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## Fecal coliform levels in sediment samples determined by most probable number method

Sampling site	Fecal coliforms/100 ml <sup>a,b</sup>
William Head	>2,400
Parry Bay	240
Coghlan Rock	460
Saxe Point	210
Brotchie Ledge	460
Trial Island West	>2,400
Trial Island East	1,100

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> Health Canada and U.S. E.P.A. recreational water standards = ≤200 fecal coliforms/100 ml fresh or marine water; W.H.O. = ≤100 fecal coliforms /100 ml

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>c</sup> Health Canada standard for shellfish water = 14 fecal coliforms/ml