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The Southern Shrimp Alliance (SSA) is a non-profit alliance of members of the U.S. shrimp industry in eight states committed to preventing the continued deterioration of America's shrimp industry and to ensuring the industry's future viability. SSA serves as the national voice for the shrimp fishermen and processors in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina, and Texas.

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There's a new website to answer your questions about the federal response to the Gulf oil spill. The National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration launched the new site. It uses data from the various agencies that are working together to tackle the spill.

It was originally designed for responders who make operational decisions to the oil spill disaster. Specifically the site integrates the latest data on the spill's path, which waterways are closed to fishing, and where oil is reported to have reached.

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