

Fareham Creek (rMCZ24.2) Evidence Review

Region	Balanced Seas	
Site Name/number	Fareham Creek rMCZ BS24.2	
ENG Features present and proposed for inclusion within MCZ designation	BSH	-
	Habitat FOCI	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Native Oyster <i>Ostrea edulis</i> beds • Sheltered muddy gravels.
	Species FOCI	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>Ostrea edulis</i>
ENG Features present but not proposed for inclusion within MCZ designation	BSH	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Intertidal mud • Coastal saltmarshes and saline reedbeds • Subtidal mud.
	Habitat FOCI	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Seagrass beds.
	Species FOCI	-
Non-ENG Features (Geological/geomorphological)		-

Evidence Summary – data provided by Regional MCZ Projects

Feature	Evidence Summary	Key Sources
Native Oyster <i>Ostrea edulis</i> beds	No data	No data
Sheltered muddy gravels	Point data from Regional Projects - BS. >1 HOCI in rMCZ. 1 ground truthed record. No polygon data	Regional Projects - BS.
<i>Ostrea edulis</i>	No data	No data

Description of New Evidence Identified by MB0116 project

Evidence Description	Source	Feature
Hampshire_loW_Zoster_Inventory_Polygons_region_MCZ	Hampshire and Isle of Wight Wildlife Trust	Seagrass beds
Seagrass_Inventory_Points_MCZ	Hampshire and Isle of Wight Wildlife Trust	Seagrass beds

Evidence That Could Not Be Acquired by MB0116 project

Evidence Description	Source	Feature
Rock and thin sediment.	British Geological	Broadscale habitats

	Society	
Recent survey results from records centre	Hampshire records centre	Features unknown