

CMAR COASTAL MONITORING PROGRAM REFERENCE SHEET

WATER QUALITY DATA COLLECTION & PROCESSING

The Centre for Marine Applied Research (CMAR) collects high-resolution coastal data through the Coastal Monitoring Program (CMP). This program aims to support science-based development of coastal industry, guide government policy and management decisions, encourage environmental stewardship, and monitor coastal ecosystem change. Through the Water Quality branch of the program, CMAR maintains several hundred oceanographic sensors deployed throughout coastal Nova Scotia. This flow chart describes the general workflow for the Coastal Monitoring Program Water Quality branch.

