



**NOAA
FISHERIES**

Many Ways Fishermen, Seafood Dealers, and the Public Can Stay Informed

For commercial fishermen:

- [Fish OnLine](#) - a password protected website for all vessel permit holders to access vessel data and regulatory information. You will need a user ID, which is your permit number, and a vessel PIN number, or password. To obtain a PIN, please call 978-281-9133.
- [NOAA Navigator](#) - a bi-monthly insert in *Commercial Fisheries News*.
- **Vessel Monitoring Systems** – urgent regulatory notices may be transmitted via satellite to VMS-equipped vessels.
- **U.S. Coast Guard radio** – for messages, tune to Channel 16 on the VHF and to Channel 2182 on the High Seas Radio.
- [Fishery Bulletins](#) – information about specific regulatory changes.
- [Fishery Information Sheets](#) – information about each managed fishery.
- **Our email address for industry questions** - nmfs.gar.feedback@noaa.gov

For recreational fishermen:

- [Recreational fishing website](#) – information about recreational fishing and permitting.

For seafood dealers:

- [SAFIS dealer reporting system](#) – information posted for seafood dealers on the SAFIS message of the day.

For the general public:

- [Constituent emails](#) – receive emails on specific topics that interest you.
- [GARFO website](#) – information on a variety of marine regulatory, scientific and educational topics.
- Our [email address](#) for general questions – send your questions to us via email.
- Our [public events calendar](#) – a listing of outreach and educational events open to the public.
- [NOAA Fisheries' Greater Atlantic regional field staff](#) – we have many Port Agents and other field staff in ports from Maine to North Carolina.
- Facebook – @NOAAFisheriesNEMA
- Twitter and tweet chats – @NOAAFish_GARFO
- Instagram - @noaafisheries

Understanding and participating in the fishery management process

- [Fishery Management Handbook](#) – guide to the fishery management process and how you can participate.

For more information on any of these options, please visit our website at www.greateratlantic.fisheries.noaa.gov. You may also contact our Fisheries Outreach Coordinator Olivia Rugo at 978-675-2167 or email her at Olivia.Rugo@noaa.gov