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Massachusetts American Oystercatcher update, 2022

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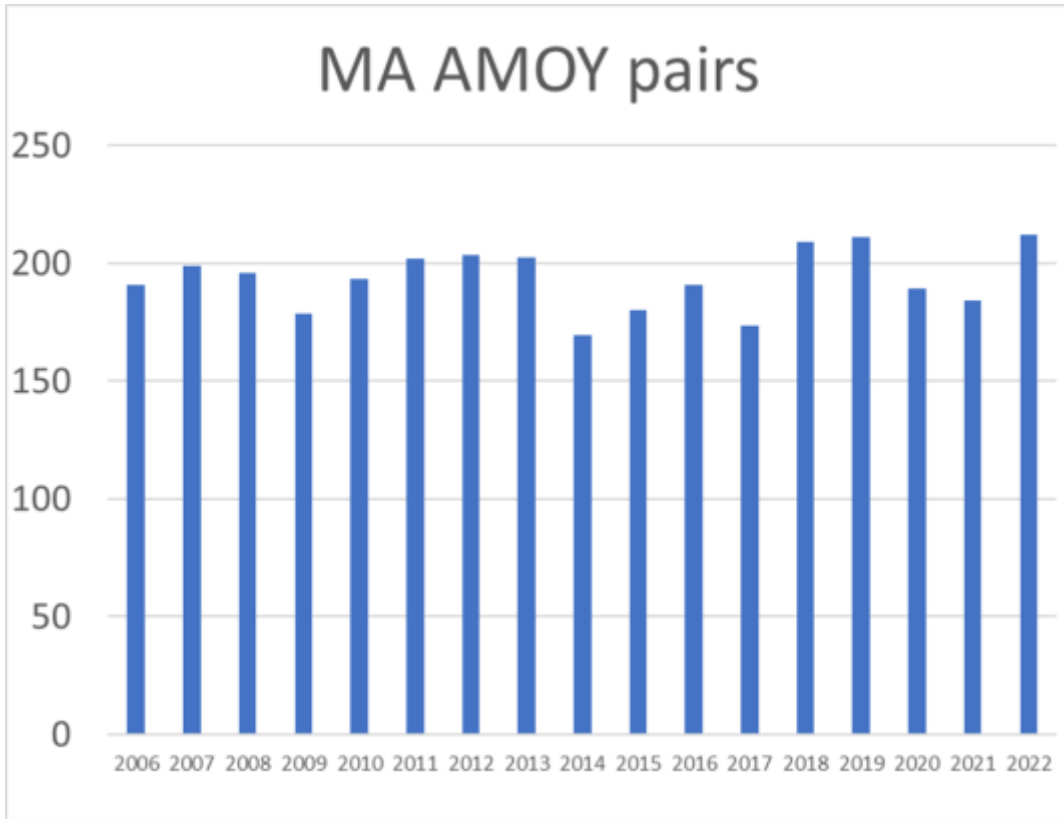
Monitoring organizations



- Biodiversity Works
- Duxbury Beach Reservation
- Lloyd Center for the Environment
- Martha's Vineyard Land Bank Coalition
- Mass Division of Fisheries & Wildlife
- Mass Audubon
- Monomoy National Wildlife Refuge
- Nantucket Conservation Foundation
- National Park Service
- The Trustees of Reservations
- Town of Chatham
- Town of Nantucket
- Town of Orleans
- Town of Winthrop
- Tuckernuck Land Trust
- US Fish & Wildlife Service

MA trends (2014 – 2022 are preliminary)

MA AMOY pairs



Year	No. pairs	Fledglings/pair
2006	191	0.62
2007	199	0.58
2008	196	0.35
2009	178.5	0.45
2010	193.5	0.77
2011	202	0.49
2012	203.5	~0.53
2013	202.3	~0.93
2014	169.5	0.75 - 0.94
2015	180	0.77 - 0.96
2016	190.5	0.53 - 0.71
2017	173.5	0.51 - 0.62
2018	209	0.72 - 0.85
2019	211	0.74 - 0.87
2020	189	0.63 - 0.81
2021	184	0.49 - 0.56
2022	212	0.63 - 0.87

Preliminary MA AMOY census data by region, 2022

2022 AMOY	2022 Pairs	Fledglings	Unfledged chicks	Pairs with fledge data
North Shore	2	0	0	0
Boston Harbor Is.	35	15	5	19
South Shore	1	0	0	1
Upper Cape	9	5	2	8
Lower Cape	30	10	16	16
Buzzards Bay NW	32	8	0	15
Elizabeth Is.	6	4	0	6
Martha's Vineyard	46	22	5	42
Nantucket	51	35	10	50
TOTAL	212	99	38	157
fledglings/pair	0.63	to	0.87	

n = 92 nesting sites

