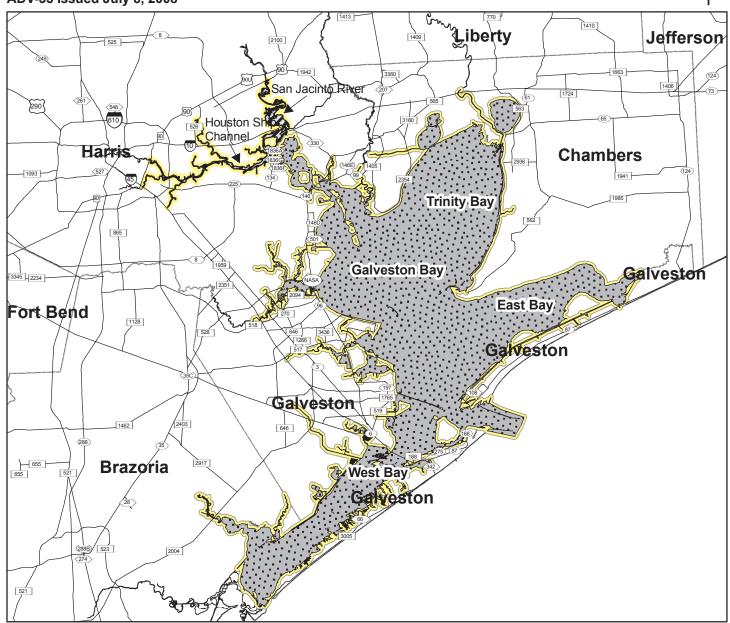
Houston Ship Channel and Galveston Bay

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Advisory Areas:

Houston Ship Channel

The Houston Ship Channel upstream of the Lynchburg Ferry crossing and all contiguous waters, including the San Jacinto River below the U.S. Highway 90 bridge.

Galveston Bay

Galveston Bay including Chocolate Bay, East Bay, Trinity Bay, and West Bay and contiguous waters

Contaminants of Concern:

Dioxin, organochlorine pesticides, and PCBs

Dioxin and PCBs

All catfish species and spotted seatrout

Consumption Advice:

Persons should limit consumption of all species of fish from this area to no more than one eight-ounce meal per month. Women who are nursing, pregnant, or who may become pregnant and children under 12 should not consume any species of fish from these waters.

Species Affected:

All species of fish

