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MARINE FISHES AND OTHER VERTEBRATES



'Ahi

Minimum size 3 pounds (sale)

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Āholehole

Minimum size 5 inches

[HAR 13-95](#)



'Ama'ama (striped mullet)

Closed season December - March

Minimum size 11 inches ([see measurement guide](#))

[HAR 13-95](#), [HRS 188-44](#)



Awa

Minimum size 9 inches

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Moi

Closed season June - August

Minimum size 11 inches

Bag limit 15

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'Ō'io

Minimum size 14 inches

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Uhu (all species, except as noted below)

Minimum size 10 inches

Bag limit 2 total all species

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Uhu 'ele'ele

No take on Maui

Minimum size 14 inches

Bag limit 2 total all species

Commercial fishers may take and sell more than 2 ulu 'ele'ele with a [permit](#)

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[How to identify regulated large uhu species \(pdf\)](#)



Uhu uliuli

No take on Maui

Minimum size 14 inches

Bag limit 2 total all species

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[How to identify regulated large uhu species \(pdf\)](#)



Uhu pālūkāluka

Minimum size 14 inches

Bag limit 2 (total all species)

Commercial fishers may take and sell more than 2 uhu pālūkāluka with a [permit](#)

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Uhu 'ahu'ula

Minimum size 14 inches

Bag limit 2 (total all species)

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Uluā and pāpio

Minimum size 10 inches

Minimum size 16 inches for sale

Bag limit 20 (total all species, non-commercial only)

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Kūmū

Minimum size 10 inches (statewide **except Maui**)

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Minimum size 12 inches (**Maui rules**)

Bag limit 1 (**Maui rules**)

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Moano

Minimum size 7 inches (statewide **except Maui**)



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Minimum size 8 inches (**Maui rules**)
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Moano kea (Maui rules)
Minimum size 12 inches
Bag limit 2
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Munu (Maui rules)
Minimum size 8 inches
Bag limit 2
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Weke and 'oama (statewide except Maui)
Minimum size 7 inches (sale)
Bag limit 50 'oama ('oama are weke under 7 inches)
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Weke 'ā, weke 'ula, and 'oama (Maui rules)
Minimum size 8 inches
Bag limit 50 'oama ('oama are weke under 8 inches)
'Oama may be taken by hook-and-line only
[HAR 13-95.1](#)



Weke nono (Maui rules)
Minimum size 12 inches
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All other goatfishes (Maui rules)
Minimum size 8 inches
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Kala
Minimum size 14 inches
Bag limit 4
Commercial fishers may take and sell more than 4 kala per day with a [permit](#)
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Kala 'ōpelu
Minimum size 16 inches
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Kole

Minimum size 5 inches

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Manini

Minimum size 6 inches

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'Ula'ula koa'e (onaga)

Minimum size 1 pound (sale)

Bag limit 5 (total all [Deep 7](#) species, applies to non-commercial fishing only)

See additional [bottomfishing information](#)

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'Opakapaka

Minimum size 1 pound (sale)

Bag limit 5 (total all [Deep 7](#) species, applies to non-commercial fishing only)

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'Ula'ula (ehu)

Bag limit 5 (total all [Deep 7](#) species, applies to non-commercial fishing only)

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Kalekale

Bag limit 5 (total all [Deep 7](#) species, applies to non-commercial fishing only)

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Lehi

Bag limit 5 (total all [Deep 7](#) species, applies to non-commercial fishing only)

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'Ukikiki (gindai)
Bag limit 5 (total all [Deep 7](#) species, applies to non-commercial fishing only)
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Hāpu'u
Bag limit 5 (total all [Deep 7](#) species, applies to non-commercial fishing only)
See additional [bottomfishing information](#)
[HAR 13-95](#), [HAR 13-94](#)



Uku
Minimum size 1 pound (spearing and sale)
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Akule and halalū
Unlawful to take akule under 8-1/2 inches with net July through October, or possess or sell more than 200 pounds of akule under 8-1/2 inches per day from July through October
See additional akule net rules
[HAR 13-95](#)



'Ōpelu
No minimum mesh size;
Unlawful to use animal bait except with hook-and-line in waters of South Kona between Kiilae-Keokea and Kapua-Kaulanamauna boundaries
[HAR 13-95](#)



Nehu
Bag limit one gallon (home consumption);
Nets over 50 feet for commercial use only;
Bait license required for commercial use;
Unlawful to sell or trade dried or cured nehu
[HAR 13-95](#), [HAR 13-90](#), [HRS 188-45](#)



'Iao
Commercial use only, bait license required;
Unlawful to sell or trade dried or cured 'iao
[HAR 13-95](#), [HRS 188-45](#)

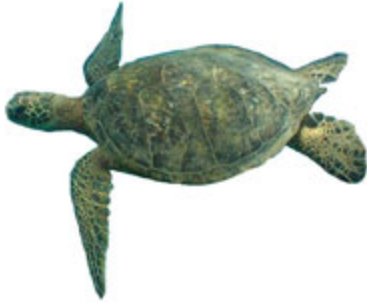


Mano (shark) and **hīhīmau** (ray)

Unlawful to intentionally or knowingly capture or entangle any shark or ray, whether alive or dead, or kill any shark or ray in state marine waters.

[HRS 188-39.5](#), [HRS 188-40.8](#)

OTHER REGULATED MARINE VERTEBRATES



Honu (Sea turtles)

No open season

Federal laws also apply to these endangered and threatened species

[HRS 195D-4](#)



ʻĪlioḥoloikauaua (Hawaiian monk seal)

Unlawful to molest, kill, capture, or possess at any time;

Federal laws also apply to these endangered species

[HRS 195D-4](#)