fish at 17", May 4-Sept 25								
Summer Flounder IBSP					2 Fish at 16", May 4-Sept 25								
Tautog (Blackfish)	4 Fish at 15" Jan 1-Feb 28			4 Fish at 15", Apr 1- Apr 30				1 Fish at 15", Aug 1-Nov 15				5 Fish at 15" Nov 16-Dec 31	
Weakfish	1 Fish at 13", No Closed Season												
Winter Flounder			2 Fish at 12", March 1-Dec 31										
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