

Habitat Suitability and Designated Growing Areas

--- 30m depth contour

Seafloor Sediment Composition

Shepard- Seabed Class

- Gravel
- Gravelly Sediment
- Hard

Shellfish Suitability Areas

Habitat

- American Oyster
- Blue Mussel

Designated Shellfish Growing Areas (Oct 2009)

- Approved
- Conditionally Approved
- Conditionally Restricted
- Management Closure
- Prohibited
- Restricted

Data Sources:

Shellfish Habitat Suitability: MassGIS ver. May 2011

Hard Bottom Sediments: Seafloor Sediment Composition MassGIS/DMF 2011

Bathymetry: MassGIS. 250K Gulf of Maine Bathymetry

Hydrography: TNC NHD Plus (showing rivers of TNC size class 2 and greater)

Designated Shellfish Growing Areas: MassGIS ver. Oct 2009 (Subject to frequent change; consult MA Division of Marine Fisheries or town for current status)

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