Each year, shellfish growers search for seed suppliers. Some suppliers mail out seed price catalogues annually. This publication is designed to identify shellfish seed suppliers from along the East Coast of the United States and Canada so that there might be a better link between the shellfish farmers and the shellfish seed suppliers.

Some of the shellfish seed suppliers listed here raise seed for their own use. Others are solely research hatcheries for a University of State. Regardless, this first attempt at identifying the Industry suppliers can be used by many interested people to assist and inform the suppliers in numerous ways.

The list has been reviewed numerous times by people in every state listed. If there is an omission, it has not been intentional.

This list will be updated in the future. If there are any suppliers who have not been included, they should contact the author for inclusion in the next publication.

If someone is using this list and cannot reach a business because the pertinent information has changed or is incorrect, please send a note, email, or call (contact information at the end). If a new hatchery comes on line, please urge them to contact me. This is done as a service to the industry, please help to keep the information current.

Finally, this information by no means suggests a recommendation about the quality of the products or services that these seed suppliers produce, and should, by no means, be construed as an advertisement for any of these companies by either the author or Rutgers University.

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