

Mangrove Ecosystems

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Mangroves are a common coastal ecosystem off the shores of Florida. There is a variety of habitat type and water found in this area. Define the different types of water below.

Fresh water: Water with less than 1 part per thousand of salt

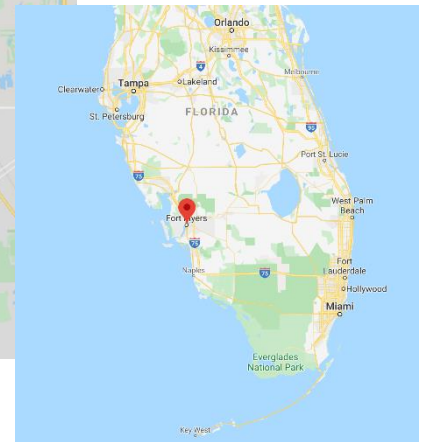
Brackish Water: Water that is in-between salt and fresh water, with salinity of 1-34 parts per thousand

Salt Water: Water with a salinity of about 35 parts per thousand and higher

Label the map below of where you would find FRESH, BRACKISH, and SALT water around



- Fresh water: Rivers, streams
- Brackish Water: Where rivers meet the ocean (salt marshes, estuaries, mangroves)
- Salt Water: Ocean



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