Shellfish Growing Areas

Virginia Department of Health
Division of Shellfish Sanitation

77°30'0"W 77°0'0"W 76°30'0"W 76°0'0"W 75°30'0"W

38°0'0"N 37°30'0"N 37°0'0"N

Potomac River
Rappahannock River
York River
James River
Chesapeake Bay
Atlantic Ocean

001A Upper Machodoc Creek
001 Rosier Creek
002 Monroe Bay: Monroe and Mattox Creeks
003 Potomac River: Mattox Creek to Currioman Bay
004 Nomini and Currioman Bay
005 Lower Machodoc Creek
006 Gardner, Jackson and Bonum Creeks
007 Yeocomico River
008 Coan River, The Glebe and Kingcote Creek
009 Potomac River: Coan River to Ginny Beach
010 Little Wicomico River
011 Gaskins and Owens Ponds and Taskmakers Creek
012 Cockrell Creek
013 Great Wicomico River
014 Chesapeake Bay: Mill Creek to Dividing Creek
015 Dividing Creek
016 Indian, Dymer and Tabbs Creeks
017 Little Bay and Antipoison Creek
018 Oyster, Little Oyster, Windmill Point and Mosquito Creek
019 Rappahannock River: Mosquito Creek to Carter Creek
020 Carter Creek
021 Corrotoman River
022 Rappahannock River: Towles Point to Deep Creek
023 Lancaster, Deep and Mulberry Creeks
024 Farnham Creek
025 Totuskey and Richardson Creeks
025A Rappahannock River: Totuskey Creek to Tappahannock
026 Rappahannock River: Wares Wharf to Mud Creek
026A Rappahannock River: Wares Wharf to Tappahannock Bridge
027 Rappahannock River: Mud and Parrotts Creeks
028 Lagrange and Robinson Creeks
029 Urbanna Creek
030 Whiting and Meachim Creeks
031 Locklies and Mill Creeks
032 Bush Park and Sturgeon Creeks
033 Jackson and Broad Creeks
034 Piankatank River, Lower
035 Piankatank River, Upper
036 Gwynn Island
037 Stutts, Queens and Whites Creeks
038 Winter Harbor and Garden Creek
039 Horn Harbor and Dyer Creek
040 Mobjack Bay: New Point Comfort to East River
041 East River
042 North River
043 Ware River
044 Severn River
045 Browns Bay and Monday Creek
046 Sarah Creek and Perrin River
047 York River: Gloucester Point to Allmondsville
048 York River: Poropotank and Puritan Bays
049 York River: West Point Vicinity
050 York River: Camp Peary to Terrapin Point
051 York River: Camp Peary to Yorktown
052 York River: Yorktown to Goodwin Islands
053 Poquoson River and Back Creek
054 Back River
055 Chesapeake Bay: Back River to Old Point Comfort
056 Hampton Roads: Old Point Comfort to Newport News Point
057 James River: Newport News Point to Deep Creek
058 Warwick River and Deep Creek
059 James River: Mulberry Point to Jamestown Island
060 Cobham Bay and Lawnes Creek
061 Pagan River
062 Chuckatuck Creek
063 Nansemond River
064 Hampton Roads: Nansemond River to Elizabeth River
065 Elizabeth River: Lafayette River
066 Hampton Roads: Tanner Point to Willoughby Spit
067 Ocean View - Willoughby
068 Little Creek
069 Chesapeake Bay: Little Creek to Lynnhaven Bay
070 Lynnhaven Bay
071 Broad and Linkhorn Bays
072 Cape Henry
073 Virginia Beach
074 Smith and Fox Islands
075 Pocomoke Sound
076 Messongo and Guilford Creeks
077 Hunting and Deep Creeks
078 Tangier, Goose and Watts Island
079 Chesconessex Creek
080 Onancock and Matchotank Creeks
081 Pungoteague Creek
082 Nandua and Curratuck Creeks
083 Craddock Creek
084 Occohannock Creek
085 Nassawadox Creek
086 Hungars and Mattawoman Creeks
087 The Gulf
088 Cherrystone Inlet
089 Cape Charles
090 Old Plantation and Elliotts Creeks
091 Chesapeake Bay: Elliotts Creek to Cape Charles Point
092 Fishermans Island
093 Seaside: Cape Charles Point to Seaview
094 Seaside: Seaview to Eastville Station
095 Seaside: Eastville Station to Nassawadox
096 Machipongo River
097 Seaside: Finney and Folly Creeks
098 Seaside: Metomkin, Gargathy and Kegotank Bays
099 Seaside: Bogues and Shells Bays
100 Chincoteague Bay
101 Chincoteague Channel and Toms Cove
102 Assateague Channel and Oyster Bay

White Stone
Accomac
Richmond
Norfolk

Seawater Sampling Stations *

* 2204 active sampling stations.

0 10 20 Miles

0 10 20 30 Miles

1 inch = 6 miles

Virginia Shellfish Waters and their associated shorelines are divided into regions defined as 'Growing Areas'.

☆ VDH - DSS Office Locations

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