

# Bivalve Mollusc Production Areas in England and Wales: Sampling Plan

**Production Area:** Fal (Lower)

**Local Authority:** Cornwall PHA

## Classification

Classification zone	RMP	RMP name	NGR	Latitude & Longitude (WGS84)	Species	Growing method	Harvesting technique	Sampling method	Tolerance	Frequency
Parsons Bank	<a href="#">B033L</a>	Parsons Bank	SW 8254 3740	50°11.80N 5°2.90W	Native oysters	Wild	Dredging	Sample Bagged	10m	Monthly
Mylor Creek	<a href="#">B033N</a>	Mylor Creek	SW 8196 3546	50°10.74N 5°3.32W	Native oysters	Wild	Dredging	Sample Bagged	10m	Monthly
Falmouth Wharves & Meads	<a href="#">B033X</a>	Falmouth Wharves	SW 7994 3400	50°9.91N 5°4.96W	Native oysters	Wild	Dredging	Sample Bagged	10m	Monthly
Mylor Creek	<a href="#">B33AN</a>	Mylor Creek	SW 8196 3551	50°10.76N 5°3.32W	Mussels	Wild	Dredging	Sample Bagged	10m	Monthly
Restronguet Creek	<a href="#">B33BE</a>	Restronguet Creek	SW 8147 3719	50°11.65N 5°3.79W	Native oysters	Wild	Dredging	Sample Bagged	10m	Monthly
Turnaware Bar	<a href="#">B33BF</a>	Turnaware Bar	SW 8351 3870	50°12.52N 5°2.13W	Native oysters	Wild	Dredging	Sample Bagged	10m	Monthly
Mylor Bank	<a href="#">B33BG</a>	Mylor Pool	SW 8280 3517	50°10.60N 5°2.60W	Native oysters	Sea bed /relayed	Hand-picking	Sample Bagged	10m	Monthly
East Bank	<a href="#">B33BM</a>	East Bank North	SW 8356 3783	50°12.05N 5°2.05W	Native oysters	Sea bed /relayed	Dredging	Sample Bagged	10m	Monthly

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Restronguet Creek	<a href="#">B33BN</a>	Restronguet Creek Mussels	SW 8147 3719	50°11.66N 5°3.79W	Mussels	Wild	Hand-picked	Sample Bagged	10m	Monthly
East Bank Relay	B33BQ	East Bank Relay North	SW 8366 3789	50°12.08N 5°1.97W	Mussels	Sea bed /relayed	Hand-picked	Sample Bagged	10m	Monthly
East Bank Relay	B33BR	East Bank Relay South	SW 8406 3576	50°10.945N 5°1.564W	Mussels	Sea bed /relayed	Hand-picked	Sample Bagged	10m	Monthly
St Just	<a href="#">B33BK</a>	St. Just	SW 8491 3645	50°11.336N 5°0.874W	Mussels	Wild	Hand-picked	Sample Bagged	10m	Monthly

### Biotoxin monitoring

Classification zone	RMP	RMP name	NGR	Latitude & Longitude (WGS84)	Species	Frequency of flesh sampling	Frequency of water sampling
Mylor Bank	B33BG	Mylor Pool	SW 8280 3517	50°10.60N 5°2.60W	Native oysters	<b>Sept to Apr only</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> April to 30 <sup>th</sup> Sept – Fortnightly 1 <sup>st</sup> Oct to 31 <sup>st</sup> Mar – Four weekly	1 <sup>st</sup> April to 30 <sup>th</sup> Sept – Fortnightly 1 <sup>st</sup> Oct to 31 <sup>st</sup> Mar – Four weekly
Mylor Creek	B33AN	Mylor Creek	SW 8196 3551	50°10.76N 5°3.32W	Mussels	<b>May to Aug only</b> 1 <sup>st</sup> April to 30 <sup>th</sup> Sept – Fortnightly 1 <sup>st</sup> Oct to 31 <sup>st</sup> Mar – Four weekly	1 <sup>st</sup> April to 30 <sup>th</sup> Sept – Fortnightly 1 <sup>st</sup> Oct to 31 <sup>st</sup> Mar – Four weekly

### Additional sampling requirements:

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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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