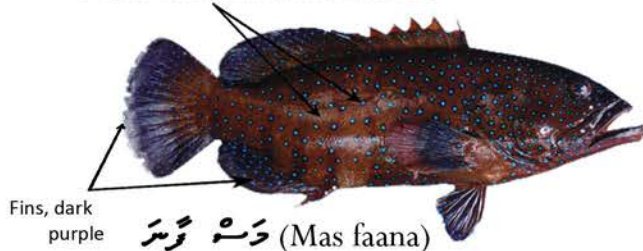


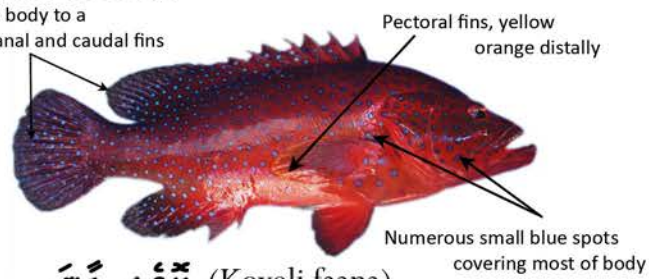
GENUS - CEPHALOPHOLIS

Body and head, dark brown, covered with small blue spots and 5-6 pale verticle bars on side of the body



فيس (Mas faana)
Peacock hind [CEPH-001]
C. argus

Bright orange red body to a purple dorsal, anal and caudal fins



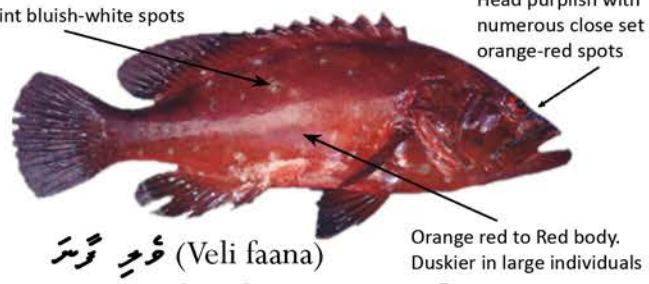
كوفلي فيس (Koveli faana)
Coral hind [CEPH-004]
C. miniata

Orange red with Four squarish black blotches dorsally on body

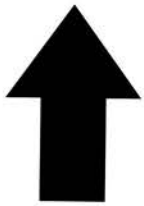


لانداء فيس (Landaa faana)
Sixblotch hind [CEPH-005]
C. sexmaculata

Scattered faint bluish-white spots



فيلي فيس (Veli faana)
Tomato hind [CEPH-006]
C. sonnerati

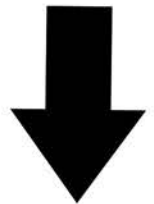


Rounded Tail



ران فيس (Ran faana)
Golden hind [CEPH-002]
C. aurantia

Truncate Tail



Large dark edged blue spots (at times thick edged) covering body and median fins



اوله فيس / عابري فيس (Olhu faana/Tiger)
Squaretail coral grouper [PLEC-001]
P. areolatus

Grey / brown body

Some spots on sides vertically elongate and some on head diagonally elongate



دھون اوله فيس (Dhon olhu faana)
Roving coral grouper [PLEC-003]
P. pessuliferus

Two color phases, with 5 dark brown or black saddles



كولا اوله فيس / كاندو راسغفان (Kula olhu faana / Kandu rasgefaanu)
Black-saddled coral grouper [PLEC-002]
P. laevis

White body with yellow fins and many small dark edged blue spots

Brown-red with many small dark edged blue spots

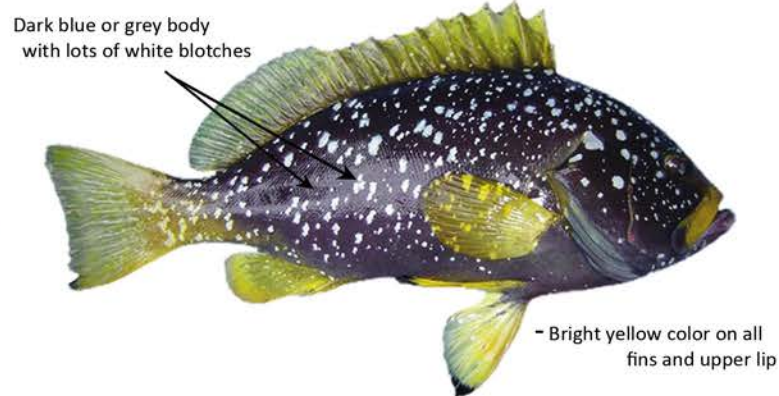
GENUS - EPINEPHELUS - 1



كاس فاانا (Kas faana)

Brown-marbled grouper [EPIN-006]

E. fuscoguttatus



دھون نوو فاانا (Dhon noo faana)

Blue and yellow grouper [EPIN-005]

E. flavocaeruleus



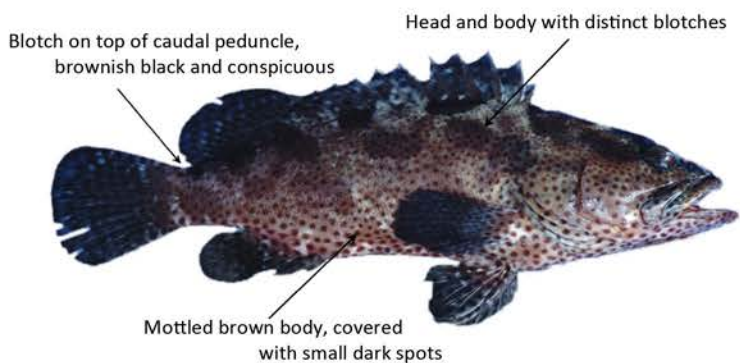
- Adults; dark brown with faint mottling
- Fins with numerous small black spots
- Large adults dark brown, fins darker

مڈو فاانا (Mudu faana)

Giant grouper [EPIN-007]

E. lanceolatus

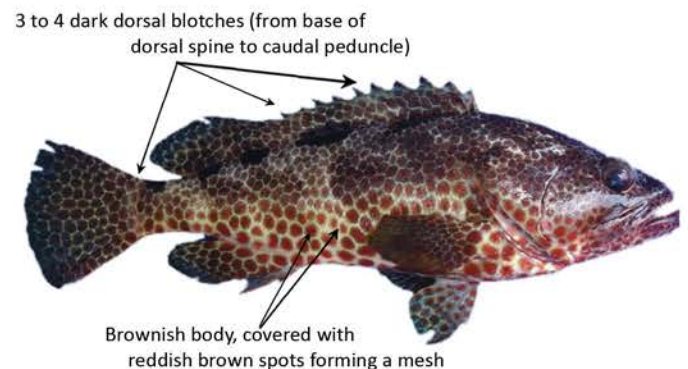
- Small juveniles with irregular broad black bars on body
- Small adults with irregular white or yellow spots on the black areas
- Fins with irregular black spots



کولا فاانا (Kula faana)

Camouflage grouper [EPIN-016]

E. polyphekadion



اسدھاانو فاانا (Asdhaanu faana)

Four-saddle grouper [EPIN-018]

E. spilotoceps

GENUS - EPINEPHELUS - 2

Head and body with round to polygonal dark brown spots



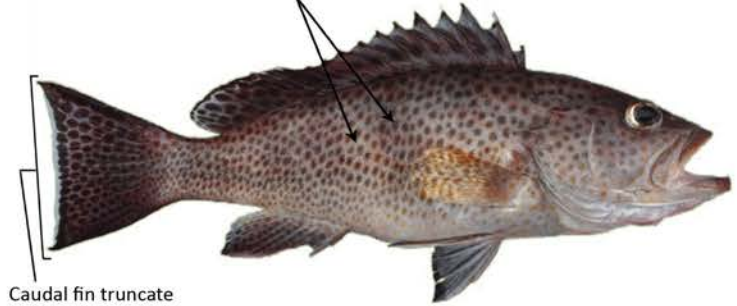
ਫਿਜ਼ੀ ਫ਼ਾਨਾ / ਬੋਧੁਥੀ ਫ਼ਾਨਾ

(Fijjehi faana) / (Boduthiki faana)

Snubnose grouper / Bigspot grouper [EPIN-009]

E. macrospilos

Pale brown body, covered with numerous dark brown spots



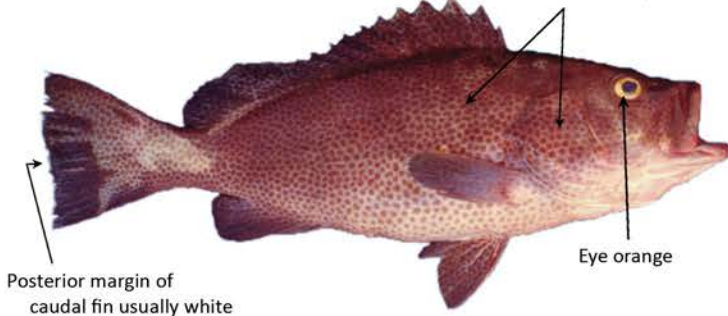
Caudal fin truncate with a whitish margin

ਥੀਜ਼ੀ ਫ਼ਾਨਾ (Thijjehi faana)

Areolate grouper [EPIN-001]

E. areolatus

Body covered with many small brown spots



Posterior margin of caudal fin usually white

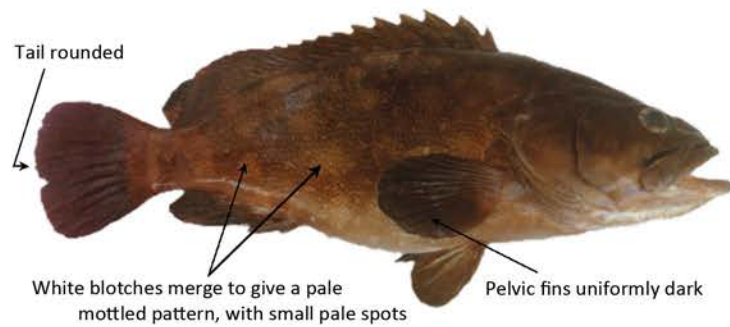
Eye orange

ਕੁਲਹੰਦਹੁਰੂ ਫ਼ਾਨਾ (Kulhandhuru faana)

Brown-spotted grouper [EPIN-003]

E. chlorostigma

*Dark grey-brown body



Tail rounded

White blotches merge to give a pale mottled pattern, with small pale spots

Pelvic fins uniformly dark

ਹੁਧੁ-ਲਾਹ ਫ਼ਾਨਾ (Hudhu-lah faana)

White-spotted grouper [EPIN-002]

E. caeruleopunctatus

Dark grey brown in colour with numerous small white spots on body and fins.

Caudal fin with narrow white terminal band and broad black subterminal band



*Irregular white stripes in adults

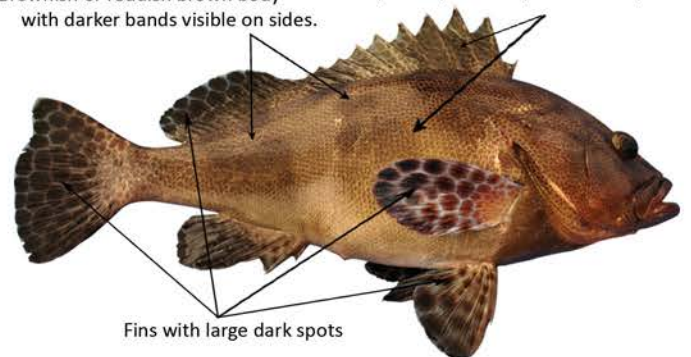
ਕੀਰੁਲੀ ਫ਼ਾਨਾ (Kirulhi faana)

White streaked grouper [EPIN-015]

E. onus

Brownish or reddish brown body with darker bands visible on sides.

Body and spiny dorsal with numerous small polygonal brown spots separated by network of pale lines



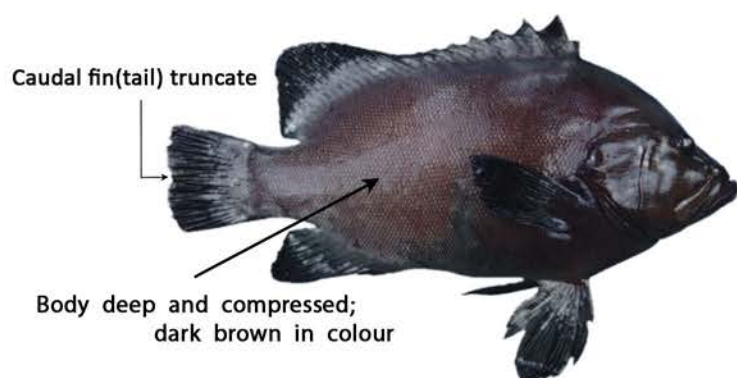
Fins with large dark spots

ਕੁਰੇਹੀ ਫ਼ਾਨਾ (Kurehi faana)

Netfin grouper [EPIN-011]

E. miliaris

GENUS - AETHALOPERCA

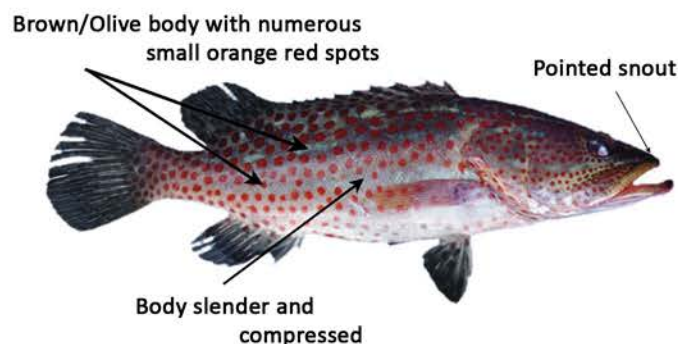


جِنِيْمَاسُ فَانَا (Ginimas faana)

Red mouth grouper [AETH-001]

A. rogae

GENUS - ANYPERODON

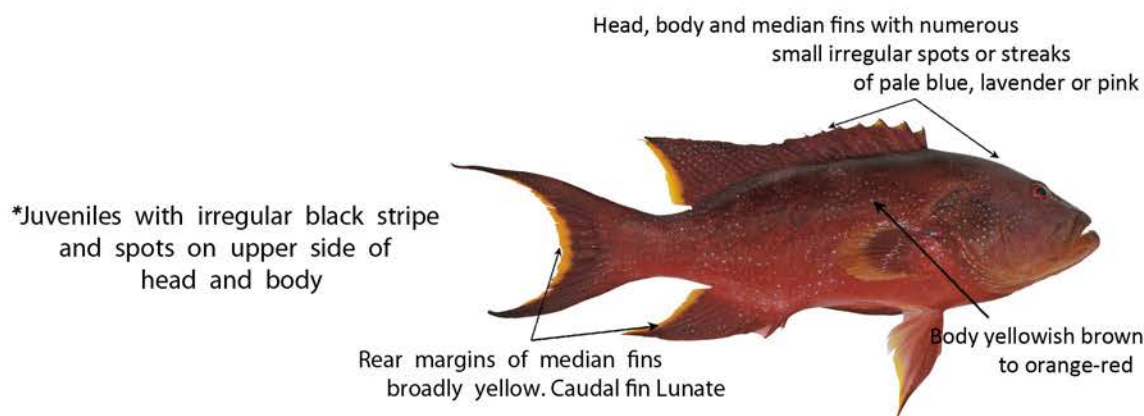


بَوَالْحَاجِي فَانَا (Boalhajehi faana)

Slender grouper [ANYP-001]

A. leucogrammicus

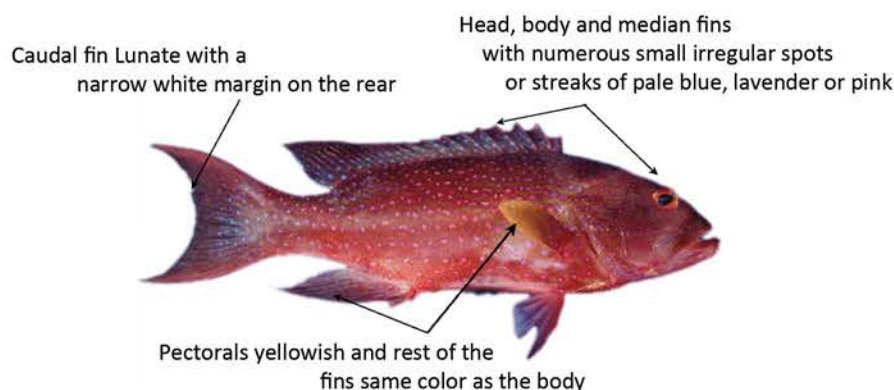
GENUS - VARIOLA



كَانْدُو هَا (Kandu haa)

Yellow edged lyretail / Moontail seabass [VARI-002]

V. louti



كَانْدُو رَايْ هَا (Kandu rai' haa)

White edged lyretail [VARI-001]

V. albimarginata

FAMILY - CARANGIDAE



فاني هاندي (Fani handhi)
Bluefin trevally
Caranx melampygus



هالوڤيما (Haluvimas)
Bigeye trevally
Caranx sexfasciatus



كالحا هاندي (Kalha handhi)
Black jack
Caranx lugubris

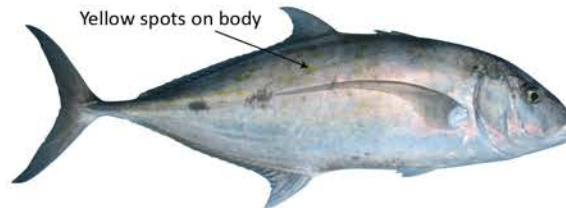


مذا هاندي (Muda handhi)
Giant trevally
Caranx ignobilis



Yellow spots on body

ڤابوا هاندي (Vabboa handhi)
Coastal trevally
Carangoides caeruleopinnatus



Yellow spots on body

دھون تھيکي هاندي (Dhon thiki handhi)
Yellow spotted trevally
Carangoides fulvoguttatus



Posterior margin of preopercle black in adults

تھيمارا هاندي (Thimara handhi)
Bar cheek trevally
Carangoides plagiotaenia



فاثي هاندي (Fathi handhi)
Longnose trevally
Carangoides chrysophrys



Dark bar extending from eye to dorsal spine

انڊھون ماس (Andhun mas)
Almaco jack
Seriola rivoliana



کاشي ڀالي (Kashi vaali)
Doublespotted queenfish
Scomberoides lysan

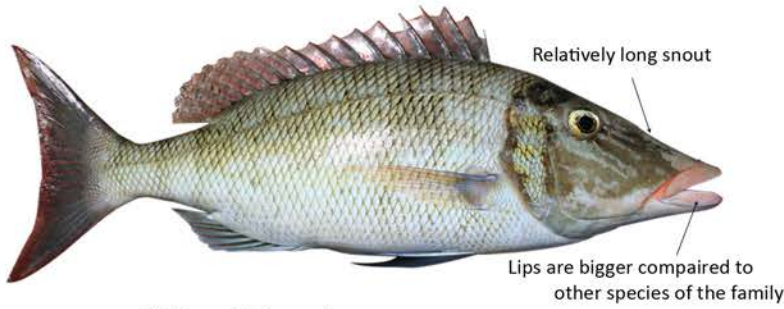


مانيا ماس (Maaniyaa mas)
Rainbow runner
Elagatis bipinnulata



موشيماس (Mushimas)
Bigeye scad
Selar crumenophthalmus

FAMILY - LETHRINIDAE



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Longnose emperor

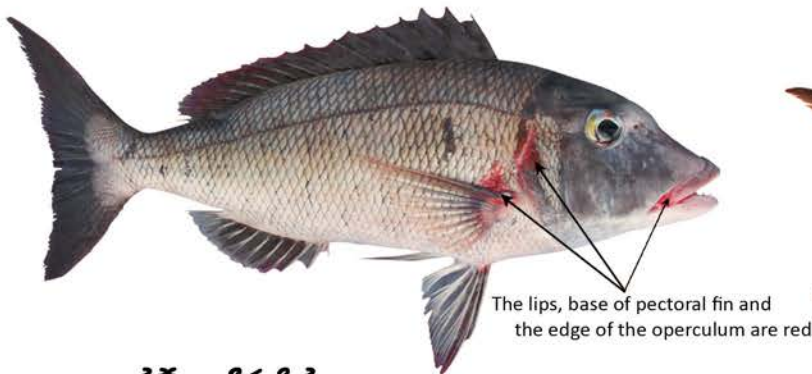
Lehrinus olivaceus



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Smalltooth emperor

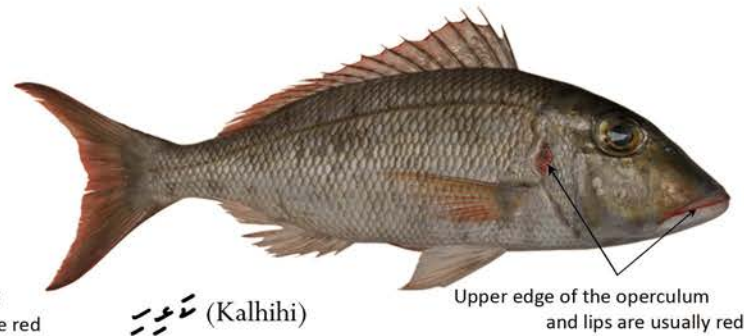
Lethrinus microdon



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Redaxil emperor

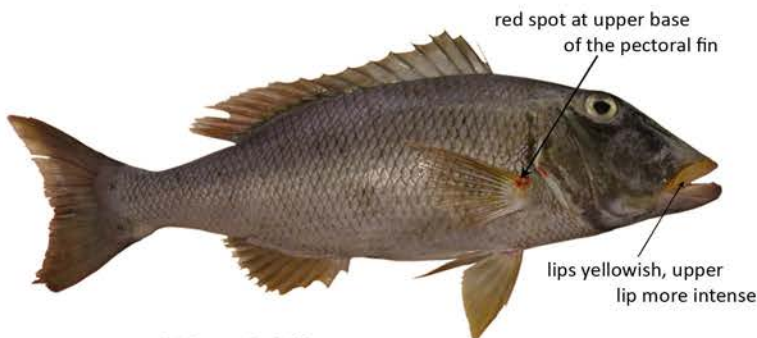
Lethrinus conchylatus



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Spot-cheek emperor

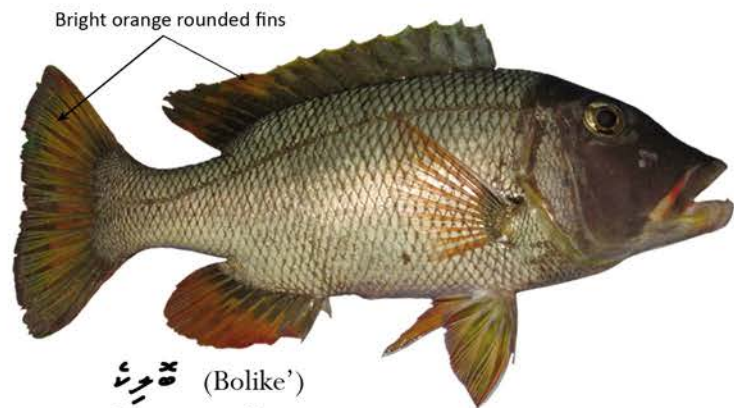
Lethrinus rubrioperculatus



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Yellowlip emperor

Lethrinus xanthochilus



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Orange-fin emperor

Lethrinus erythracanthus



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Maldivian emperor

(yet to be identified)

FAMILY - LUTJANIDAE



مَرْمَرِي (Raiymas)
Two-spot red snapper
Lutjanus bohar



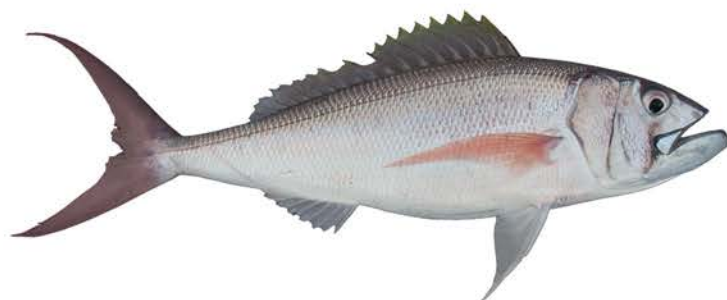

 (Ginimas)
Humpback red snapper
Lutjanus gibbus



(Dhonfalho mas)
One-spot snapper
Lutjanus monostigma



𩚑𩚑𩚑 (Giulhu)
Green jobfish
Aprion virescens



فَشُوڤِي رَنْكَارُمَاس (Fashuvi rankarumas)
Rusty jobfish
Aphareus rutilans



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Small toothed jobfish
Aphareus furca

FAMILY - SPHYRAENIDAE



فَرُو ثُولِي (Faru tholhi)
Bigeye barracuda
Sphyraena forsteri



دَارُو ثُولِي (Dharu tholhi)
Agujon Needlefish
Tylosurus acus



هَبَارُو ثُولِي (Hibaru tholhi)
Crocodile Needlefish
Tylosurus crocodilus

FAMILY - SCOMBRIDAE



كُرُمَاس (Kurumas)
Waahoo
Acanthocybium solandri

FAMILY - CORYPHAENIDAE

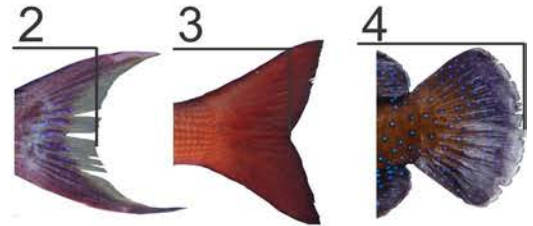


فِيَالَا (Fiyala)
Common dolphinfish
Coryphaena hippurus

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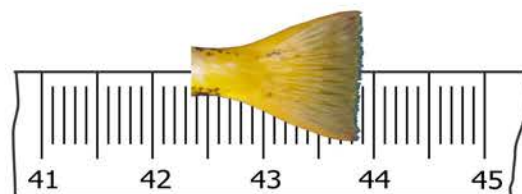
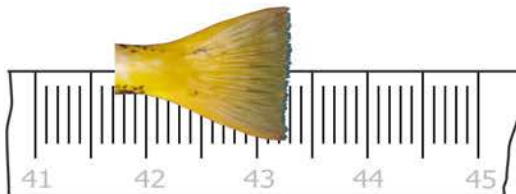
It is important that the fish be kept on a flat surface when taking the length.



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Length is taken from the tip of the lower jaw to the end of the tail

1. Straight edged: upto midpoint of outer edge of tail
2. lunate/emarginate: upto midpoint of tail,
3. slightly forked: upto point where tail is forked,
4. Rounded: upto midpoint of outer margin of tail

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Measurements should be taken to the nearest complete centimetre (i.e. in drawing both lengths show a length of 43 cm).