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## 10.7 Ecospace fishery

The *Ecospace fishery* form (Figure 10.9) is used to assign fleets, i.e., to define in which habitat(s) a fishing fleet may operate, and to identify whether a given fleet may operate within a restricted area.

For each fleet indicate where it may operate by clicking:

- All: if it can operate in all habitats (default setting), or;
- For each habitat click if may operate in the given habitat;
- MPA: click if the fleet is allowed to operate in the given protected areas.

Effective power: sets relative catchabilities by gear type, treating effort for each gear as starting at base value of 1.0 so that  $F$  for the gear ( $F = qE = \text{Catch}/\text{biomass}$ ) is  $1.0 \cdot q$  where  $q$  is relative catchability. This is to avoid measuring effort in some unnecessary unit. Effective power should be entered as a non-negative parameter, and has a default value of 1.

Total efficiency multiplier: a scaling factor for effort by fleet, it should be non-negative, and has a default value of 1.

Basic estimates Basemap <b>Fishery</b> <span>▼ ✕</span>									
									Set:
	Fleet \ habitat use:	All	mud bottom	seagrass	deep water	low salinity	MPA1	Effective power	Tot.Eff.Multip.
1	Gillnet / Trawl	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	3.000	1.000
2	Purse Seine	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	3.000	1.000
3	Haul Seine	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	3.000	1.000
4	Rec. Hook Line	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	3.000	1.000
5	Crab Traps	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	3.000	1.000
6	Cast Net	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	3.000	1.000
7	Bait Trawl	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	3.000	1.000

**Figure 10.9** The Ecospace fishery form.