MALDIVES RESILIENT REEFS RECOMMENDED NO-TAKE SPECIES

Although these species are not illegal to catch, we recommend not catching them to maintain their populations at healthy levels.



Listed as 'Vulnerable' on the IUCN Red List of **Threatened Species**



Populations declining

KEY



Globally data deficient so their population status is not fully understood



Slow-growing and long-lived so are easily over-exploited



Important ecological role

Giant grouper



















Camouflage grouper



















Deep sea species such as Ruby snapper





Indo-Pacific blue marlin







Surgeonfish (all species)







