

Fantail Filefish
Pervagor spilosoma
'Ō'ili'uwi'uwi

This beautiful Filefish has a yellow body covered with rows of small black spots. The tail is bright orange, also with black spots, and is edged with black and yellow bands. Several dark diagonal lines are present on the cheeks. This endemic species feeds on a variety of algae and invertebrates and may reach a length of 18 cm.

