



Eelgrass is widely recognized as critical habitat for a wide variety of marine organisms including several species of juvenile salmon and other fish. Eelgrass beds generally occur on muddy bottom sheltered shallow waters.

Eelgrass - Relative Abundance

Low  Med  High 

Note: To make the lines visible, the thickness of eelgrass lines is exaggerated

0 40 80 120 160 km

Eelgrass data: merged from BC MSRM, DFO, Parks Canada.
Overlapping data sorted so higher values appear on top.
Mapping: Living Oceans Society

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