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Retiring NMFS Chief Scientist Steve Murawski was quoted recently in several news articles as saying that US overfishing has ended. He stated that for the first time in at least a century, U.S. fishermen won't be overfishing any species in the sea. This means that for the first time US fishermen won't take too much of any species from the sea.

This is a rather bold assertion. While I have a lot of respect for Steve Murawski, I for one remain unconvinced that this claim is accurate.

If someone wishes to debate this proposition, I would be happy to publish views under the Opinion section of this website.

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