

# *Katsuwonus pelamis* (Linnaeus, 1758)

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## SKIPJACK TUNA

Biota (Superdomínio) > Gnathostomata (Infracilo) > Osteichthyes (Parvfilo) > Actinopterygii (Gigaclasse) > Actinopteri (Superclasse) > Teleostei (Classe) > Scombriformes (Ordem) > Scombrinae (Subfamilia) > Katsuwonus (Genero)



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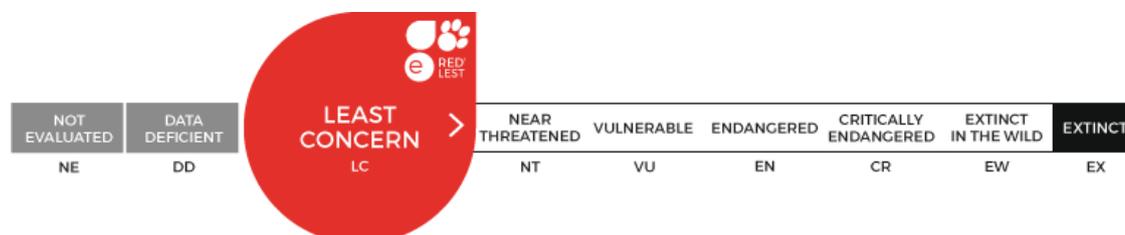
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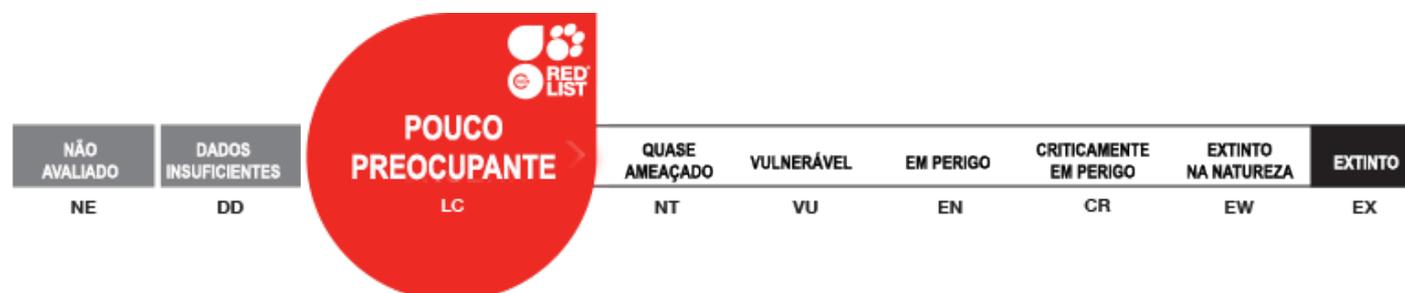
## Conservation Status

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## Conservation status and major threats

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## Synonyms

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*Thynnus pelamys* (Linnaeus, 1758)

*Thynnus vagans* Lesson, 1829

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