COASTAL MARINE GEOLOGIC ENVIRONMENTS
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SUPRATIDAL ENVIRONMENTS
Environments just above the highest high water datum, but under
the partial influence of marine processes and forces.

INTERTIDAL ENVIRONMENTS
Environments between the highest high water datum and the lowest
low water datum subjected to twice daily tidal flooding and all
associated marine forces.

SUBTIDAL ENVIRONMENTS
Environments existing below lowest low water datum and subject to tidal
current forces and wave-generated current forces.