

SHELLFISH HOTLINE

Message N° 219

This email was updated on **Wednesday, 7th January 2009.**

Here are the results of the routine sampling **event 241** which was conducted on **Monday, 5th** and **Tuesday, 6th January 2009.**

- *Pseudo-nitzschia* spp. was detected in very low numbers at the Grassy Point, Pinnacle Channel, Flinders and Mount Martha Aquaculture Fisheries Reserves.
- *Dinophysis cf fortii* was detected in very low numbers at the Clifton Springs Aquaculture Fisheries Reserves.

These results are below the trigger levels, and no action is required.

Seawater temperature at the AFRs:

	This week	Two weeks ago
Clifton Springs	17.9	16.4
Grassy Point	17.7	16.4
Dromana	17.9	N/A
Flinders	17.5	N/A
Pinnacle Channel	17.6	16.3
Mount Martha	17.7	N/A

Note: These are surface temperatures taken at one point in time and should only be used as an indicator of gross temperature changes.

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