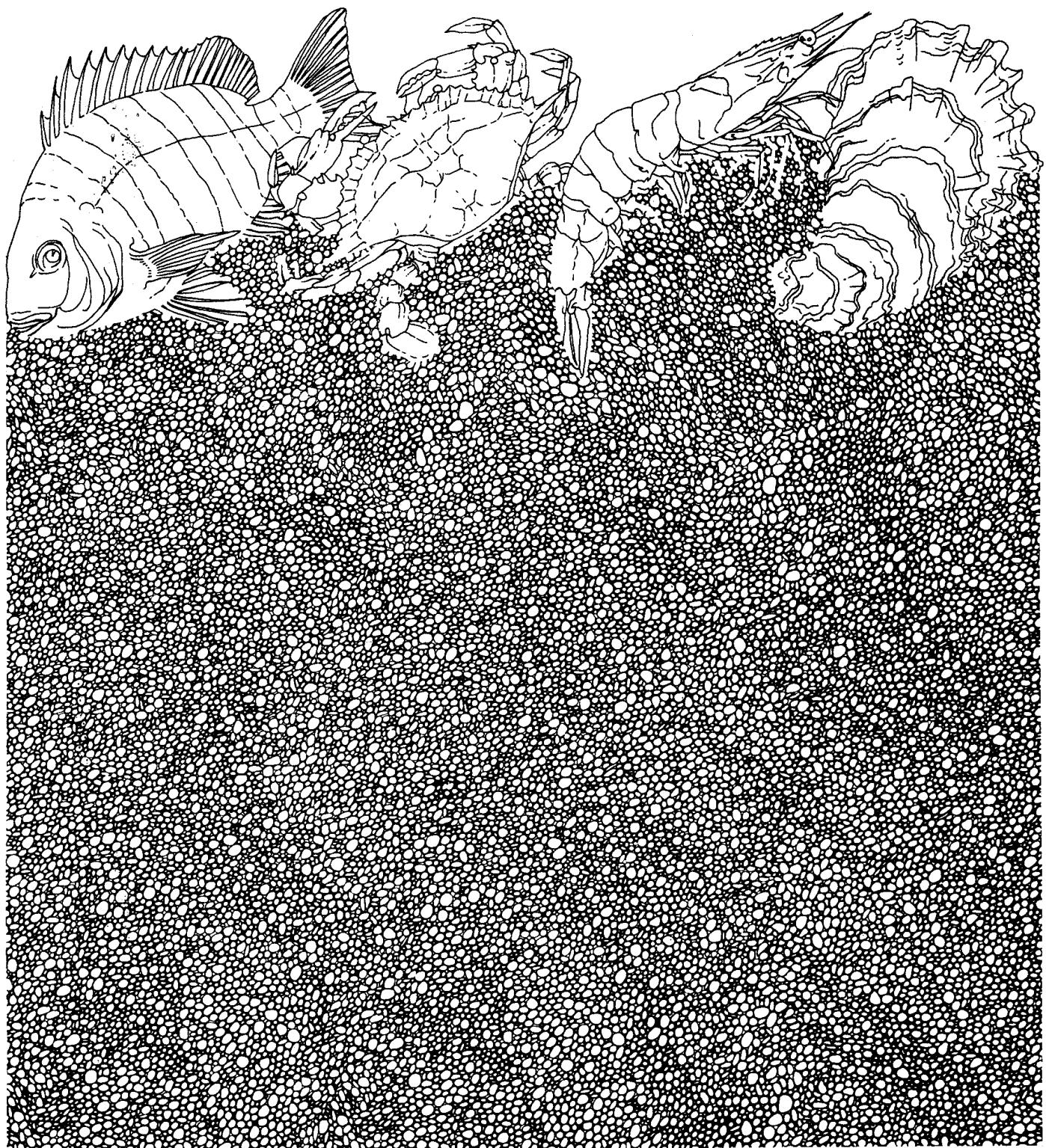


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ABSTRACT

Bag seine samples were collected periodically in Texas bays during May 1961-May 1976. Catch rates of red drum (Sciaenops ocellatus), black drum (Pogonias cromis), spotted seatrout (Cynoscion nebulosus), southern flounder (Paralichthys lethostigma) and sheepshead (Archosargus probatocephalus) were compiled and recalculated as monthly and annual no./ha. Seasonal fluctuations in the catch rates of all species are similar to those presented in the published literature. These bag seine catch rate data can be used by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department to enhance the post October 1977 bag seine data base.

INTRODUCTION

Bag seines are used by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department (TPWD) to assess recruitment of and relative abundance of crustaceans and finfish (Crowe et al. 1986, Hammerschmidt and McEachron 1986). Estimation of recruitment is essential to understanding relationships between spawning and subsequent adult abundance. When used in conjunction with standardized gears that sample relative abundance of adult fish, bag seines provide managers a tool for estimating spawner-recruit relationships. Bag seines can be used to document effects of catastrophic events and management regulations on populations and can provide long term trend data needed to make fishery management recommendations. Bag seines were first used for obtaining information on select adult, sub-adult and juvenile finfish populations by the TPWD in May 1961 in upper Laguna Madre (TPWD 1961). Bag seine sampling began in Galveston Bay, San Antonio Bay, Aransas Bay, Corpus Christi Bay and lower Laguna Madre in February 1962 (TPWD 1962) and in Matagorda Bay in January 1963 (TPWD 1963). Bag seine sampling continued in all bay systems through May 1969 (TPWD 1964, 1965, 1966, 1967, 1968, 1969). Bag seine samples were collected in Corpus Christi Bay, upper Laguna Madre and lower Laguna Madre during June 1969-December 1972 (TPWD 1969, 1970, 1971, 1972) and in all bay systems (TPWD unpublished data) during April and May 1976.

During May 1961-September 1977 each area biologist established and conducted his own bag seine sampling regime based on the size and accessibility of his bay system and logistical constraints. As a result, bag seine sample procedures varied among bay systems. In October 1977 bag seine sampling was standardized so that the same procedures were used in seven bay systems (Matlock and Weaver 1979).

This study was conducted to enhance historical trend data on recruitment and relative abundance of juvenile finfish by reporting bag seine data collected prior to October 1977 in the same format as bag seine data collected after October 1977.

MATERIALS AND METHODS

The TPWD initiated bag seine sampling in May 1961 that continued on an intermittent basis through May 1976. Bag seines (8.3 m long; 1.8 m deep with 1.9-cm stretched nylon multifilament mesh in the 1.8 m wide central bag and lateral wings) were pulled parallel to shore for a predetermined distance (TPWD 1972). The area sampled was estimated using the distance pulled and the length of extension of the seine (Hegen 1981). Bag seines used during 1961-1963 had a center bag 1.1 m wide and 2.1 m deep (TPWD 1961, 1962 and 1963). All red drum (Sciaenops ocellatus), black drum (Pogonias cromis), spotted seatrout (Cynoscion nebulosus), southern flounder (Paralichthys lethostigma) and sheepshead (Archosargus probatocephalus) were identified and counted (King, unpublished). No more than 20 individuals of each species were measured (nearest 1 mm TL).

Most of the data in this report was compiled by B. D. King in 1973. Files at each coastal fisheries field stations were searched for bag seine data collected prior to 1973. Data were sorted and organized

chronologically by bay system. Data not duplicated in King's (Unpublished) report were added to the table. Additional bag seine information was obtained from TPWD project reports. Some data sets are incomplete because original data were lost when Hurricane Buelah destroyed the Arroyo Colorado field station in 1967 (TPWD 1968), when Hurricane Celia destroyed the Flour Bluff field station in 1970 (TPWD 1970) and when fire destroyed the Palacios field station in 1972 (TPWD 1974).

Original monthly catch rates of red drum, black drum, spotted seatrout, southern flounder and sheepshead were calculated as no./acre. For comparison with current TPWD data sets, acres sampled were converted to hectares (acre X 0.04047 - ha). Monthly catch rates were recalculated as no./ha by dividing the total number of fishes caught by the total number of hectares sampled each month. Coastwide catch rates were weighted using procedures described in Crowe et al. (1986). Coastwide monthly catch rates were calculated for only those months for which there was a data set from each bay system. Annual catch rates were calculated by dividing the total number of fishes caught by the total number of hectares sampled each year. Annual bay system catch rates were calculated only for those years for which a 12 month data set existed (1963-1972). Coastwide annual catch rates were not calculated because it was not possible to calculate annual catch rates for San Antonio Bay and the lower Laguna Madre.

RESULTS

Monthly red drum catch rates were highest (1,250/ha) in the upper Laguna Madre in February 1962 (Table 1). Catch rates in all other months ranged from 0-420/ha.

Monthly black drum catch rates were highest (4,618/ha) in Galveston Bay in May 1963 (Table 1). Catch rates in all other months ranged from 0-3,738/ha.

Monthly spotted seatrout catch rates were highest (414/ha) in San Antonio Bay in June 1962 (Table 1). Catch rates in all other months ranged from 0-142/ha.

Monthly southern flounder catch rates were highest (260/ha) in Galveston Bay in August 1962. Catch rates in all other months ranged from 0-142/ha.

Monthly sheepshead catch rates were highest (63/ha) in San Antonio Bay in July 1968 (Table 1). Catch rates in all other months ranged from 0-45/ha.

The highest annual catch rate of red drum (60/ha), black drum (49/ha), spotted seatrout (30/ha) and sheepshead (63/ha) occurred in Galveston Bay in 1968, 1965, 1963 and 1968, respectively (Table 2). Annual southern flounder catch rates were highest (30/ha) in Matagorda Bay in 1963 (Table 2).

DISCUSSION

Bag seine data collected during May 1961-May 1976 can be used to enhance historical trend data of juvenile finfishes. The larger data base would improve future spawner recruit models and would enhance fishery management decisions. These data should be used with caution because there was no standardized procedure of bag seine sampling. However, these data should be relatively comparable to post October 1977 data.

Fishery management decisions hinge on the ability of the manager to assess the effects of environmental and/or catastrophic events on both population levels and reproductive success of the targeted finfish species. Long term trend information documenting changes in relative abundance is of major importance when assessing stocks.

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Table 1. Monthly mean catch rate (no./ha) and total number of red drum, black drum, spotted seatrout, southern flounder and sheepshead caught with bag seines, by bay system, during 1961-1977. ND = no data.

Species	Month	Bay system						
		Galveston no./ha.	Matagorda no./ha.	San Antonio no./ha.	Aransas no./ha.	Christi no./ha.	Madre no./ha.	Lower Laguna no./ha.
Red drum								
May	1961	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Jun		ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND
Jul		ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND
Aug		ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND
Sep		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	ND
Oct		ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND
Nov		ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND
Dec		ND	ND	0	ND	0	0	ND
Jan	1962	ND	0	0	ND	0	0	ND
Feb		46	13	0	25	4	55	1250
Mar		54	15	0	80	16	174	50
Apr		131	21	0	14	3	76	25
May		36	4	0	25	4	6	2
Jun		11	2	0	8	1	ND	0
Jul		ND	ND	0	0	0	0	0
Aug		ND	ND	0	0	0	0	0
Sep		ND	ND	0	0	12	2	0
Oct		ND	ND	0	0	7	2	0
Nov		ND	ND	0	0	1	0	ND
Dec		ND	ND	0	0	3	0	ND

Table 1. (Cont'd.)

Species	Month	Bay system						Lower Laguna no./ha.	Madre no./ha.	Coastwide no./ha. no.
		Galveston no./ha.	Matagorda no./ha.	San Antonio no./ha.	Aransas no./ha.	Christi no./ha.	Madre no./ha.			
Red drum (Cont'd.)										
Jan	1963	ND	3	1	ND	0	0	ND	ND	ND
Feb		4	4	1	ND	4	5	0	0	ND
Mar	7	1	16	3	0	0	4	2	1	5
Apr	43	6	5	1	ND	0	148	83	ND	ND
May	0	0	5	1	ND	0	0	0	0	ND
Jun	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	ND
Jul	0	0	0	0	7	1	0	0	0	1
Aug	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sep	0	0	9	3	ND	0	0	0	0	ND
Oct	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND
Nov	25	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dec	56	5	0	0	ND	0	0	ND	ND	ND
Jan	1964	ND	ND	0	0	ND	0	ND	ND	ND
Feb		10	3	ND	0	ND	19	4	ND	ND
Mar	68	32	ND	ND	ND	ND	22	8	ND	ND
Apr	57	25	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
May	11	5	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Jun	7	3	ND	ND	ND	ND	5	2	ND	ND
Jul	2	1	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	ND	ND
Aug	2	1	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	ND	ND
Sep	0	0	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	ND	ND
Oct	0	0	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	ND	ND
Nov	89	34	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	ND	ND
Dec		4	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	ND	ND

Table 1. (Cont'd.)

Species	Month	Bay system									
		Galveston			Matagorda			San Antonio			Aransas
		no./ha	no.	no./ha	no.	no./ha	no.	no./ha	no.	no./ha	no.
Red drum (Cont'd.)											
Jan 1965	6	2	ND	ND	ND	ND	8	1	ND	ND	ND
Feb	8	3	119	50	ND	49	17	59	0	54	50
Mar	24	11	41	16	ND	10	4	20	15	34	19
Apr	53	21	30	12	ND	10	4	0	0	40	44
May	7	4	25	10	ND	18	7	3	2	33	29
Jun	4	2	100	11	ND	4	1	ND	ND	27	14
Jul	0	0	0	0	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Aug	0	0	2	1	ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND	ND
Sep	5	2	3	1	ND	3	1	0	0	0	0
Oct	5	2	10	4	ND	0	0	0	ND	0	ND
Nov	14	5	4	1	ND	0	0	0	ND	0	ND
Dec	60	24	ND	0	0	54	19	0	0	3	2
Jan 1966	29	4	21	7	0	8	4	0	0	99	85
Feb	27	12	18	7	0	ND	28	12	ND	143	77
Mar	53	21	24	8	0	31	11	21	9	20	342
Apr	144	65	12	5	ND	0	0	25	17	15	245
May	43	17	15	6	ND	ND	2	1	8	3	54
Jun	56	25	28	11	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Jul	2	1	0	0	ND	0	0	ND	ND	ND	ND
Aug	2	1	0	0	ND	0	0	5	3	0	ND
Sep	0	0	5	2	ND	0	0	ND	2	1	0
Oct	0	0	3	1	ND	0	0	ND	0	0	ND
Nov	0	0	0	0	ND	0	0	ND	0	0	ND
Dec	6	1	3	1	ND	0	0	ND	0	0	0

Table 1. (Cont'd.)

Species	Month	Bay system											
		Galveston			Matagorda			San Antonio			Aransas		
		no./ha	no.	no./ha	no.	no./ha	no.	no./ha	no.	no./ha	no.	no./ha	no.
Red drum (Cont'd.)													
Jan	1967	0	0	3	1	ND	ND	ND	1	1	1	32	47
Feb		5	2	0	0	ND	ND	ND	6	3	61	46	ND
Mar	24	11	87	39	ND	71	27	24	26	17	13	31	63
Apr	13	6	10	51	ND	40	17	16	14	11	8	290	58
May	36	16	10	5	ND	17	7	2	2	10	7	155	31
Jun	4	2	15	10	0	3	1	0	0	ND	ND	ND	ND
Jul	8	4	4	3	ND	5	2	0	0	ND	ND	ND	ND
Aug		4	2	0	0	ND	0	0	0	0	2	1	ND
Sep	0	0	2	1	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND	ND	ND
Oct	51	26	0	0	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	0	ND	ND
Nov	0	0	40	16	ND	7	3	0	0	0	0	141	90
Dec	15	7	159	46	ND	ND	60	59	45	25	2	1	ND
Jan	1968	41	21	136	38	19	7	88	37	28	41	25	261
Feb		60	18	190	76	74	42	71	30	46	45	145	162
Mar	38	21	24	8	0	0	45	19	122	120	211	97	93
Apr	53	29	28	13	ND	171	72	70	69	80	32	212	178
May	39	22	32	14	0	0	42	16	26	25	71	30	93
Jun	9	5	11	5	62	10	38	16	17	11	4	33	24
Jul	13	8	36	15	16	3	5	2	11	11	4	23	16
Aug	0	0	30	13	17	4	2	6	6	0	0	14	11
Sep	0	0	0	0	0	7	1	0	4	4	0	6	5
Oct		0	0	5	2	4	2	4	4	4	17	6	13
Nov	45	25	3	1	ND	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	9
Dec	420	235	43	9	3	1	0	0	3	3	0	1	1

Table 1. (Cont'd.)

Species Month	Bay system										Coastwide no./ha no.
	Galveston			Matagorda			San Antonio			Aransas	
	no./ha	no.	no.	no./ha	no.	no.	no./ha	no.	no.	no./ha	
Red drum (Cont'd.)											
Jan 1969	16	9	59	20	ND	ND	13	6	6	52	21
Feb	38	21	124	52	ND	ND	33	15	10	22	9
Mar	18	9	131	38	ND	ND	30	14	22	10	4
Apr	32	18	150	6	ND	ND	28	13	4	0	0
May	14	8	0	0	ND	ND	ND	4	4	6	2
Jun	ND	0	0	ND	ND	ND	ND	12	1	6	1
Jul	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Aug	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Sep	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Oct	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND	38	22
Nov	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	1	1	ND	35	21
Dec	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	2	2	ND	ND	ND
Jan 1970	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	44	16	68
Feb	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	2	2	ND	24	16
Mar	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	55	54	53	17	26
Apr	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	4	4	33	8	9
May	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	12	12	ND	ND	11
Jun	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	1	1	0	ND	ND
Jul	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	3	1	ND
Aug	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	ND	ND
Sep	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	ND	ND
Oct	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	ND	ND
Nov	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	ND	ND
Dec	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	ND	ND

Table 1. (Cont'd.)

Species	Month	Bay system									
		Galveston no./ha.	Matagorda no./ha.	San Antonio no./ha.	Aransas no./ha.	Corpus Christi no./ha.	Madre no./ha.	Upper Laguna no./ha.	Lower Laguna no./ha.	Madre no./ha.	Coastwide no./ha. no.
Red drum (Cont'd.)	Jan 1971	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	0	ND
	Feb	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	2	1	ND	ND
	Mar	ND	ND	ND	ND	2	2	19	7	ND	ND
	Apr	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	12	4	ND	ND
	May	ND	ND	ND	ND	1	1	7	2	ND	ND
	Jun	ND	ND	ND	ND	2	2	0	0	ND	ND
	Jul	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	4	1	ND	ND
	Aug	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	ND	ND
	Sep	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND	0	0	ND
	Oct	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	0	ND
	Nov	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	3	ND
	Dec	ND	ND	ND	ND	38	33	19	3	57	ND
Red drum (Cont'd.)	Jan 1972	ND	ND	ND	ND	25	22	100	36	126	93
	Feb	ND	ND	ND	ND	14	12	50	8	120	79
	Mar	ND	ND	ND	ND	23	20	53	19	85	67
	Apr	ND	ND	ND	ND	20	17	38	12	19	12
	May	ND	ND	ND	ND	8	7	36	10	3	2
	Jun	ND	ND	ND	ND	1	1	6	2	ND	ND
	Jul	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	ND	ND
	Aug	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	2	ND
	Sep	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	3	1	2	ND
	Oct	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	2	ND
	Nov	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	0	ND
	Dec	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	0	ND

Table 1. (Cont'd.)

Species Month	Bay system															
	Galveston			Matagorda			San Antonio			Corpus Christi			Upper Laguna Madre	Lower Laguna Madre	Coastwide	
	no./ha	no./ha	no./ha	no./ha	no./ha	no./ha	no./ha	no./ha	no./ha	no./ha	no./ha	no./ha	no./ha	no./ha		
Red drum (Cont'd.)																
Apr 1976	17	8	4	1	8	2	58	7	27	7	0	81	21	27	46	
May	10	5	8	2	8	2	20	4	0	0	19	5	40	8	15	26
Black drum																
May 1961	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	ND	ND	ND
Jun	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	ND	ND	ND
Jul	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	3	9	ND	ND	ND	ND
Aug	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	ND	ND	ND
Sep	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	ND	ND	ND
Oct	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND	ND	ND
Nov	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND	ND	ND
Dec	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	ND	ND	ND
Jan 1962	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	ND	ND	ND
Feb	ND	0	0	ND	0	0	ND	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND	ND	ND
Mar	ND	0	0	ND	0	0	ND	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND
Apr	0	ND	0	0	ND	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND
May	36	4	ND	0	0	0	ND	0	0	25	1	258	49	ND	ND	ND
Jun	100	18	ND	0	0	0	ND	0	100	4	3738	486	ND	ND	ND	ND
Jul	222	51	ND	43	3	ND	18	3	0	0	459	101	ND	ND	ND	ND
Aug	118	13	ND	0	0	ND	23	3	0	0	136	38	ND	ND	ND	ND
Sep	173	159	ND	0	0	ND	29	5	0	0	33	4	ND	ND	ND	ND
Oct	88	30	ND	0	0	ND	3	1	ND	0	0	0	ND	ND	ND	ND
Nov	0	0	ND	0	0	ND	15	5	ND	0	ND	0	ND	ND	ND	ND
Dec	0	0	ND	229	16	ND	6	2	0	0	0	0	ND	ND	ND	ND

Table 1. (Cont'd.)

Species	Month	Bay system									
		Galveston			Matagorda			San Antonio			Corpus
		no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	Christi
Black drum (Cont'd.)	Jan	1963	ND	0	0	0	ND	ND	4	2	ND
	Feb		0	0	0	0	ND	ND	0	0	ND
	Mar	7	1	0	0	0	ND	ND	0	0	ND
	Apr	7	1	0	0	0	ND	ND	0	0	ND
	May	4618	508	0	0	ND	ND	0	0	0	ND
	Jun	1073	185	5	1	4	2	ND	0	0	ND
	Jul	400	60	16	3	7	1	ND	0	0	ND
	Aug	93	39	2	1	0	0	ND	0	0	ND
	Sep	56	9	3	1	ND	ND	0	0	0	ND
	Oct	24	4	9	3	0	0	ND	0	0	ND
	Nov	25	3	0	0	0	ND	0	0	0	ND
	Dec	0	0	0	0	ND	ND	0	0	0	ND
	Jan	1964	ND	0	0	0	ND	ND	0	0	ND
	Feb	0	0	0	0	0	ND	ND	0	0	ND
	Mar	2	1	ND	0	0	0	0	11	4	ND
	Apr	5	2	0	ND	0	0	ND	0	0	ND
	May	31	14	ND	ND	ND	0	ND	0	0	ND
	Jun	9	4	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	98	39	ND
	Jul	259	114	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND
	Aug	84	38	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	164	59	ND
	Sep	26	12	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	2	1	ND
	Oct	17	8	ND	0	0	ND	ND	10	4	ND
	Nov	5	2	0	ND	0	0	ND	2	1	ND
	Dec	0	0	ND	0	0	0	ND	0	0	ND

Table 1. (Cont'd.)

Species	Month	Bay system									
		Galveston no./ha.	Matagorda no./ha.	San Antonio no./ha.	Aransas no./ha.	Christi no./ha.	Corpus Christi no./ha.	Upper Laguna no./ha.	Lower Laguna no./ha.	Madre no./ha.	Coastwide no./ha.
Black drum (Cont'd.)											
Jan	1967	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Feb		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	ND
Mar	0	0	4	2	ND	0	0	0	0	0	ND
Apr	4	2	2	1	ND	0	0	0	0	0	ND
May	11	5	6	3	ND	2	1	0	0	0	ND
Jun	26	12	8	5	0	0	3	1	5	0	ND
Jul	48	24	13	9	ND	12	5	0	0	ND	ND
Aug	34	17	13	9	0	14	6	0	0	2	ND
Sep	45	23	8	3	ND	ND	ND	0	0	1	ND
Oct	18	9	10	4	ND	0	0	0	0	0	ND
Nov	24	12	0	0	ND	0	0	0	0	0	ND
Dec	0	0	0	0	ND	0	0	0	0	0	ND
Jan	1968	0	0	0	0	10	4	0	0	0	1
Feb		0	0	2	1	17	7	0	0	0	ND
Mar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND
Apr	0	0	4	2	ND	5	2	1	2	1	1
May	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	19	8	18
Jun	14	8	14	6	25	4	2	1	7	13	12
Jul	18	11	5	2	16	3	10	4	0	21	17
Aug	18	9	7	3	17	4	4	2	0	0	6
Sep	14	7	5	2	0	0	0	0	3	2	3
Oct	25	14	6	6	3	0	0	6	6	2	5
Nov	14	8	8	3	0	0	0	1	1	1	10
Dec	4	2	0	0	ND	0	0	0	0	0	ND

Table 1. (Cont'd.)

Species	Month	Bay system									
		Galveston			Matagorda			San Antonio			Aransas
		no./ha	no./ha	no.	no./ha	no.	no.	no./ha	no.	no./ha	no.
Black drum (Cont'd.)											
Jan	1965	6	2	ND	0	0	0	0	ND	0	ND
Feb		0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	ND
Mar		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND	4	1
Apr		0	0	0	0	0	13	5	0	0	ND
May	52	21	2	1	ND	8	3	0	ND	3	3
Jun	40	18	0	0	ND	0	0	ND	ND	6	5
Jul	412	173	27	3	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	ND
Aug	21	9	10	4	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Sep	18	7	7	2	ND	11	4	1	ND	3	ND
Oct	10	4	5	2	ND	10	3	1	ND	12	7
Nov	6	2	11	3	ND	0	0	0	ND	7	ND
Dec	0	0	ND	0	0	0	0	1	ND	14	8
Jan	1966	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND	1	ND
Feb		0	0	0	0	0	ND	0	0	6	3
Mar		0	0	0	0	0	ND	0	0	0	ND
Apr		0	0	10	4	ND	0	0	0	0	ND
May	5	2	2	1	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	ND
Jun	44	20	20	8	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Jul	120	54	50	20	ND	ND	35	13	ND	ND	ND
Aug	51	22	18	7	ND	9	4	0	0	11	6
Sep	35	14	18	7	ND	ND	ND	0	0	14	2
Oct	14	5	0	0	ND	0	0	0	0	0	ND
Nov	0	0	14	5	ND	0	0	ND	0	0	ND
Dec	0	0	0	0	ND	0	0	0	ND	0	ND

Table 1. (Cont'd.)

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Species	Month	Bay system									
		Galveston			Matagorda			San Antonio			Aransas
		no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.
Black drum (Cont'd.)											
Jan	1969	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Feb		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mar		0	0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Apr		0	0	0	0	ND	0	0	3	1	1
May		2	1	2	1	ND	ND	6	0	0	ND
Jun		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND
Jul		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND
Aug		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Sep		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Oct		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Nov		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND
Dec		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND
Jan	1970	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND
Feb		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND
Mar		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND
Apr		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND
May		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND
Jun		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	22	22	ND
Jul		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	4	4	ND
Aug		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND
Sep		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	4	3	ND
Oct		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND
Nov		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND
Dec		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND

Table 1. (Cont'd.)

Species	Month	Bay system									
		Galveston		Matagorda		San Antonio		Aransas		Corpus Christi	
		no./ha.	no.	no./ha.	no.	no./ha.	no.	no./ha.	no.	no./ha.	no.
Black drum (Cont'd.)											
Jan	1971	ND		ND		ND		ND		0	0
Feb		ND		ND		ND		ND		0	0
Mar		ND		ND		ND		ND		0	0
Apr		ND		ND		ND		ND		0	0
May		ND		ND		ND		ND		0	0
Jun		ND		ND		ND		ND		0	0
Jul		ND		ND		ND		ND		0	0
Aug		ND		ND		ND		ND		0	0
Sep		ND		ND		ND		ND		0	0
Oct		ND		ND		ND		ND		4	1
Nov		ND		ND		ND		ND		0	0
Dec		ND		ND		ND		ND		0	0
Jan	1972	ND		ND		ND		ND		0	0
Feb		ND		ND		ND		ND		0	0
Mar		ND		ND		ND		ND		0	0
Apr		ND		ND		ND		ND		0	0
May		ND		ND		ND		ND		4	1
Jun		ND		ND		ND		ND		3	8
Jul		ND		ND		ND		ND		3	1
Aug		ND		ND		ND		ND		0	0
Sep		ND		ND		ND		ND		3	1
Oct		ND		ND		ND		ND		0	0
Nov		ND		ND		ND		ND		3	1
Dec		ND		ND		ND		ND		0	0

Table 1. (Cont'd.)

Species Month	Bay system									
	Galveston		Matagorda		San Antonio		Aransas		Corpus Christi	
	no./ha	no.	no./ha	no.	no./ha	no.	no./ha	no.	no./ha	no.
Black drum (Cont'd.)										
Apr 1976	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
May	0	0	8	2	8	2	5	1	0	0
Spotted seatrout										
May 1961	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	31	4
Jun	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND
Jul	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	12	4	ND
Aug	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	12	4	ND
Sep	ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0
Oct	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	21	17	0	0
Nov	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	4	3	12	5
Dec	ND	ND	36	8	ND	ND	ND	3	2	0
Jan 1962	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND
Feb	7	2	ND	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND
Mar	7	2	ND	0	0	0	5	2	0	0
Apr	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND
May	ND	ND	ND	5	1	12	2	0	0	0
Jun	ND	ND	ND	414	29	142	17	ND	2	1
Jul	ND	ND	ND	14	1	0	0	0	0	0
Aug	ND	ND	ND	41	9	15	2	8	0	0
Sep	ND	ND	ND	ND	69	9	18	3	0	0
Oct	24	8	ND	ND	67	8	30	8	ND	0
Nov	ND	ND	ND	75	6	73	24	ND	ND	ND
Dec	ND	ND	ND	5	1	0	21	7	0	ND

Table 1. (Cont'd.)

Species Month	Bay system					Coastwide no./ha no.	
	Upper Laguna Madre		Lower Laguna Madre		no./ha no.		
	Corpus Christi	Aransas	no./ha no.	no./ha no.			
Spotted seatrout (Cont'd.)							
Jan 1963	ND	1	0	0	0	ND	
Feb	0	0	0	0	12	7	
Mar	0	0	0	6	12	7	
Apr	0	2	ND	12	18	10	
May	0	0	ND	0	0	ND	
Jun	0	0	0	12	2	ND	
Jul	80	12	11	0	6	12	
Aug	17	7	55	29	3	6	
Sep	12	2	47	15	ND	18	
Oct	71	12	32	11	79	16	
Nov	125	15	17	6	0	48	
Dec	0	0	0	ND	0	0	
Jan 1964	ND	0	0	0	ND	ND	
Feb	0	0	0	0	ND	ND	
Mar	6	3	0	0	ND	ND	
Apr	0	0	0	0	ND	ND	
May	4	2	0	0	ND	ND	
Jun	2	1	ND	ND	ND	ND	
Jul	2	1	ND	ND	ND	ND	
Aug	36	16	ND	ND	ND	ND	
Sep	23	11	ND	ND	ND	ND	
Oct	43	20	ND	ND	ND	ND	
Nov	66	25	ND	ND	ND	ND	
Dec	13	6	ND	0	0	ND	

Table 1. (Cont'd.)

Species	Month	Bay system											
		Galveston			Matagorda			San Antonio			Aransas		
		no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.
Spotted seatrout (Cont'd.)													
Jan	1965	8	3	ND	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND	0	ND
Feb		0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	16	7	0	5
Mar		0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	3	2	ND	13
Apr		0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	8	6	ND	ND
May		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	ND	ND
Jun	11	5	0	0	ND	0	0	12	3	ND	ND	0	<1
Jul	33	14	64	7	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	1
Aug	12	5	20	8	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Sep	90	36	38	11	ND	117	41	2	2	ND	ND	6	ND
Oct	125	50	18	7	ND	61	19	5	4	ND	ND	10	ND
Nov	75	27	54	15	ND	19	5	5	4	ND	ND	11	ND
Dec	28	11	ND	ND	11	4	6	6	ND	ND	ND	22	ND
Jan	1966	7	1	6	2	ND	0	0	7	3	ND	24	ND
Feb		0	0	0	0	ND	0	0	7	3	ND	20	ND
Mar		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	15	3
Apr		0	0	2	1	ND	0	0	1	1	5	4	ND
May		0	0	5	2	ND	ND	ND	2	1	0	0	ND
Jun	20	9	2	1	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Jul	11	5	0	0	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Aug	12	5	5	2	ND	16	6	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Sep	32	13	17	68	ND	50	23	7	4	13	8	0	0
Oct	6	2	69	27	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	17	11	29	15
Nov	2	1	8	3	ND	12	4	ND	ND	8	5	12	8
Dec	0	0	0	0	ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND	0	0	ND

Table 1. (Cont'd.)

Species Month	Bay system											
	Galveston			Matagorda			San Antonio			Aransas		
	no./ha.	no.	no./ha.	no.	no./ha.	no.	no./ha.	no.	no./ha.	no.	no./ha.	no.
Spotted seatrout (Cont'd.)												
Jan 1967	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND	ND	1	1	8	6
Feb	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND	ND	3	3	21	11
Mar	0	0	4	2	ND	0	0	0	13	10	9	7
Apr	0	0	4	2	ND	5	2	3	6	4	5	ND
May	0	0	0	0	ND	38	16	0	0	4	3	0
Jun	0	0	2	1	0	0	9	13	1	1	2	ND
Jul	8	4	18	12	0	0	74	31	0	0	ND	ND
Aug	18	9	25	17	ND	40	38	3	3	12	8	ND
Sep	39	20	8	3	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Oct	80	41	60	24	ND	ND	13	7	22	11	ND	ND
Nov	25	13	10	4	ND	2	1	3	4	57	16	50
Dec	4	2	3	1	ND	ND	ND	1	1	90	18	0
Jan 1968	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	13
Feb	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	5	2
Mar	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	4	ND
Apr	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0
May	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	0
Jun	4	2	9	4	0	0	0	0	1	1	34	13
Jul	30	18	2	1	10	2	5	2	0	0	3	1
Aug	25	13	14	6	0	0	2	1	4	4	22	8
Sep	14	7	7	3	0	0	12	5	8	8	10	4
Oct	16	9	7	3	0	0	15	7	7	7	33	12
Nov	7	4	68	26	ND	28	9	16	16	16	55	22
Dec	0	0	5	1	21	6	2	1	5	5	42	17

Coastwide

no./ha.

no.

Table 1. (Cont'd.)

Species Month	Bay system									
	Galveston		Matagorda		San Antonio		Aransas		Christi	
	no./ha.	no.	no./ha.	no.	no./ha.	no.	no./ha.	no.	no./ha.	no.
Spotted seatrout (Cont'd.)										
Jan 1969	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	5	1	1
Feb	0	0	0	0	0	24	11	10	30	12
Mar	0	0	0	0	0	4	2	0	21	8
Apr	4	2	0	0	0	0	0	7	6	2
May	2	1	0	0	ND	ND	0	0	12	4
Jun	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	25	2	0	0
Jul	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	12	1	ND	ND
Aug	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	25	2	ND	ND
Sep	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Oct	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND
Nov	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	4	4	ND	28
Dec	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND	12
Jan 1970	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	8	3
Feb	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND	5
Mar	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	1	1	6	2	2
Apr	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	8	2	0
May	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND	0	0
Jun	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	2	2	0	ND	ND
Jul	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	1	1	22	8	ND
Aug	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	4	3	6	1
Sep	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	4	3	15	3	ND
Oct	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	3	3	0	ND	ND
Nov	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	31	5	ND
Dec	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	1	1	19	7	ND

Table 1. (Cont'd.)

Species	Month	Bay system						Coastwide no./ha. no.	
		Galveston		Matagorda		San Antonio			
		no./ha. no.							
Spotted seatrout (Cont'd.)									
Jan	1971	ND							
Feb		ND							
Mar		ND							
Apr		ND							
May		ND							
Jun		ND							
Jul		ND							
Aug		ND							
Sep		ND							
Oct		ND							
Nov		ND							
Dec		ND							
Jan	1972	ND							
Feb		ND							
Mar		ND							
Apr		ND							
May		ND							
Jun		ND							
Jul		ND							
Aug		ND							
Sep		ND							
Oct		ND							
Nov		ND							
Dec		ND							

Species	Month	Bay system						Coastwide no./ha. no.	
		Corpus		Christi		Madre			
		no./ha. no.							
Spotted seatrout (Cont'd.)									
Jan	1971	1	1	1	1	5	1	ND	
Feb		0	0	19	3	ND	ND	ND	
Mar		0	0	0	0	0	0	ND	
Apr		0	0	0	0	0	0	ND	
May		0	0	0	0	0	0	ND	
Jun		1	1	4	1	ND	ND	ND	
Jul		0	0	7	2	ND	ND	ND	
Aug		0	0	6	2	ND	ND	ND	
Sep		6	5	ND	8	7	7	ND	
Oct		0	0	18	5	7	7	ND	
Nov		0	0	25	7	25	23	ND	
Dec		1	1	38	6	17	17	ND	
Jan	1972	0	0	11	4	7	5	ND	
Feb		0	0	12	2	5	3	ND	
Mar		0	0	6	2	0	0	ND	
Apr		0	0	3	1	0	0	ND	
May		0	0	4	1	0	0	ND	
Jun		0	0	28	10	ND	ND	ND	
Jul		0	0	11	4	ND	ND	ND	
Aug		3	3	25	8	ND	ND	ND	
Sep		0	0	6	2	7	7	ND	
Oct		1	1	31	5	7	6	ND	
Nov		6	5	25	9	8	6	ND	
Dec		0	0	3	1	1	1	ND	

Table 1. (Cont'd.)

Species	Month	Bay system									
		Upper			Lower						
		Galveston no./ha.	Matagorda no./ha.	San Antonio no./ha.	Corpus Christi no./ha.	Madre no./ha.	Laguna no./ha.	Upper Laguna no./ha.	Lower Laguna no./ha.	Madre no./ha.	Coastwide no./ha. no.
Spotted seatrout (Cont'd.)											
Apr	1976	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
May		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Southern flounder											
May	1961	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND
Jun		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND
Jul		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND
Aug		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND
Sep		ND	ND	23	5	ND	ND	0	0	0	0
Oct		ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	ND	ND
Nov		ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	ND	ND
Dec		ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND
Jan	1962	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND
Feb		ND	3	1	ND	0	0	0	0	ND	ND
Mar		139	39	0	0	11	4	2	1	0	0
Apr		44	7	29	2	ND	18	7	5	0	ND
May		18	2	ND	9	ND	18	6	0	0	ND
Jun		ND	ND	43	3	ND	ND	0	0	3	5
Jul		13	3	ND	0	ND	6	1	0	0	ND
Aug		260	28	ND	5	ND	0	0	0	0	ND
Sep		18	17	ND	0	ND	0	0	0	0	ND
Oct		12	4	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	0	ND
Nov		0	0	ND	0	0	ND	0	0	ND	ND
Dec		0	0	ND	0	0	ND	0	0	ND	ND

Table 1. (Cont'd.)

Species	Month	Bay system									
		<u>Galveston</u>		<u>Matagorda</u>		<u>San Antonio</u>		<u>Aransas</u>		<u>Corpus Christi</u>	
		no./ha.	no.	no./ha.	no.	no./ha.	no.	no./ha.	no.	no./ha.	no.
Southern flounder (Cont'd.)											
Jan	1963	ND		12	4	ND		ND		0	0
Feb		0	0	14	4	ND		ND		0	0
Mar		0	0	32	6	0	0	ND		0	0
Apr		7	1	32	6	ND		ND		0	0
May		0	0	142	27	ND		ND		ND	ND
Jun		11	2	137	26	2	1	ND		0	0
Jul		7	1	53	10	0	0	ND		0	0
Aug		0	0	8	4	0	0	ND		0	0
Sep		0	0	12	4	ND		ND		0	0
Oct		0	0	3	1	7	1	ND		0	0
Nov		0	0	11	4	0	0	ND		0	0
Dec		0	0	0	0	ND		ND		ND	ND
Jan	1964	ND		ND	0	0	0	ND		ND	ND
Feb		6	2	0	0	0	0	ND		ND	ND
Mar		55	26	ND	ND	0	0	ND		3	1
Apr		30	13	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND		ND	ND
May		13	6	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND		ND	ND
Jun		7	3	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND		ND	ND
Jul		5	2	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND		ND	ND
Aug		4	2	0	0	ND	ND	ND		ND	ND
Sep		4	2	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND		ND	ND
Oct		4	2	0	0	ND	ND	ND		ND	ND
Nov		4	2	0	0	ND	0	0		0	0
Dec		0	0	0	0	ND	0	0		0	0

Table 1. (Cont'd.)

Species Month	Bay system											
	Galveston			Matagorda			San Antonio			Aransas		
	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.
Southern flounder (Cont'd.)												
Jan 1965	6	2	ND	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Feb	3	1	17	7	0	20	7	5	2	0	2	7
Mar	11	5	46	18	ND	49	19	1	1	0	14	8
Apr	20	8	40	16	0	26	10	2	2	0	14	15
May	7	4	22	9	0	21	8	13	9	0	11	10
Jun	7	3	27	3	ND	8	2	ND	ND	0	0	ND
Jul	2	1	0	0	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Aug	2	1	2	1	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Sep	2	1	0	0	ND	0	0	2	2	0	0	ND
Oct	0	0	8	3	ND	0	0	2	2	ND	3	2
Nov	3	1	4	1	ND	0	0	1	1	ND	5	3
Dec	0	0	ND	0	0	0	1	1	1	ND	0	ND
Jan 1966	0	0	0	0	ND	0	0	0	0	ND	0	0
Feb	0	0	0	0	0	ND	0	0	0	ND	2	1
Mar	8	3	9	3	ND	0	0	0	0	ND	8	2
Apr	4	2	8	3	ND	11	5	0	0	ND	21	6
May	8	3	10	4	ND	ND	0	0	0	ND	17	5
Jun	9	4	8	3	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Jul	4	2	5	2	ND	ND	1	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Aug	0	0	0	0	ND	0	0	0	0	ND	4	2
Sep	0	0	0	0	ND	0	0	0	0	ND	0	0
Oct	0	0	0	0	ND	0	0	0	0	ND	0	0
Nov	0	0	6	2	ND	0	0	0	0	ND	0	0
Dec	0	0	0	0	ND	0	0	0	0	ND	0	0

Table 1. (Cont'd.)

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Species	Month	Bay system									
		Galveston			Matagorda			San Antonio			Corpus
		no./ha.	no.	no./ha.	no.	no.	no./ha.	no.	no./ha.	no.	Laguna
Southern flounder (Cont'd.)											
Jan	1969	5	3	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0
Feb		102	57	12	5	0	7	3	0	0	1
Mar		57	29	114	33	0	2	1	1	1	1
Apr		70	39	100	4	ND	83	38	2	22	5
May		36	20	25	1	ND	ND	1	1	25	3
Jun		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Jul		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Aug		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Sep		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Oct		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND	ND
Nov		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	ND	ND
Dec		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND	0	ND
Jan	1970	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	0
Feb		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND	0	ND
Mar		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	1	1	0	2	1
Apr		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	ND
May		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	2	2	ND	0	ND
Jun		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	3	1	ND
Jul		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	ND	ND
Aug		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	ND	ND
Sep		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	ND	ND
Oct		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	ND	ND
Nov		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	ND	ND
Dec		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	ND	ND

Table 1. (Cont'd.)

Species	Month	Bay system											
		Galveston no./ha.	Matagorda no./ha.	San Antonio no./ha.	Aransas no./ha.	Corpus Christi no./ha.	Upper Laguna no./ha.	Lower Laguna no./ha.	Madre no./ha.	Madre no./ha.	Lower Laguna no./ha.	Coastwide no./ha.	
Southern flounder (Cont'd.)													
Jan	1971	ND											
Feb		ND											
Mar		ND											
Apr		ND											
May		ND											
Jun		ND											
Jul		ND											
Aug		ND											
Sep		ND											
Oct		ND											
Nov		ND											
Dec		ND											
Jan	1972	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Feb		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	6	1	0	0	0	0
Mar		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	1	1	6	2	1	1	ND
Apr		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	9	3	0	0	ND
May		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND
Jun		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND
Jul		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND
Aug		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND
Sep		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND
Oct		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND
Nov		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND
Dec		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND

Table 1. (Cont'd.)

Species	Month	Bay system									
		Galveston			Matagorda			San Antonio			Corpus
		no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	no./ha.	Madre
Southern flounder (Cont'd.)											
Apr	1976	2	1	0	0	0	0	17	2	0	0
May		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	<1
Sheepshead											
May	1961	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Jun		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Jul		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Aug		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Sep		ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND
Oct		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	2	0	0	ND
Nov		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	0	ND
Dec		ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND	0	0	0	ND
Jan	1962	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Feb		4	1	ND	0	ND	0	0	0	ND	ND
Mar		18	5	ND	0	ND	0	0	0	0	ND
Apr		0	0	ND	0	ND	0	0	0	0	ND
May		18	2	ND	0	ND	0	0	0	0	ND
Jun		0	0	ND	0	ND	0	0	0	0	ND
Jul		13	3	ND	0	ND	0	0	2	0	ND
Aug		36	4	ND	0	ND	0	8	1	0	ND
Sep		18	17	ND	0	ND	0	6	1	0	ND
Oct		0	0	ND	0	ND	0	11	3	0	ND
Nov		0	0	ND	0	ND	0	15	5	ND	ND
Dec		0	0	ND	0	ND	0	0	0	0	ND

Table 1. (Cont'd.)

Species Month	Bay system											
	Galveston			Matagorda			San Antonio			Aransas		
	no./ha.	no./ha.	no.	no./ha.	no.	no.	no./ha.	no.	no./ha.	no.	no./ha.	no.
Sheepshead (Cont'd.)												
Jan 1963	ND	0	0	0	0	0	ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND
Feb	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND
Mar	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND
Apr	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND	ND	5	3	ND	ND
May	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND	ND	5	3	0	0
Jun	11	2	0	0	0	0	ND	0	0	0	0	ND
Jul	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND	0	0	0	0	ND
Aug	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND	0	0	0	0	ND
Sep	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND	ND	9	3	0	0
Oct	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND	ND	6	2	0	ND
Nov	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND	ND	6	2	0	ND
Dec	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND	ND	6	2	ND	ND
Jan 1964	ND	0	0	0	0	0	ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND
Feb	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND
Mar	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND
Apr	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND
May	16	7	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Jun	5	2	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND
Jul	5	2	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND
Aug	2	1	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND
Sep	0	0	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND
Oct	0	0	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND
Nov	5	2	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND
Dec	0	0	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND	ND

Table 1. (Cont'd.)

Species	Month	Bay system									
		Galveston			Matagorda			San Antonio			Aransas
		no./ha	no.	no./ha	no.	no./ha	no.	no./ha	no.	no./ha	no.
Sheepshead (Cont'd.)											
Jan	1965	0	0	ND	0	0	0	0	0	ND	ND
Feb		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	<1
Mar		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7	4
Apr		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	<1
May	0	0	2	1	0	0	5	2	7	9	3
Jun	22	10	0	0	ND	5	ND	ND	ND	2	16
Jul	45	19	0	0	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Aug	14	6	18	7	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Sep	2	1	0	0	ND	26	9	0	0	23	ND
Oct	28	11	0	0	ND	0	0	0	ND	5	ND
Nov	3	1	0	0	ND	0	0	0	ND	11	ND
Dec	0	0	ND	0	0	0	0	0	ND	7	ND
Jan	1966	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	ND	3	ND
Feb		0	0	0	0	ND	0	0	ND	0	ND
Mar		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	12	2
Apr		0	0	0	0	ND	0	0	3	14	3
May		0	0	0	0	ND	0	0	0	10	ND
Jun		0	0	8	3	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Jul		0	0	0	0	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
Aug		0	0	8	3	ND	1	ND	ND	ND	ND
Sep	2	1	45	18	ND	20	9	0	2	1	2
Oct	0	0	5	2	ND	ND	ND	0	0	12	ND
Nov	0	0	0	0	ND	3	1	ND	0	11	7
Dec	0	0	0	0	ND	0	0	ND	2	1	ND

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Species	Month	Bay system					
		<u>Galveston</u>		<u>Matagorda</u>		<u>San Antonio</u>	<u>Aransas</u>
		no./ha	no.	no./ha	no.	no./ha	no.
Sheepshead (Cont'd.)							
Jan	1969	0	0	0	0	0	0
Feb		0	0	0	0	0	0
Mar		0	0	0	0	0	0
Apr		0	0	0	0	0	0
May	0	0	0	ND	0	0	0
Jun	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	12	0
Jul	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	12	0
Aug	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	25	2
Sep	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0
Oct	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0
Nov	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0
Dec	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0
Jan	1970	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	3
Feb		ND	ND	ND	ND	1	1
Mar		ND	ND	ND	ND	3	1
Apr		ND	ND	ND	ND	4	1
May		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	2
Jun	ND	ND	ND	ND	1	0	1
Jul	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND
Aug	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND
Sep	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND
Oct	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND
Nov	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND
Dec	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0

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Table 1. (Cont'd.).

Species Month	Bay system						Coastwide no./ha no.	
	Galveston		Matagorda		San Antonio			
	no./ha no.	no./ha no.						
Sheepshead (Cont'd.)								
Jan 1971	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	
Feb	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	
Mar	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	
Apr	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	
May	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	
Jun	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	
Jul	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	
Aug	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	
Sep	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	
Oct	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	
Nov	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	
Dec	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	
Jan 1972	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	
Feb	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	
Mar	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	
Apr	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	
May	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	
Jun	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	
Jul	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	
Aug	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	
Sep	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	
Oct	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	
Nov	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	
Dec	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	

Table 1. (Cont'd.)

Species Month	Bay system						Coastwide no./ha no.
	Galveston no./ha no.	Matagorda no./ha no.	San Antonio no./ha no.	Aransas no./ha no.	Corpus Christi no./ha no.	Laguna Madre no./ha no.	
Sheepshead (Cont'd.)							
Apr 1976	4	2	4	1	0	25	3
May	0	0	4	1	0	20	4

Table 2. Annual mean catch rate (no./ha) and total number of red drum, black drum, spotted seatrout, southern flounder and sheepshead caught with bag seines by bay system during 1963-1972. ND = no data.

Species Year		Bay system					
		Galveston no./ha	Matagorda no./ha	Aransas no./ha	Corpus Christi no./ha	Upper Laguna no./ha	Madre no./ha
Red drum							
1963	ND	3	10	1	1	18	90
1964	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
1965	15	76	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
1966	32	147	11	48	ND	ND	ND
1967	13	76	24	126	ND	ND	ND
1968	60	384	42	194	39	196	28
1969	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
1970	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
1971	ND	ND	ND	ND	4	38	ND
1972	ND	ND	ND	ND	8	79	23
Black drum							
1963	ND	3	9	ND	<1	2	ND
1964	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
1965	49	243	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
1966	26	117	12	52	ND	ND	ND
1967	18	104	7	36	ND	ND	ND
1968	9	59	5	25	4	20	2
1969	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
1970	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
1971	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	ND
1972	ND	ND	ND	ND	<1	3	2

Table 2. (Cont'd.)

Species	Year	Bay system					
		Galveston no./ha no.	Matagorda no./ha no.	Aransas no./ha no.	Corpus Christi no./ha no.	Upper Laguna no./ha no.	Madre no./ha no.
Spotted seatrout							
1963		ND	20	66	22	41	16
1964		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
1965		30	151	ND	ND	ND	ND
1966		8	36	24	106	ND	ND
1967		16	89	12	66	ND	ND
1968		8	53	9	44	5	26
1969		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
1970		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
1971		ND	ND	ND	ND	1	8
1972		ND	ND	ND	ND	1	9
						13	49
Southern flounder							
1963		ND	30	96	ND	3	15
1964		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
1965		5	27	ND	ND	ND	ND
1966		3	14	4	17	ND	ND
1967		11	61	4	21	ND	ND
1968		5	29	25	116	5	25
1969		ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
1970		ND	ND	ND	ND	1	8
1971		ND	ND	ND	ND	<1	1
1972		ND	ND	ND	ND	2	6

Table 2. (Cont'd.)

Species	Year	Bay system						Upper Laguna Madre no./ha no.
		Galveston no./ha no.	Matagorda no./ha no.	Aransas no./ha no.	Corpus Christi no./ha no.	3	15	
Sheepshead								
	1963	ND	30	96	ND			
	1963	ND	0	0	ND	3	15	ND
	1964	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
	1965	10	48	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
	1966	<1	1	6	26	ND	ND	ND
	1967	1	6	2	9	ND	ND	ND
	1968	1	8	4	19	5	23	<1
	1969	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
	1970	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND
	1971	ND	ND	ND	ND	<1	2	ND
	1972	ND	ND	ND	ND	0	0	4

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