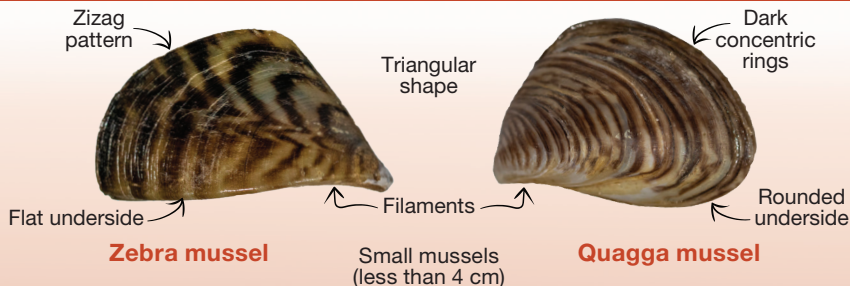




Stop invasive mussels!

Zebra mussels and Quagga mussels threaten our native species,
our environment and our infrastructures.

Invasive mussels



These small invasive mussels attach to watercrafts, trailers, docks,
rocks, plants and other mussels.

Avoid spreading them!

Native mussels

Invasive mussels attached
to native mussels.

These **native mussels** occur
naturally in our waterbodies and
they bury themselves in the
sediments.

Protect them!



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Did You Know?

Invasive mussels can survive up to **30 days** out of water.

Each mussel can release up to a **million eggs** a year.

Larvae can **survive for several days** in the residual water of your watercraft and equipment.

I'm on board!

Before and after visiting a body of water, make sure to:



CLEAN

the interior and exterior of your watercraft, trailer, and equipment. Remove plants, animals and mud.



DRAIN

water from internal compartments (bilge, live wells, ballast tanks) and equipment (coolers, buckets).



DRY

watercrafts and equipment.



For more information
or to report a sighting

