

SCENARIO 2: BI-weekly sampling for, DST and PST, is applicable when the implementation of Scenario 1 is not possible. See applicable notes below.

BI-WEEKLY: MOLLUSCAN SHELLFISH SAMPLING SCHEDULE: FY 2024 to 2025 (JULY 2024 to JUNE 2025)												
	2024						2025					
	July	August	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	April	May	June
Sun			1			1						1
Mon	1		2			2(**1)						2
Tues	2		3	1		3				1		3
Wed	3		4	2		4	1			2		4
Thurs	4	1	5	3		5	2			3	1	5
Fri	5	2	6	4	1	6	3			4	2	6
Sat	6	3	7	5	2	7	4	1	1	5	3	7
Sun	7	4	8	6	3	8	5	2	2	6	4	8
Mon	8	5	9	7	4	9	6(Sal)	3(Lud only)	3(**3)	7	5	9(**2)
Tues	9	6	10	8	5	10	7	4	4	8	6	10
Wed	10	7	11	9	6	11	8	5	5	9	7	11
Thurs	11	8	12	10	7	12	9	6	6	10	8	12
Fri	12	9	13	11	8	13	10	7	7	11	9	13
Sat	13	10	14	12	9	14	11	8	8	12	10	14
Sun	14	11	15	13	10	15	12	9	9	13	11	15
Mon	15	12	16	14(Sal)	11	16	13	10	10	14	12(****4)	16
Tues	16	13	17	15	12	17	14	11	11	15	13	17
Wed	17	14	18	16	13	18	15	12	12	16	14	18
Thurs	18	15	19	17	14	19	16	13	13	17	15	19
Fri	19	16	20	18	15	20	17	14	14	18	16	20
Sat	20	17	21	19	16	21	18	15	15	19	17	21
Sun	21	18	22	20	17	22	19	16	16	20	18	22
Mon	22(Sal)	19	23	21	18	23	20	17(**2)	17	21	19	23
Tues	23	20	24	22	19	24	21	18	18	22	20	24
Wed	24	21	25	23	20	25	22	19	19	23	21	25
Thurs	25	22	26	24	21	26	23	20	20	24	22	26
Fri	26	23	27	25	22	27	24	21	21	25	23	27
Sat	27	24	28	26	23	28	25	22	22	26	24	28
Sun	28	25	29	27	24	29	26	23	23	27	25	29
Mon	29	26	30	28	25	30	27	24	24	28(Sal)	26	30
Tues	30	27	29	26	23	31	28	25	25	29	27	
Wed	31	28		30	27		29	26	26	30	28	
Thurs		29		31	28		30	27	27		29	
Fri		30			29		31	28	28		30	
Sat		31			30			29	29		31	
Sun									30			
Mon									31			
	LIP, PST, MICRO		Cd, LIP, PST		LIP, PST		AST, LIP, PST, MICRO			AST, LIP, PST, MICRO & VIRUS		HM, LIP, PST
ACRONYMS:	AST= Amnesic shellfish toxin; LIP= Lipophilic toxins; PST= Paralytic shellfish toxin; HM= Heavy Metals (Inorganic Arsenic, Cadmium, Lead, Mercury); Cd= Cadmium; Dioxins & PCBs = Polychlorinated biphenyls; RAD = Radionuclides; MICRO = E. coli, Salmonella, Vibrio; VIRUS = Hepatitis A&B and Norovirus; VET = Veterinary Drugs											
AST	Walvis Bay and Swakopmund (Oysters and Scallops) - Only in May, June, July, August & Sept . Phytoplankton trigger alert testing based on threshold, as per Annex D, 2024/25 NSSP Review Report.											
Toxin	Luderitz (Abalone, Oysters & Scallops) - Only in February and June 2025 . Phytoplankton trigger alert testing based on threshold, as per Annex D, 2024/25 NSSP Review Report. See notes for actual sampling date.											
LIPOPH. Toxin	Abalone - Phytoplankton trigger alert testing based on threshold, as per Annex D, 2024/25 NSSP Review Report											
VIRUSES	All active farms/growing areas to be sampled for testing viruses, including ranched Abalone and Scallops											
Classification	Ranched/wild harvested Abalone - Classification will apply for growing areas where there is potential pollution risk from industrial and human activity (e.g. within town limits and/or harbour areas). Classification is not required at remote ranching/wild harvesting sites. Classification is also required for: (1) New molluscan shellfish species introduced in a growing area already classified based on other species (2) New growing areas (3) Growing areas not active for more than three months i.e. E. coli results of flesh molluscan shellfish samples from the growing area not available for 3 consecutive months. See 2024/25 NSSP classification requirements [8.1(4) and Annex].											
NOTES:	*1 - Sampling shall include testing for VIRUSES on 02/12/2024 (See sample size ref)											
	*2 - LUDERITZ - Sampling shall include testing for AST in Abalone/Oysters/Scallops on 17/02/2025 & 09/06/2025											
	*3 - Sampling shall include testing for DIOXINS & PCBs on 03/03/2025 (See sample size ref)											
	*4 - Sampling shall include testing for VET DRUG RESIDUES on 12/05/2025 (See sample size ref)											
	Sal - Microbiology testing to include Salmonella - 2024/25 NSSP Review recommends testing for Salmonella every 3 months.											

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