

On Florida's recreational fisheries

1 in 5 Florida anglers fishes the Everglades

Value is \$1.2 billion/yr but \$ 68 million lost/yr due to lack of water

& Florida leads US in:

Angler dollars spent

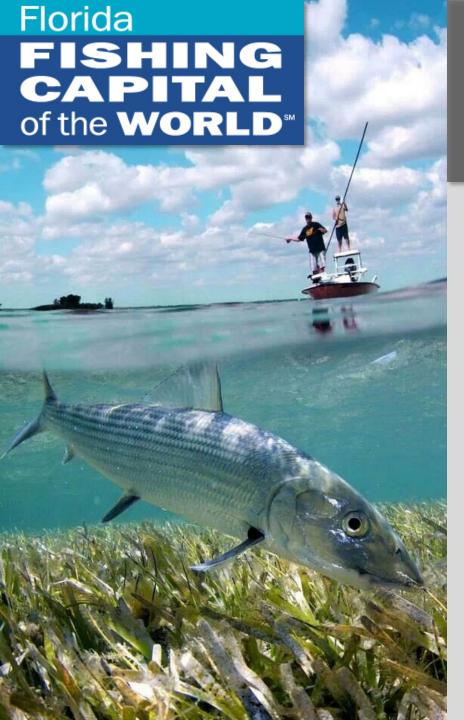
10% of dollars spent, \$ 5 billion/yr

Numbers of anglers

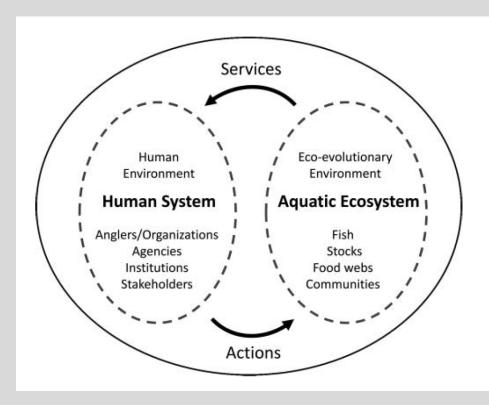
36% of all US fishing trips

Quality of fishing

15% of world's fishing records



Recreational fisheries coupled socio-ecological systems



Fisheries Session

Brent McKenna, FAU: Snook reproduction

Carissa Gervasi, FIU: Jack Crevalle population

Jordan Massie, FIU: Irma effects on Snook

Cody Eggenberger, FIU: Prey landscapes - Snook

Michelle Fournet, Cornell: Hydrology-toadfish calling