

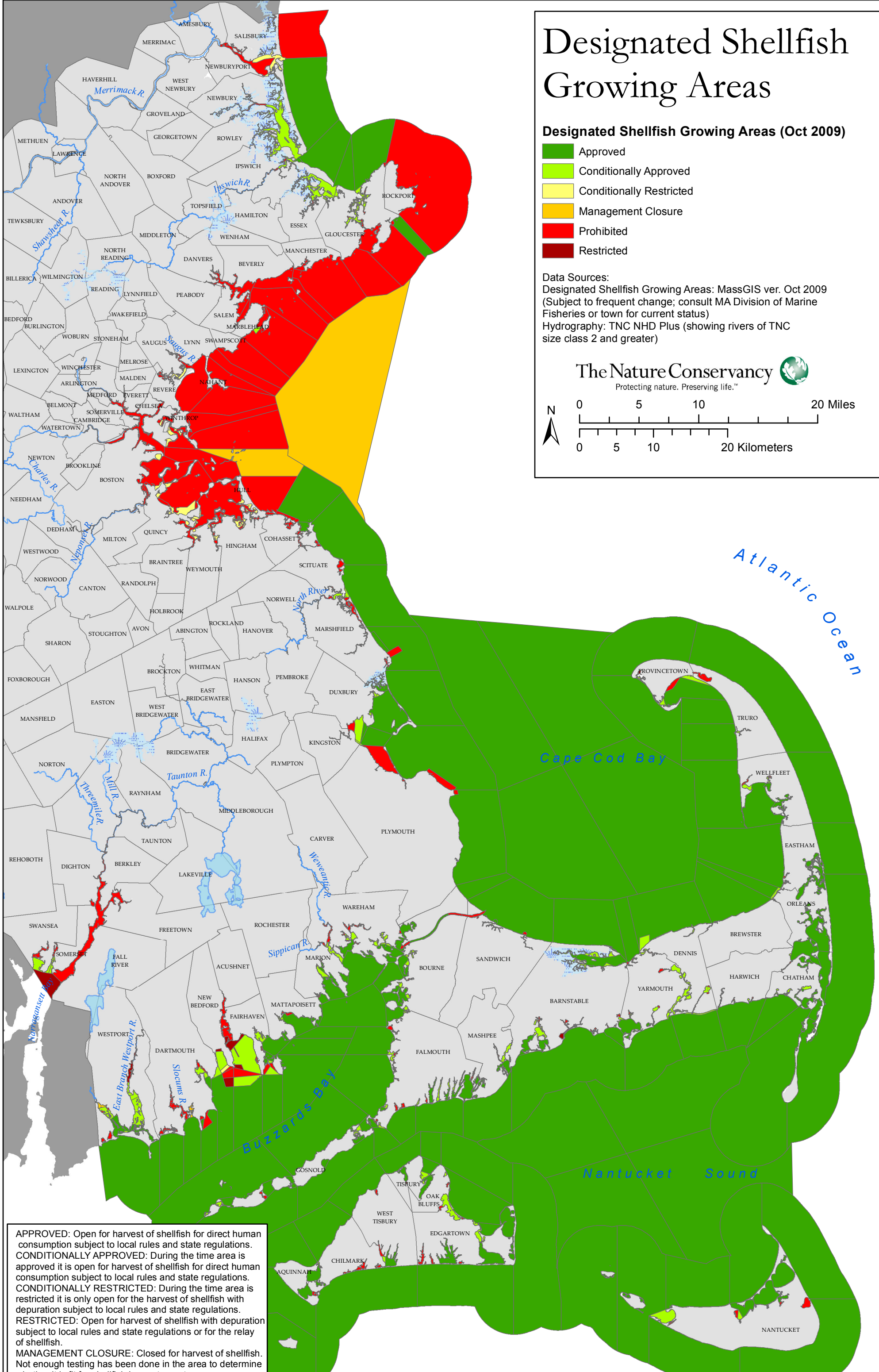
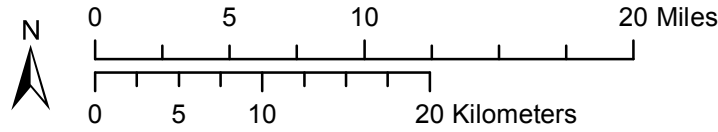
# Designated Shellfish Growing Areas

## Designated Shellfish Growing Areas (Oct 2009)

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

Data Sources:  
 Designated Shellfish Growing Areas: MassGIS ver. Oct 2009  
 (Subject to frequent change; consult MA Division of Marine Fisheries or town for current status)  
 Hydrography: TNC NHD Plus (showing rivers of TNC size class 2 and greater)

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**APPROVED:** Open for harvest of shellfish for direct human consumption subject to local rules and state regulations.  
**CONDITIONALLY APPROVED:** During the time area is approved it is open for harvest of shellfish for direct human consumption subject to local rules and state regulations.  
**CONDITIONALLY RESTRICTED:** During the time area is restricted it is only open for the harvest of shellfish with depuration subject to local rules and state regulations.  
**RESTRICTED:** Open for harvest of shellfish with depuration subject to local rules and state regulations or for the relay of shellfish.  
**MANAGEMENT CLOSURE:** Closed for harvest of shellfish. Not enough testing has been done in the area to determine whether it is fit for shellfish harvest or not.  
**PROHIBITED:** Closed for harvest of shellfish.  
 Source: Division of Marine Fisheries/MassGIS