

Water quality data of Yan Chau Tong Marine Park from July to September 2007 (Third Quarter)

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| No. of Sample | 1 | | 1 | | 1 | |
| Depth (m) | Surface | Bottom | Surface | Bottom | Surface | Bottom |
| Air Temperature (°C) | 30.6 | | 31.5 | | 31.1 | |
| Temperature (°C) | 29.24 | 25.31 | 29.93 | 27.14 | 29.23 | 24.42 |
| Salinity (ppt) | 31.3 | 33.6 | 30.1 | 32.8 | 31 | 34.1 |
| DO (mg/L) | 7.18 | 2.06 | 5.6 | 1.78 | 6.78 | 1.51 |
| pH | 8.3 | 7.92 | 8.17 | 8.02 | 8.28 | 8.13 |
| Secchi depth (m) | 4 | | 3 | | 3 | |
| Turbidity (NTU) | 1.6 | 1.3 | 3.1 | 5.1 | 1.5 | 2.3 |
| Suspended solids (mg/L) | 2.02 | 1.95 | 3.13 | 5.26 | 2.09 | 2.11 |
| BOD ₅ (mg/L) | 1.44 | 1.79 | 1.64 | 1.7 | 1.59 | 0.92 |
| Ammoniacal nitrogen (mg/L) | 0.11 | 0.23 | 0.03 | 0.14 | 0.03 | 0.22 |
| Unionized ammonia (mg/L) | 0.009 | 0.044 | 0.003 | 0.022 | 0.003 | 0.028 |
| Nitrite nitrogen (mg/L) | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.02 | 0.02 |
| Nitrate nitrogen (mg/L) | 0.15 | 0.1 | 0.12 | 0.11 | 0.15 | 0.03 |
| TIN (mg/L) | 0.27 | 0.34 | 0.17 | 0.27 | 0.2 | 0.27 |
| TKN (mg/L) | 0.42 | 0.41 | 0.43 | 0.39 | 0.33 | 0.34 |
| TN (mg/L) | 0.58 | 0.52 | 0.57 | 0.52 | 0.5 | 0.38 |
| Orthophosphate phosphorus (mg/L) | 0.09 | 0.08 | 0.06 | 0.09 | 0.09 | 0.09 |
| TP (mg/L) | 0.11 | 0.11 | 0.12 | 0.12 | 0.12 | 0.11 |
| Chlorophyll-a (µg/L) | 3.98 | 5.18 | 3.86 | 13.39 | 4.72 | 4.39 |
| <i>E. coli</i> (CFU/100 mL) | 0 | 0 | 25 | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Fecal coliforms (CFU/100 mL) | 105 | 440 | 175 | 1270 | 180 | 760 |