

Bivalve Mollusc Production Areas in England and Wales: Sampling Plan

Production Area: Chichester Harbour

Local Authority: Havant BC & Chichester DC

Classification

Classification zone	RMP*	RMP name	NGR	Latitude & Longitude (WGS84)	Species	Growing method	Harvesting technique	Sampling method	Tolerance	Frequency
Dell Quay	B018J	Dell Quay	SU 8342 0280	50°49.12'N 0°49.03'W	Native oysters	Wild	Dredge	Dredge / deployment bag	100m / 10m	Quarterly
Cobnor	B018K	Cobnor	SU 7911 0173	50°48.58'N 0°52.71'W		Wild	Dredge	Dredge / deployment bag	100m / 10m	Quarterly
Thorney Channel	B018H	Thorney Outfall	SU 7710 0360	50°49.61'N 0°54.40'W		Wild	Dredge	Dredge / deployment bag	100m / 10m	Monthly
Emsworth Channel	B018M	Emsworth	SU 7469 0448	50°50.10'N 0°56.44'W		Wild	Dredge	Dredge / deployment bag	100m / 10m	Monthly
Prinstead	B018P	Hambrook	SU 7776 0479	50°50.25'N 0°53.82'W	<i>Tapes</i> clams	Wild	Hand digging	Hand digging	100m	Monthly
Northney	B018N	Northney Marina	SU 7299 0439	50°50.07N 00°57.89W	Cockles	Wild	Hand digging	Hand digging	100m	Monthly

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Biotoxin monitoring

Classification zone	RMP*	RMP name	NGR	Latitude & Longitude (WGS84)	Species	Frequency of flesh sampling	Frequency of water sampling
Emsworth Channel	B018M	Emsworth	SU 7469 0448	50°50.10'N 0°56.44'W	Native oysters	Four weekly	1 st April to 30 th Sept – Fortnightly 1 st Oct to 31 st Mar – Four weekly

Additional sampling requirements:

Under certain circumstances it may be necessary to request additional samples for the purposes of either classification or biotoxin monitoring. The criteria for requesting additional samples can be found within the relevant protocols at the links below:

- **Classification**

<https://www.cefas.co.uk/cefas-data-hub/food-safety/classification-and-microbiological-monitoring/england-and-wales-classification-and-monitoring/>

("Classification Protocol for England and Wales")

- **Biotoxin Monitoring**

<https://www.cefas.co.uk/cefas-data-hub/food-safety/the-shellfish-partnership/>

(under Harmonised protocols – collection protocols, **Shellfish** "From classified areas (England, Wales and Scotland)"

Water "From classified areas (England & Wales)

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