

Vancou	ver Island bio-ma	pping.							
MAJOR SUBSTRATE	BEDROCK/BOULDER	BEDROCK/BOULDER	BEDROCK/BOULDER	BEDROCK/BOULDER	SAND & GRAVEL	SAND & GRAVEL	SAND/MUD	SEDIMENT	BEDROCK OR SEDIMENT
COASTAL CLASSES	1-20	1-20	1-23, 32, 33	1-23, 33	24, 25, 26, 32	24, 25, 26, 32	27, 28, 29, 30, 31	24 - 30	
EXPOSURE (EXP_BIO)	Е	SE	SP	P, VP	SP	P, VP	SP, P, VP	SE, E	VP, P, SP
HABITAT OBSERVED (HAB_OBS)	2	3 *	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
upper	Verrucaria	Verrucaria	Verrucaria	Verrucaria	Verrucaria	Verrucaria	marsh grasses & rushes		
		Enteromorpha	Enteromorpha	Enteromorpha	Enteromorpha	Enteromorpha			tidal current dominated; may be a Protected wave exposure but shows
							Salicornia virginica		
	Balanus glandula	Balanus glandula	Balanus glandula	Balanus glandula	Balanus glandula	Balanus glandula	Balanus glandula		
	Pelvetiopsis limitata	Fucus distichus	Fucus distichus						
middle								1	an assemblage of
	Semibalanus carriosus	Semibalanus carriosus	Semibalanus carriosus		Semibalanus carriosus			- -	indicator species from higher wave
	Pollicipes polymerus		Mytilus trossulus	Mytilus trossulus	Mytilus trossulus	Mytilus trossulus	Mytilus trossulus	no visible macrobiota	exposures.
			Ulva/ Ulvaria spp.	Ulva/ Ulvaria spp.	Ulva/ Ulvaria spp.	Ulva/Ulvaria spp.	Ulva/ Ulvaria spp.	due to sediment	
mid/low	Mytilus californianus	Mytilus californianus						mobility	
		Microcladia/Iridea type	Gigartina/Odonthalia	Gigartina/Odonthalia	Gigartina/Odonthalia	Gigartina/Odonthalia			
		mixed reds	type mixed reds	type mixed reds	type mixed reds	type mixed reds			
	Postelsia palmaeformis								
		Hedophyllum sessile							
		Codium fragile	Codium fragile		Codium fragile				
lower	Lessoniopsis littoralis		Laminaria saccharina	Laminaria saccharina	Laminaria saccharina	Laminaria saccharina			
		Egregia menziesii							
	Laminaria setchellii	Laminaria setchellii							
		Laminaria groenlandica	Laminaria groenlandica		Laminaria groenlandica			_	1
	Alaria nana.	Alaria marginata.	Alaria marginata.		Alaria marginata.				
		Eisenia arborea						-	
	Lithothamnion	Lithothamnion	Lithothamnion		Lithothamnion				
			Sargassum muticum		Sargassum muticum				
		Agarum sp							
		Phyllospadix scouleri							1
subtidal		Macrocystis integrifolia							
	Nereocystis luetkeana	Nereocystis luetkeana	Nereocystis luetkeana		Nereocystis luetkeana				
		Strongylocentrotus	Strongylocentrotus		Strongylocentrotus				
		franciscanus	franciscanus		franciscanus			_	
			Zostera marina	Zostera marina	Zostera marina	Zostera marina	Zostera marina	1	1