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Total allowable Commercial Catch for Victorian Pipi Fishery 2024/25

Consultation on the 2024/25 Total Allowable Commercial Catch (TACC) was undertaken in February 2023 in accordance with section 3A of the Fisheries Act 1995.

The TACCs have been determined based on our current knowledge of the resource and also a range of factors external to the fishery that have impacted catches. Please find attached the final Further Quota Order implementing the 2024/25 TACCs.

Given the limited data available and the need for fishing operations to stabilise in response to the transition to stand-alone licences and catch quotas, the current pipi TACC's will be maintained.

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