

Seafood Wars



WAR OF THE SHRIMP

About G.U.L.F.



- Gulf United for Lasting Fisheries
- Sustainable seafood program of Audubon Nature Institute
 - Zoo and Aquarium in New Orleans

Why sustainability matters



- Sustainability – The ability to endure.
- Sustainability is necessary for both people and the planet.
- [Video](#)

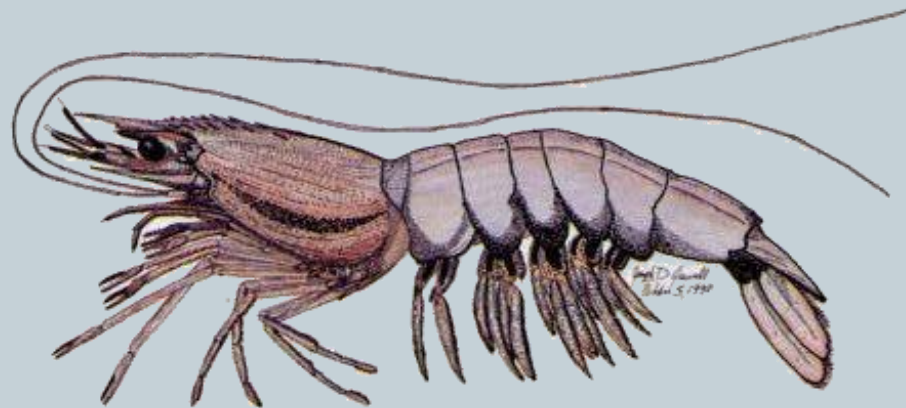
Quiz Time!



True or False



- The Gulf of Mexico accounts for the most shrimp landings in the U.S.



True

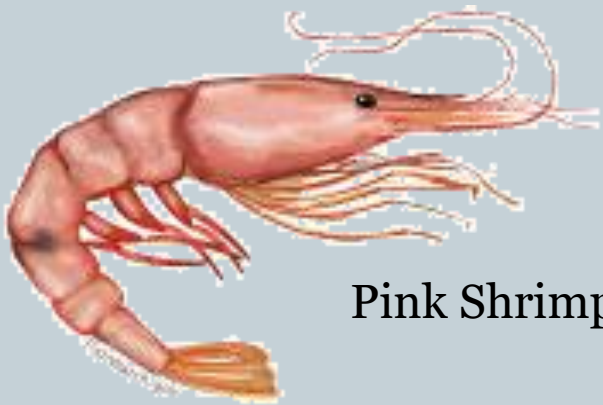


True or False?



- There is only one species of shrimp harvested from the Gulf of Mexico?

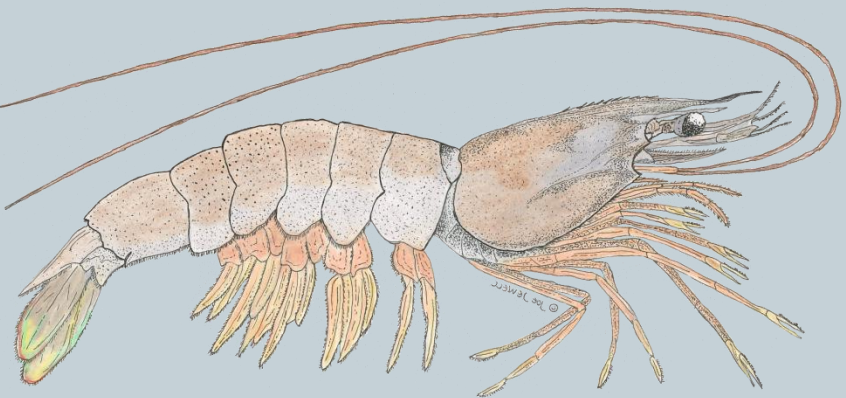
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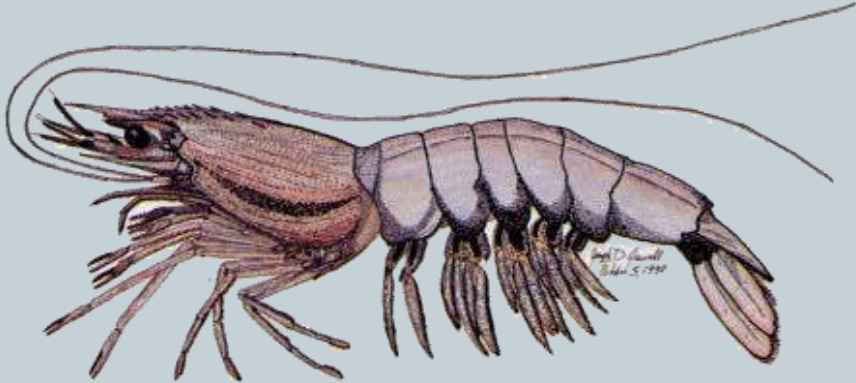
Pink Shrimp (mostly FL)



Royal Red Shrimp (very small fishery)



White Shrimp



Brown Shrimp (biggest shrimp fishery in TX)

True or False?



- Shrimp landings in Texas are worth about \$225 million

True



True or False?



- Other species can be caught in shrimp trawls.

True



True or False?



- For every pound of shrimp caught in a trawl, 10 pounds of other species are caught

False!



- Disclaimer: used to be true
- Bycatch ratios now much lower



True or False?



- Most of the shrimp eaten by Americans is caught by American fishermen.

False



- 90% of the shrimp consumed in the U.S. is imported.



What can you do?



- Ask questions!
- Buy U.S.
 - Support local economy.
 - Support the rigorous management in the U.S. and the Gulf.

~ A Rising Tide LIFTS ALL BOATS ~



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