

Information Paper

Total Allowable Catch Determination - Spanner Crab (Ocean Trap and Line Fishery)

Spanner crab (Ocean Trap and Line Fishery) – 1 July 2021 to 30 June 2022

The Total Allowable Fishing (TAF) Committee has made the following Total Allowable Catch (TAC) determination for Spanner crab taken in the Ocean Trap and Line Fishery for the fishing period 1 July 2021 to 30 June 2022.

The Department of Primary Industries will allocate spanner crab quota to shareholders prior to 1 July 2021.

Quota species	TAC determination (kg)	Fishing period
Spanner crab	140,000	1 July 2021 to 31 June 2022

The TAC determination represents a 4.5 tonne increase in comparison to the TAC for the 2020/21 fishing period.

When the TAF Committee makes a TAC determination, the Committee provides a Determination Report that explains the reasons for their determination. A copy of the Report and Determinations for the 2021/22 Fishing Period - NSW Ocean Trap and Line Fishery: Spanner Crab is available on the NSW DPI website at https://www.dpi.nsw.gov.au/TAC

Where can I find more information about TAC determinations?

- Total Allowable Catch and Effort Determinations https://www.dpi.nsw.gov.au/TAC
- Commercial Fisheries Hotline: 1300 726 488

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