#### **Invertebrates**

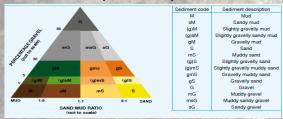
ID Ring Tests, Own Sample Module and Laboratory References





### **Particle Size Analysis**

Particle Size and Particle Size
Own Sample Reanalysis



Fish



Ring Test and Reverse Ring Test

### Macroalgae

Rocky Shore Algae ID Ring Test,
Opportunistic Macroalgae %
Cover and Macroalgae Biomass
Ring Test

# The National Marine Biological Analytical Quality Control Scheme



- Set up in 1994 to provide a source of external quality control for UK competent monitoring authorities (CMAs)
- Also open to consultants and non-UK participants
- Reports to HDBSEG (the Healthy & Biological Diverse Seas Evidence Group) under the UK's Marine Monitoring & Assessment Strategy (UKMMAS)
- Helps to standardise results and methods by providing Best Practice Guides, Taxonomic Workshops and Training Exercises
- Currently 7 components

## Zooplankton

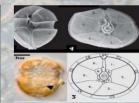
Identification, Enumeration, Quizzes and Workshops



### **Phytoplankton**

Identification, Enumeration, Ocean
Teacher HAB Quiz, Workshops





# **Epibiota**



Benthic Imagery Action Plan, Quality Assurance Framework and Workshops

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