

# INACTIVE Mexico Campeche blue crab - pot/trap & ring nets

## Overview

### FIP Description

Crabs are an important commercial resource in Mexico. Their catch value is among the ten most important in the country. The blue crab in the Gulf of Mexico, particularly in Campeche, is considered a resource that has little information compared to other important economic resources, such as octopus or red grouper, therefore, environmental and socioeconomic impacts of the fishery are unknown. The aim of this project is to update or generate biological and ecological information for the crab fishery, in order to provide guidance on sustainable harvest.

The Campeche blue crab FIP is looking to engage with industry, government entities and academic institutions to expand the scope and depth of the project.

## How is this FIP Doing?

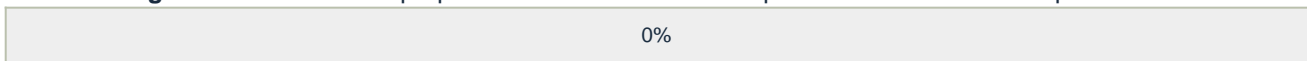
### Current Status:



**% of Indicators Tracked** Basic FIPs may focus their workplans on a subset of the indicators. This shows the proportion of total indicators the FIP is working on.



**Actions Progress** This shows the proportion of actions in the workplan that the FIP has completed.



**Actions Overview** This shows the proportion of actions that are behind schedule, on track, completed, or not yet started.

Behind	On Track	Complete	Future
100%	0%	0%	0%

**Red Indicator Progress** This shows the proportion of actions specifically addressing red indicators that are behind schedule, on track, completed, or not yet started. This helps users understand the progress the FIP is making on the biggest challenges in the fishery.

Behind	On Track	Complete	Future
100%	0%	0%	0%

### FIP Objective(s)

The FIP aims to achieve the following goals by the summer of 2022:

- Improve the knowledge about the current status of the stocks
- Build a management strategy with clear rules and objectives
- Provided a comprehensive report of the impact of the fishery in the ecosystem

### FIP Type

Basic

### FIP Stage

Stage 4: Improvements in Fishing Practices or Fishery Management

### Start and Projected End Dates

February, 2018 -  
December, 2022

### Species

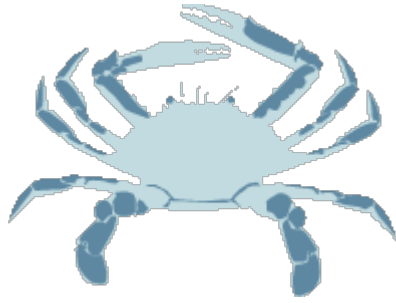
#### Common Name

Blue Crab

#### Scientific Name

Callinectes sapidus

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### **Gear Type**

[Pot/Trap](#)

[Ring Net](#)

### **Location**

#### **FAO Major Fishing Area**

[Area 31 \(Atlantic, Western Central\)](#)

#### **Exclusive Economic Zones**

##### **Country**

Mexico

##### **Geographic Scope**

Campeche Gulf of Mexico

### **Estimated Total FIP Landings**

4765 metric tons

## **FIP Leads**

#### **Organization Name**

Alimentos del Mar de Norte America

#### **Organization Type**

Industry

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