







Boundary between Point Vicente (No Take)

It is unlawful to injure, damage, take, or possess any living, geological, or and/or commercial purposes. Take incidental to certain permitted activities may be allowed. Other

Abalone Cove SMCA - Downcoast Boundary

Point Dume SMR - Downcoast Boundary

Paradise Cove

**Los Angeles Region MPAs** 

Indians.

**Allowed Uses** 

It is unlawful to injure, damage, take,

cultural marine resource for recreational

and/or commercial purposes, EXCEPT: Recreational take of white seabass and pelagic finfish¹ by spearfishing is allowed.

or possess any living, geological, or

Commercial take of coastal pelagic species<sup>2</sup> by round haul net, brail gear, and

light boat; and swordfish by harpoon is allowed. The following federally recognized

tribe is exempt from the area and take

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or possess any living, geological, or

cultural marine resource.

regulations: Santa Ynez Band of Chumash

**MPAs** 

**Point Dume** 

**State Marine** 

Conservation

Area (SMCA)

**Point Dume** 

**State Marine** 

Reserve (SMR)

**Point Vicente** 

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Conservation Area (SMCA

**Abalone Cove** 

**State Marine** 

Conservation Area (SMCA)

No-Take)

**SMCA** 

**Abalone Cove** 

Point Dume

cultural marine resource for recreational

restrictions may apply.\*

It is unlawful to injure, damage, take, or possess any living, geological, or cultural marine resource for recreational and/or commercial purposes, EXCEPT:

Recreational take by spearfishing of white seabass and pelagic finfish1; and market squid by hand-held dip net is allowed. Commercial take of swordfish by harpoon; and coastal pelagic species<sup>2</sup> and Pacific bonito by round haul net, brail gear, and light boat is allowed.\*

\* See CCR T14 §632(b) for details.

A complete list of California MPA regulations, including MPAs around Catalina Island and Orange County is available here: https://wildlife.ca.gov/Conservation/Marine/





**California Department** of Fish and Wildlife For more information:

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www.wildlife.ca.gov/MPAs

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1-888-334-CalTIP (2258) or text CalTIP 847411

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California Wildlife Center 310-458-WILD (9453)

**Los Angeles & Palos Verdes Coast:** 

**Marine Animal Rescue 800-399-4253** 

**Los Angeles MPA Collaborative** 

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http://www.mpacollaborative.org/la/



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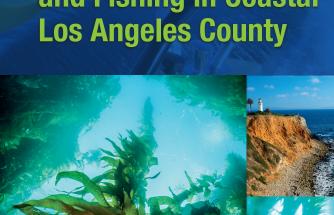
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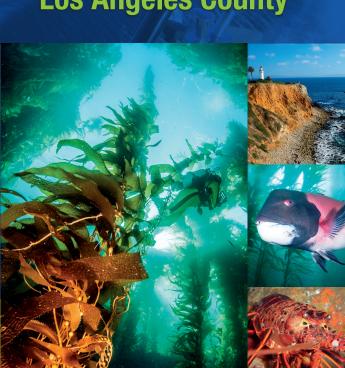
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**Point Dume SMCA** 

SMCA (No Take) Point Vicente

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#### Leo Carrillo State Beach 35000 Pacific Coast Highway, Malib 33° 19.000′ SMCA 33° 59.140′ N Coast Highway, Malib Arrow Point to Lion Head Point SMCA 118° 32.880′ W 118° 31.980' W 33° 30.810′ N 118° 30.000' W El Pescador The MPA brochure for the Catalina Island MPA Collaborative is available at: http://californiampas.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/10/Catalina-Brochure.pdf 118° 29.300 118° 53.000′ W 8 Santa Monica Bay Art.Reef 34° 00.47'N 118° 32.33'W 118° 29.000' W Marina del Rey Art. Reefs Approx GPS: 33° 57.90'N 118° 29.17'W **Star of Scotland Shipwreck** 33° 59.88'N 118° 31.20'W 118° 27.900' W Catalina Santa Farnsworth Onshore SMCA 33° 27.500′ N 33° 29.970′ N Blue Cavern Onshore SMCA (No-Take) 118° 49.200' W Ruma Creek 118° 47.260′ 33° 57.061′ N Malibu 33° 25.500′ N **Dockweiler State Beach** 2001 Vista Del Mar, Playa Casino Point SMCA (No-Ta attan Beach Pier (No-Take) 20.700' N \_over's **8** Redondo Beach Artificial Reef 33° 50.23'N 118° 24.53'W Redondo Beach Pier end of Torrance Blvd., Redondo Beach 20 Torrance Beach 201 Paseo De La Playa, Torrance 33° 44.800' N SMCA (No-Take) 28.931 W Chumash, Gabrielino Tongva, and Gabrieleno Kizh nations as well as the and pay our respects to the peop Acjachemem to the south, who are the original and ongoing caretakers of This map depicts unceded Indig (C) (C) Monica 29 Minesweeper Shipwreck 33° 41.60'N 118° 19.45'W 28 Pt. Fermin Kelp 33° 42.11'N 118°17.97'W 25 Rocky Pt Keip 33° 46.23'N 118° 26.12'W 6 Ballona Creek Ocean Trails Reserve Founders Park, Rotonda Dr. Rancho Palos Verdes Cove Abalone 芯 Rancho Palos Verdes 118° 23.800′ 118° 22.500' W enous lands and waters. We acknowledge 33° 40.851′ N le past, present, and emerging of the 33° 40.07'N 118°12.15'W Torrance Gambling Ship Shipwreck 33° 41.49'N 118° 08.75'W Regulations This document is provided as a courtesy and does no replace the official laws and regulations found in the California Fish and Game Code or the California Code of Regulations Section 632, Title 14. Los Angeles e မ္သ Seal Beach Pier end of Main Street, Seal Beach **Claremont Launch Ramp** 5300 E. Ocean Blvd., Long Bea Granada Launch Ramp 1 Granada Ave., Long Be Long Beach 405 State Marine Conservation Area (SMCA) State Marine Reserve (SMR) State Marine Conservation Area (SMCA) No Take Boat launch ramp Fishing pier locations and other shore-based locations 3 nautical mile boundary between state and federal waters Offshore fishing locations **Bolsa Bay SMCA** Bolsa Chica Basin SMCA (No-Take) Los Angeles County Seal Beac Orange County Huntington 117° 52.33'W 118° 07.76'W; 118° 08.49'W iats 118° 08.75'W leach Art. Reefs 33° 37.15'N 117° 59.28'W "Take" means to hunt, pursue, catch crustaceans, or attempting to do so. capture, or kill fish, mollusks, or

# **BEFORE YOU HEAD OUT.**

## **About Marine Protected Areas**

- Marine protected areas, or MPAs, are specially designated underwater areas that prohibit or limit the take of marine resources.
- MPAs are recognized tools for protecting and restoring marine life. MPAs foster diverse and healthy habitats, safeguarding the ocean's resources for economic, now and into the future. recreational, and environmental benefits
- California's MPAs
- California was the first state in the U.S. to There are now 124 MPAs statewide. establish a statewide network of MPAs.
- The Southern California region of the MPA Southern California state waters. in the region cover approximately 15% of the Channel Islands MPAs. The 50 MPAs network consists of 50 MPAs, including

#### **MPA Regulations**

- Boats are allowed to anchor and transit through an MPA with catch on board, when in marine reserves. See code 632(a) (7) and 632(a)(8) and 632(b). however, fishing gear may not be deployed
- Unless otherwise stated all nonsurfing are allowed in MPAs. as swimming, wading, boating, diving, and consumptive recreational activities such
- Visit the California Department of Fish and www.wildlife.ca.gov/MPAs Wildlife website for more information about MPA boundaries and regulations at:

### **California Fishing Regulations**

- A fishing license is required for anyone Beach-Fishing#freefishing pier in ocean waters (CCR 1.88) Free piers except for fishing from a public fishing pier here: https://wildlife.ca.gov/Fishing/Ocean/ Sturgeon and Spiny Lobster are required to in ocean waters. Fishing report cards for 16 years of age or older for any fishing, take either of these species from a public
- A complete list of ocean fishing regulations is available at: https://wildlife.ca.gov/Fishing/
- Ocean/Regulations/Sport-Fishing