

Table 1. List of the 15 SBRM species groups (in bold), with species group abbreviations in parentheses, and the individual species comprising these groups, corresponding to the 13 federal fishery management plans in the Northeast region.

ATLANTIC SALMON (SAL)
BLUEFISH (BLUE)
FLUKE - SCUP - BLACK SEA BASS (FSB)
Black Sea Bass
Fluke
Scup
HERRING, ATLANTIC (HERR)
LARGE MESH GROUND FISH (GFL)
American Plaice
Atlantic Cod
Atlantic Halibut
Atlantic Wolffish ²
Haddock
Ocean Pout
Pollock
Redfish
White Hake
Windowpane Flounder
Winter Flounder
Witch Flounder
Yellowtail Flounder
MONKFISH (MONK)
RED CRAB (RCRAB)

SEA SCALLOP (SCAL)
SKATE COMPLEX¹ (SKATE)
SMALL MESH GROUND FISH (GFS)
Offshore Hake
Red Hake
Silver Hake
SPINY DOGFISH (DOG)
SQUID - BUTTERFISH – MACKEREL (SBM)
Atlantic Mackerel
Butterfish
Illex Squid
Loligo Squid
SURFLAM - OCEAN QUAHOG (SCOQ)
TILEFISH (TILE)
SEA TURTLES (TURS)
Green Turtle
Hawksbill Turtle ³
Kemp's Ridley Turtle
Leatherback Turtle
Loggerhead Turtle
Olive Ridley Turtle ³
Turtles, unk. ^{3,4}
Turtles, unk hard-shell ⁵

¹ Skate Complex is composed of seven species (barndoor skate, clearnose skate, little skate, rosette skate, smooth skate, thorny skate, and winter skate); individual species are not summarized separately.

² Atlantic wolffish is a species that was added to the Northeast Multispecies FMP when Amendment 16 was implemented on May 1, 2010. In SBRM 2009, wolffish was not part of the large mesh groundfish species group.

³ A sea turtle species that was not observed in NEFOP data from July 2007 through June 2010 and do not appear in the tables of individual species or contribute to the sea turtle species group.

⁴ Turtle, unk. is an unknown species of any sea turtle.

⁵ Turtle, unk hard-shell is an unknown species of sea turtles other than a leatherback turtle.