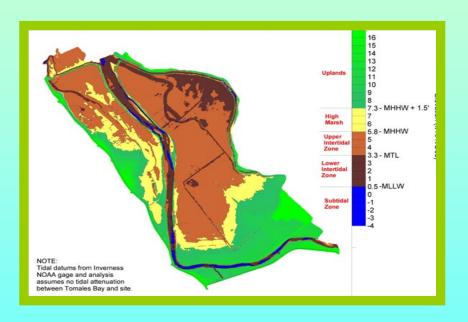
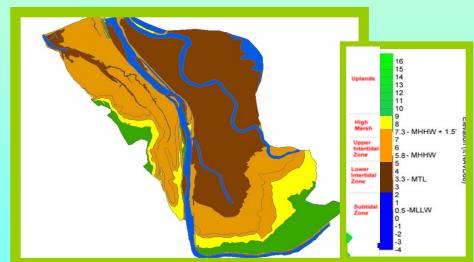
How Will Sea Level Rise Affect the New Wetlands?

Below is the expected extent and duration of tidal inundation under current sea level conditions should the levees and tidegates simply have been removed with no additional earthmoving (i.e., tidal channel creation, ditch filling).



Below is the expected extent and duration of tidal inundation under moderate sea level rise conditions of 0.5 meters, which is based on the average rate of sea level rise estimated by the IPCC model scenarios. This model incorporates levee removal and all other restoration actions.



Corresponding Tidal Habitats







