

ESM_3 Hull values from Fig. 5 representing the Total Area, Standard Ellipse Area and the Corrected Standard Ellipse Area. Units are (%²).

Species	Total Area	Standard Ellipse Area	Standard Ellipse Area (corrected)
<i>Vallisneria americana</i>	65.75	49.13	52.19
<i>Myriophyllum spicatum</i>	21.33	18.09	19.90
<i>Fundulus grandis</i>	16.21	10.86	11.70
<i>Menidia beryllina</i>	17.82	10.89	11.50
<i>Lepomis macrochirus</i>	7.62	9.33	10.67
<i>Sagittaria lancifolia</i>	15.40	10.66	11.48
<i>Juncus roemerianus</i>	16.01	8.57	9.35
Benthic Macroalgae	7.08	7.73	9.02
<i>Spartina alterniflora</i>	8.62	7.53	8.28
<i>Spartina cynosuroides</i>	5.23	3.86	4.15
<i>Ruppia maritima</i>	0.03	0.03	0.03