

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?

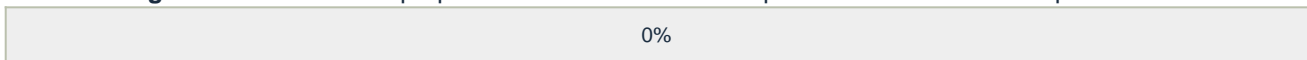
Current Status:



% 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.



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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
0%	0%	0%	0%

FIP Progress Rating

C - Some Recent Progress

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 3: FIP Implementation

Start and Projected End Dates

February, 2018 -
December, 2022

Species

Common Name

Blue Crab

Scientific Name

Callinectes sapidus

Additional Names

Blue Crab, Jaiba Azul

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

FIP Volume

1600 metric tons

FIP Leads**Organization Name**

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Organization Type

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