



GREAT BARRIER REEF MARINE PARK
TOWNSVILLE / WHITSUNDAY MANAGEMENT AREA

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WHITSUNDAY PLANNING AREA
(Plan of Management provisions apply)



ACTIVITIES GUIDE

This table provides a detailed overview of permitted and restricted activities across different management zones. The zones are color-coded: Green (Conservation), Yellow (Special Conservation), Orange (Public Appreciation), and Red (Wholesale Protection). Activities include swimming, fishing, boating, and diving. A legend explains the symbols used in the table, such as checkmarks for permitted activities and crosses for restricted activities.

SAFETY IN THE MARINE PARKS

People visit the Marine Parks for their own recreation. Zoning Plans allow activities to take place, but not everywhere. The Parks contain both natural and human hazards. Park users should consult navigation charts. Notices to Mariners, the Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Authority and the Department of Environment and Heritage Management for more specific information on zoning and safety.

Great Barrier Reef Marine Parks Zoning
MAP 10 - Whitsunday

Map Projection: Unprojected Geographic Horizontal Datum: Geocentric Datum of Australia 1984

LEGEND

- Marine Park boundary
- Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Management Area boundary
- Boundary rock
- Indicative Reef boundary
- Planning Area boundary
- Wholesale Protection Area boundary
- Designated Shipping Area boundary
- Coastline
- River
- Mangrove
- Backshore
- Population centre (by scale)
- Population centre (symbolised)
- Minor road (unsealed)
- Major road (sealed)
- National Park / Conservation Tenure
- Special Management Area
- Public Appreciation boundary
- Species Conservation
- Special Protection boundary

IMPORTANT NOTES FOR MAP USERS

This map may not show all Queensland State Marine Park Zoning (see separate State Marine Parks Affairs decision between high and low water). For more information on these areas, please refer to the relevant Queensland Marine Park Zoning Plans. Boundaries and other elements under Queensland legislation, including Queensland Marine Park Zoning Plans, are not shown. Users should familiarise themselves with all legal requirements relevant to their particular activities before entering or using the Great Barrier Reef Marine Park or the Great Barrier Reef Coastal National Park.

The inland boundary of the Great Barrier Reef Marine Park follows the coastline of Queensland (the water frontage to the coast south boundary) within the limits of the State of Queensland as defined in the northern section of the State & Government Gazette of 1973, or any subsequent extension (such as port areas). Any depiction of the inland boundary on this map is indicative only.

