

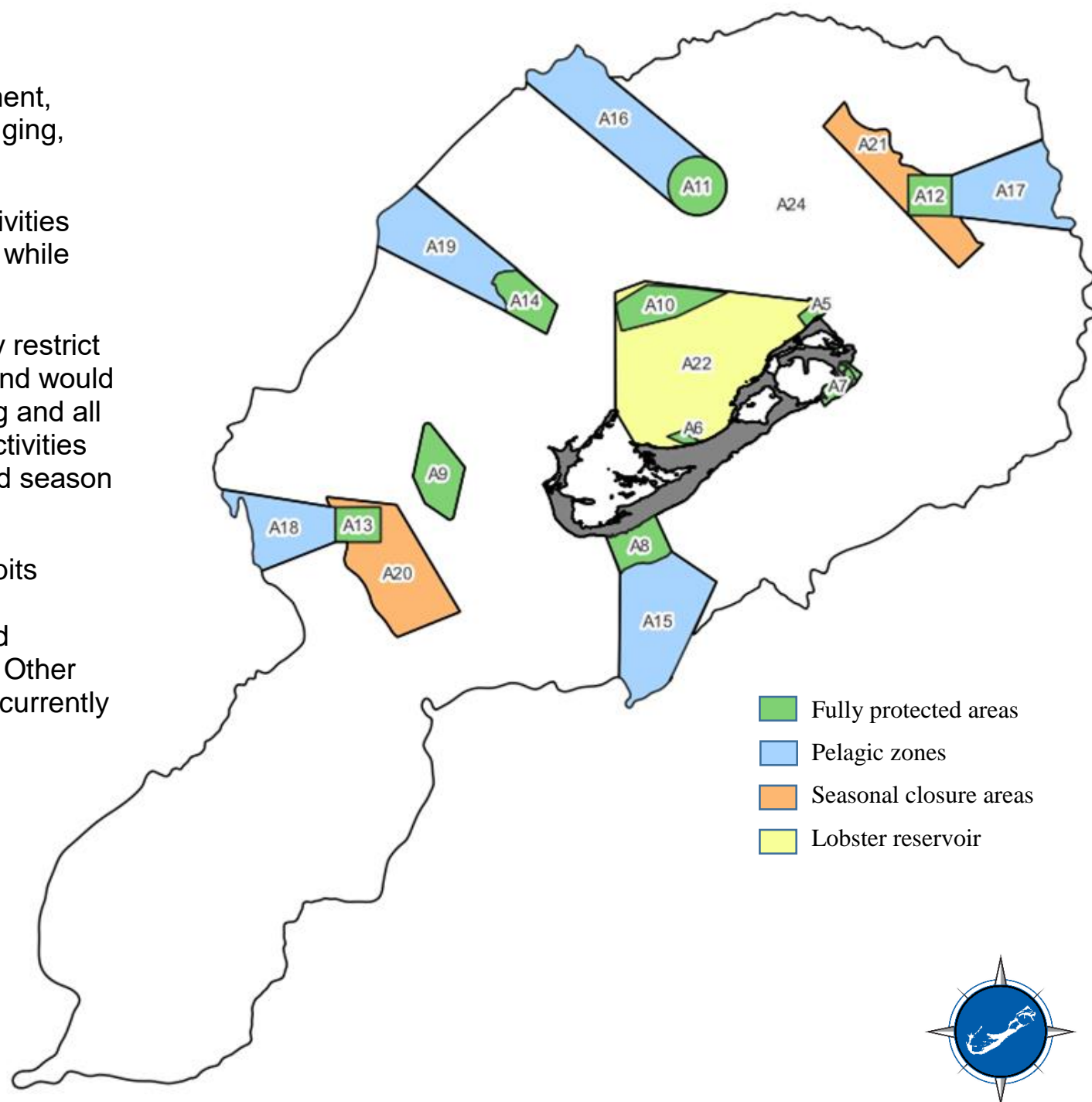
## Where are the proposed Marine Protected Areas (MPAs) and what activities would be permitted and prohibited?

**Fully protected** would prohibit all extractive activity (e.g. development, extractive research, fishing, dredging, etc).

**Pelagic zones** would prohibit activities that directly damage the seabed while permitting surface fishing.

**Seasonal closure areas** currently restrict fishing at certain times of year, and would now additionally prohibit shipping and all types of development. Fishing activities taking place outside of the closed season would not be affected.

**Lobster reservoir** currently prohibits lobster trapping, and would now additionally prohibit dredging and renewable energy development. Other fishing activities will continue as currently legislated.



## What would I be allowed to do in each proposed Marine Protected Area?

Each proposed MPA has a unique identification number (e.g. 'A5'). Use the map provided to see where each proposed area would be located and use the table below to the activities that would be permitted, prohibited or restricted (i.e. limited in some way) in each.

Shape	Protection Level (according to MPA Guide)	Research: non-extractive	Restoration/enhancement for conservation	Non-extractive recreation	Low impact tourism	High impact tourism	Research: extractive	Lobster trapping	Lobster diving	Bottom fishing	Netting (all types)	Commercial trolling/surface fishing	Recreational trolling/surface fishing	Catch and release fly fishing	Recreational spearfishing	Navigation/transiting vessels/boating	Shipping	Restoration/enhancement for other reasons	Industrial fishing, industrial scale aquaculture	Aquaculture - small scale	Dredging & dumping	Renewable energy generation	Infrastructure works & development	Cabeling	Untreated water discharge	Mining, oil and gas extraction	Habitation	EIA requirement for all development, change of use or intensity of use	Management plan required for special areas of interest, legislated or declared protected areas
A5 - Coot Pond	FULL	✓	✓	✓	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	r	x	x	x	+	+
A6 - Tyne's Bay Madracis Reef	FULL	✓	✓	✓	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	r	x	x	x	+	+
A7 - Castle Harbour Islands and Reef	FULL	✓	✓	✓	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	r	x	x	x	+	+
A7.1 - Cable zone adjacent to full protection areas	HIGH	✓	✓	✓	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	✓	x	x	x	+	+
A8 - South Shore	FULL	✓	✓	✓	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	r	x	x	x	+	+
A9 - Chubb's Head	FULL	✓	✓	✓	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	r	x	x	x	+	+
A10 - North Lagoon	FULL	✓	✓	✓	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	r	x	x	x	+	+
A11 - North Rock	FULL	✓	✓	✓	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	r	x	x	x	+	+
A12 - Eastern Grouper Box	FULL	✓	✓	✓	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	r	x	x	x	+	+
A13 - Western Grouper Box	FULL	✓	✓	✓	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	r	x	x	x	+	+
A14 - Eastern Blue Cut	FULL	✓	✓	✓	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	r	x	x	x	+	+
A15 - South Shore Pelagic Zone	HIGH	✓	✓	✓	✓	x	✓	x	x	x	x	✓	✓	✓	r	✓	✓	✓	x	x	x	x	x	r	x	x	x	+	+
A16 - North Rock Pelagic Zone	HIGH	✓	✓	✓	✓	x	✓	x	x	x	x	✓	✓	✓	r	✓	✓	✓	x	x	x	x	x	r	x	x	x	+	+
A17 - Eastern Grouper Box Pelagic Zone	HIGH	✓	✓	✓	✓	x	✓	x	x	x	x	✓	✓	✓	r	✓	✓	✓	x	x	x	x	x	r	x	x	x	+	+
A18 - Western Grouper Box Pelagic Zone	HIGH	✓	✓	✓	✓	x	✓	x	x	x	x	✓	✓	✓	r	✓	✓	✓	x	x	x	x	x	r	x	x	x	+	+
A19 - Eastern Blue Cut Pelagic Zone	HIGH	✓	✓	✓	✓	x	✓	x	x	x	x	✓	✓	✓	r	✓	✓	✓	x	x	x	x	x	r	x	x	x	+	+
A20 - Seasonally Protected Area West	HIGH	✓	✓	✓	✓	x	✓	r	r	r	x	r	r	r	r	✓	x	✓	x	x	x	x	x	r	x	x	x	+	+
A21 - Seasonally Protected Areas East	HIGH	✓	✓	✓	✓	x	✓	r	r	r	x	r	r	r	r	✓	x	✓	x	x	x	x	x	r	x	x	x	+	+
A22 - Spiny Lobster Reserve	HIGH	✓	✓	✓	✓	x	✓	x	r	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	r	✓	r	✓	x	✓	x	x	r	r	x	x	x	+	+
A24 - Platform	LIGHT	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	x	✓	r	✓	r	✓	r	x	x	+	+
C1 - Bailey's Bay	FULL	✓	✓	✓	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	r	x	x	x	+	+
C2 - Coney Cove	FULL	✓	✓	✓	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	r	x	x	x	+	+
C3 - Whalebone Bay	FULL	✓	✓	✓	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	r	x	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	r	x	x	x	+	+
C4 - Walsingham	HIGH	✓	✓	✓	✓	x	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	r	x	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	r	x	x	x	+	+
C5 - North of Riddell's Bay	FULL	✓	✓	✓	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	r	x	x	x	+	+
C6 - Paradise Lakes	HIGH	✓	✓	✓	✓	r	✓	✓	✓	✓	x	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	r	x	x	x	+	+
C7 - The Lagoon	FULL	✓	✓	✓	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	r	x	x	x	+	+
C8 - Hospital Bay	HIGH	✓	✓	✓	✓	x	✓	✓	✓	✓	x	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	r	x	x	x	+	+
M - Mangroves	FULL	✓	✓	✓	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	x	r	x	x	x	+	+
MB - Mangrove Buffer Zone	HIGH	✓	✓	✓	✓	x	✓	x	x	x	x	x	x	r	x	✓	x	✓	x	x	x	x	r	r	x	x	x	+	+

✓ = permitted  
r = restricted  
x = prohibited  
+ = required

Green = fully protected  
Orange = highly protected  
Yellow = lightly protected

