

Shellfish Seed Suppliers for the Gulf of America 2026

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Alabama

Auburn University Shellfish Lab (H, N)

Oyster larvae and seed supplier for research and restoration.
150 Agassiz Street, Dauphin Island, AL 36528
Contact: Scott Rikard, (251) 861-3018, ext. 1
rikarfs@auburn.edu
Type of seed sold: Oyster

Double D Oyster Company (H, N)

2830 Lawrence Steiner Road, Theodore, AL 36582
Contact: Doug Ankersen, (251) 591-7346
doug@isledauphineoyster.com
Type of seed sold: Oyster

L3 Hatchery (H, N)

10870A Beverly Road, Irvington, AL 36544
Contact: Lane Zirlott, (251) 379-4892
info@murderpointoysters.com
www.murderpointoysters.com
Type of seed sold: Oysters to nurseries only

Florida

Bay Shellfish Company (H, N)

PO Box 289, Terra Ceia, FL 34250
Contact: Curt Hemmel, (727) 723-4307
curt@bayshellfish.com
www.bayshellfish.com
Type of seed or larvae sold:
Oyster, hard clam, sunray venus,
bay scallop, other bivalves

The Biofilter Group LLC (H)

12911 State Road 24, Cedar Key, FL 32625
Contact: Scotty Moots, (352) 949-4843
scottmoots124@gmail.com
Type of seed or larvae sold: Oyster, hard clam, sunray venus, ponderous ark

Clamtastic (H, N)

PO Box 664, Cedar Key, FL 32625
Contact: Chris Topping, (352) 213-5999
clamtastic2000@yahoo.com
Type of seed or larvae sold: Hard clam



Florida Oyster Farms (N)

1541 East Gulf Beach Drive, St. George Island, FL 32322
Contact: Hunter Cowie, (850) 509-5801
huntercowie@floridaoysterfarms.com
Type of seed sold: Oyster

Great Florida Shellfish Company (H, N)

72 Azalea Circle, Tequesta, FL 33469
Contact: Tom McCrudden, (561) 702-8159
raiclams@bellsouth.net
www.thegreatfloridashellfishcompany.com
Type of seed or larvae sold: Oyster,
hard clam, sunray venus

Indian Lagoon Oyster Corporation (N)

2795 Indian Pass Road, Port St. Joe, FL 32456
Contact: Gayle Johnson, (770) 367-4573
gayle@indianlagoonoysters.com
Type of seed sold: Oyster

Orchid Island Shellfish Company (N)

633 Old Dixie Highway, Sebastian, FL 32958
Contact: Ed Mangano, (772) 913-0053
(772) 589-5080 (fax)
aquagemfarms@aol.com
Type of seed sold: Hard clam

H indicates a hatchery

N indicates a nursery

Pensacola Bay Oyster Company LLC (H, N)

236 South Garcon Point Road, Milton, FL 32583

Contact: Christine Griffith, (850) 332-4746

christine@pensacolabayoyster.com

Type of seed or larvae sold: Oyster

Premium Seafood (H, N)

7579 A1A South, Crescent Beach, FL 32080

Contact: Mike Sullivan, (386) 847-3202

premiumseafoodinc@gmail.com

Type of seed or larvae sold: Hard clam

Sebastian Inlet Clams Inc. (H, N)

270 Sea Dunes Drive, Melbourne Beach, FL 32951

Contact: Ewan Leighton, (321) 288-8201

ewan191@gmail.com

Type of seed or larvae sold: Hard clam

Two Docks Shellfish LLC (H, N)

PO Box 9493, Bradenton, FL 34206

Contact: Brendyn Meisinger, (443) 624-2948

brmeisinger@gmail.com

Type of seed or larvae sold: Hard clam

Louisiana**Louisiana Department of Wildlife and Fisheries (H, N)**

PO Box 98000, Baton Rouge, LA 70898

wlf.louisiana.gov/page/alternative-oyster-culture

Type of seed or larvae sold: Oyster

Triple N Oyster Farm LLC (N)

8000 Innovation Park Drive, Baton Rouge, LA 70820

Contact: Steve Pollock PhD, (225) 588-6254

pollock@triplenoysters.com

Type of seed sold: Oyster

Mississippi**The Biloxi Oyster Company LLC (H, N)**

14751 Longwood Circle, Diberville, MS 39540

Business: 697 Beach Boulevard, Biloxi, MS 39530

Contact: Lilliana or Michael Moore, (228) 348-2664

info@biloxifishing.com

Type of larvae or seed sold: Oyster

Magnolia Key Oyster Company (H, N)

2508 Shelby Lane, Ocean Springs, MS 39564

Contact: Terry Boyd, (228) 217-1313

magnoliakeyoysters@gmail.com

Type of seed or larvae sold: Oyster

Ocean Springs Oyster Seed Company (N)

1320 Harbor Road, Ocean Springs, MS 39564

Contacts: Matthew Mayfield, (228) 326-7476, or

Chase Sekul, (228) 861-1143

eaglepointoysterco@gmail.com

Type of seed sold: Oyster

SPAT-TECH (H, N)

60 Chalet Drive, Perkinston, MS 39573

Contact: Bob Shneida, (504) 722-2099

info@spat-tech.com

Type of seed sold: Oyster

Texas**Dan's Gulf Coast Oysters (N)**

651 Highway 87, Gilchrist, Galveston County, TX 77617

(954) 225-6624

andy@dansoysters.com

Type of seed sold: Oyster

Key Allegro Oyster Co. (N)

910 N Fulton Beach Road, Rockport, TX 78382

Contact: Michael Sprague, (609) 815-1811

michael@keyallegrooysterco.com

Type of seed sold: Oyster

Palacios Marine Agricultural Research Inc. (H, N)

100 Marine Center Drive, Palacios, TX 77465

Contact: Jim Meyn, (713) 857-4737

jmeyn@pmartexas.org

Type of seed sold: Oyster

Three Sisters Oyster Company LLC (N)

106 Grant Street, Port Lavaca, TX 77979

Contact: Blake Whitney, (713) 854-7427

blake@threesistersoyster.com

Type of seed sold: Oyster



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