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MARINE AGGREGATES

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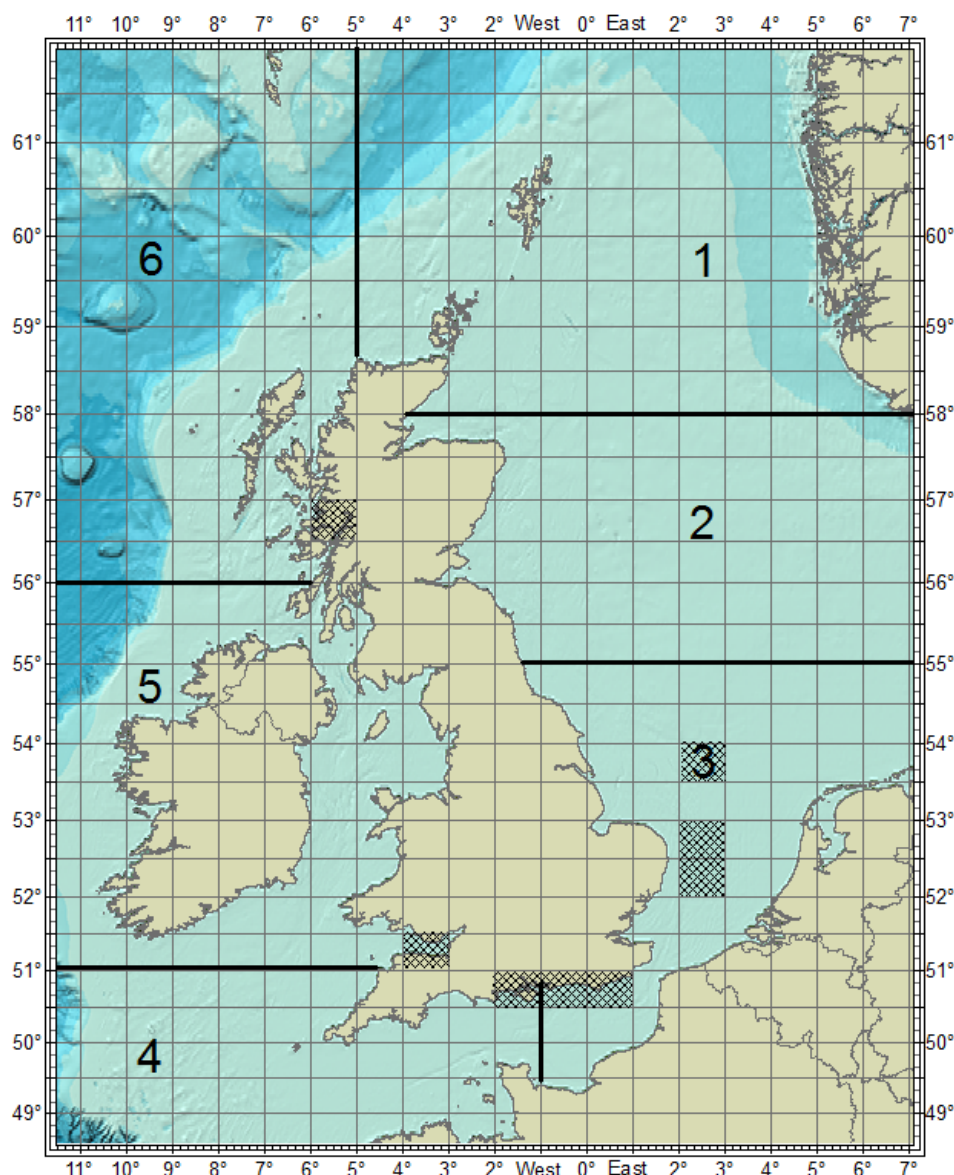
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Regional Active Dredge Area Charts – Issue 31 now available

Regional Active Dredge Area (RADA) charts are routinely produced by the British Marine Aggregate Producers Association (BMAPA) and The Crown Estate on a bi-annual basis (charts are dated 31st January and 31st July) to show where dredging operations are currently permitted within existing marine aggregate production licences.

Areas where dredging is permitted are monitored through the approved 'black box' Electronic Monitoring System (EMS) that is required to be installed on every marine aggregate dredger operating in UK waters.

Issue 31 of these charts (dated 31st January 2018) is now available to be downloaded from http://www.bmapa.org/issues/other_sea_users.php

The need for working areas within production licences can be defined through existing licence conditions or through individual marine aggregate operators' voluntary management arrangements.

Any changes in the coordinates for licence areas or active zones from the previous issue (dated 31st July 2017) will be highlighted in red.

Further information on these charts can be obtained by contacting bmapa@mineralproducts.org

New Marine Licence for Marine Aggregate Dredging – Area 453

On behalf of CEMEX UK Marine Limited, this notice is to advise that a Marine Licence for marine aggregate dredging has recently been issued by the Marine Management Organisation (MMO) for Area 453 on the South Coast.



It is anticipated that operations will commence on or after 22nd March 2018 and the duration of the Licence is 15 years.

As required by the Fisheries Code of Practice, Masters of Dredging vessels will call up on VHF Channel 16 when approaching the dredging area at a range of 10 nm (approximately 1 hour before operations are to commence) and will provide an estimated time of arrival on the area and position of operation. A VHF working channel will be established between the dredger and fishing vessel(s) if required.

Marine Licence Boundaries

Area 453	
Latitude	Longitude
50°43.333'N	00°32.358'W
50°43.141'N	00°32.266'W
50°43.195'N	00°30.973'W
50°43.232'N	00°30.092'W
50°43.265'N	00°30.092'W
50°43.136'N	00°29.146'W
50°43.321'N	00°29.124'W
50°43.622'N	00°29.705'W
50°43.548'N	00°31.678'W
50°43.431'N	00°32.292'W

For further information, please contact: Joe Holcroft, CEMEX UK Marine Ltd, Tel: 023 8072 0217 email: joseph.holcroftj@cemex.com

Notice to Fishermen

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South Coast Region Area 460 – Removal of Debris, Anchor Chains

On behalf of Hanson Aggregates Marine Ltd, Tarmac and CEMEX Marine Ltd, this notice is to advise that an operation to remove debris (anchor chain & associated anchor) from the seabed within existing marine aggregate Area 460 (South Coast region) is due to commence.



It is anticipated that operations will commence on or after 16th October 2017 and take approximately 2-3 months to complete (weather dependant).

As required by the Fisheries Code of Practice, Masters of vessels will call up on VHF Channel 16 when approaching the dredging area at a range of 10 nm (approximately 1 hour before operations are to commence) and will provide an estimated time of arrival on the area and position of operation. A VHF working channel will be established between the vessel and fishing vessel(s) if required.

Marine Licence Boundaries

Area 460	
Latitude	Longitude
50°43.9618'N	00°33.6575'E
50°43.6979'N	00°34.2522'E
50°42.8937'N	00°31.5389'E
50°42.7654'N	00°32.2354'E
50°43.0153'N	00°34.0516'E
50°43.7820'N	00°37.0018'E
50°44.5320'N	00°37.0019'E
50°44.0489'N	00°35.3887'E
50°44.1391'N	00°35.2484'E
50°44.1756'N	00°34.8688'E
50°44.2307'N	00°34.4295'E
50°43.9618'N	00°33.6575'E

For further information, please contact: Louise Bridges, Hanson Aggregates, Tel: +44(0)2380 828256 email: louise.bridges@hanson.biz

Survey Activity

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Nab Tower Site – Silt Disposal

Mariners are advised that aggregate washings from Marchwood Wharf Southampton will be transported from the wharf to the Nab Tower disposal site (coordinates below) using the hopper barge VR49 towed by the tug Storebror.



This single event is weather dependent and planned to occur between the 19th and 23rd February 2018.

Disposal site coordinates:

NAB TOWER (WI060)

50°36.102'N 00°55.002'W
 50°36.900'N 00°56.202'W
 50°34.998'N 00°59.802'W
 50°34.098'N 00°58.500'W
 50°36.102'N 00°55.002'W

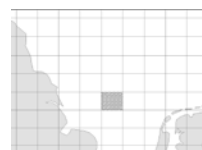
For further information, please contact: Martin Wooldridge, Raymond Brown Aggregates. Tel: 023 8027 3750 email: martin.wooldridge@raybrown.co.uk

Survey Activity

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New Marine Aggregate Licence – Area 506

On behalf of DEME Building Materials Limited, this notice is to advise that following the issue of a Marine Licence for Area 506 in April 2014, DEME Building Materials intend to commence operations on or after 15 December 2017 and the duration of the Licence is 15 years.



As required by the Fisheries Code of Practice, Masters of Dredging vessels will call up on VHF Channel 16 when approaching the dredging area at a range of 10 nm (approximately 1 hour before operations are to commence) and will provide an estimated time of arrival on the area and position of operation. A VHF working channel will be established between the dredger and fishing vessel(s) if required.

Area 506	
Latitude	Longitude
53°46.993'N	002°04.259'E
53°46.019'N	002°01.732'E
53°44.922'N	002°01.768'E
53°44.397'N	002°03.599'E
53°44.463'N	002°12.695'E
53°45.542'N	002°12.675'E
53°47.007'N	002°10.878'E
53°46.993'N	002°04.259'E

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Survey Activity

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Eastern English Channel – Colbart Area

On behalf of Hanson Aggregates Marine Ltd this notice is to advise that a vibrocore sampling campaign is due to commence shortly in existing marine aggregate extraction Areas 212 & 401/2 in the Anglian region.



It is anticipated that operations will commence on or after 22nd October 2017 and take approximately 2-3 months to complete (weather dependant). As required by the Fisheries Code of Practice, Masters of vessels will call up on VHF Channel 16 when approaching the dredging area at a range of 10 nm (approximately 1 hour before operations are to commence) and will provide an estimated time of arrival on the area and position of operation. A VHF working channel will be established between the vessel and fishing vessel(s) if required.

Area 212	
Latitude	Longitude
52.38 4900 N	01 59.3904 E
52 38.4900 N	02 00.6540 E
52 37.8060 N	02 00.5232 E
52 37.0380 N	02 00.5232 E
52 37.0740 N	01 59.7072 E
52 37 8240 N	01 59.7732 E
52 37.8420 N	01 59.2524 E
52.38 4900 N	01 59.3904 E

Area 401/2					
52 28.77380 N	02 6.42290 E	52 30.85700 N	02 6.24720 E	52 32.70050 N	02 8.60750 E
52 28.79080 N	02 5.95690 E	52 30.93560 N	02 6.62450 E	52 33.67210 N	02 8.59510 E
52 28.44080 N	02 5.45700 E	52 30.88260 N	02 6.64080 E	52 34.32330 N	02 10.1893 E
52 28.47380 N	02 4.97300 E	52 30.95660 N	02 7.15670 E	52 31.19060 N	02 9.98940 E
52 28.92380 N	02 4.95700 E	52 32.32350 N	02 6.70670 E	52 28.77390 N	02 9.73950 E
52 29.09070 N	02 4.72300 E	52 32.21580 N	02 6.87500 E	52 29.62370 N	02 7.08980 E
52 29.37370 N	02 4.60720 E	52 32.12600 N	02 6.92060 E	52 26.52500 N	02 7.12290 E
52 29.67370 N	02 4.40700 E	52 32.14030 N	02 7.41260 E	52 26.52500 N	02 6.48990 E
52 29.94070 N	02 4.47300 E	52 32.45080 N	02 7.68290 E	52 27.39090 N	02 6.57290 E
52 30.29060 N	02 4.95690 E	52 32.58320 N	02 7.63370 E	52 27.69090 N	02 6.30690 E
52 30.47360 N	02 4.69000 E	52 32.74290 N	02 7.12910 E	52 28.24080 N	02 6.08990 E
52 30.55660 N	02 3.35710 E	52 32.95400 N	02 6.83600 E	52 27.78790 N	02 4.20410 E
52 31.42350 N	02 3.09010 E	52 33.43750 N	02 8.01790 E	52 28.77380 N	02 6.42290 E
52 32.42240 N	02 5.53330 E	52 32.76570 N	02 8.01550 E	52 32.70050 N	02 8.60750 E

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South Coast – Area 372/1

On behalf of Hanson Aggregates Marine Ltd this notice is to advise that following a positive EIA consent decision, the MMO has granted a new marine licence (MLA/2017/00227) for existing Area 372/1 (east of the Isle of Wight) in the South Coast region, valid from the 22nd January 2018.



Please note that this is a continuation of on-going activities and there will be no cessation of activities when the current licence (L/2014/00203) expires on the 22nd January 2018.

As required by the Fisheries Code of Practice, Masters of vessels will call up on VHF Channel 16 when approaching the dredging area at a range of 10 nm (approximately 1 hour before operations are to commence) and will provide an estimated time of arrival on the area and position of operation. A VHF working channel will be established between the vessel and fishing vessel(s) if required.

Area 372/1	
Latitude	Longitude
50°37.831'N	01°02.589'W
50°37.831'N	01°00.555'W
50°38.081'N	01°00.255'W
50°38.131'N	01°00.089'W
50°38.531'N	00°59.572'W
50°38.531'N	01°01.505'W
50°37.831'N	01°02.589'W

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Bristol Channel – Area 472

On behalf of CEMEX Marine Ltd, Hanson Aggregates Marine Ltd and Tarmac this notice is to advise that a vibrocore survey is due to commence shortly in existing marine aggregate extraction Area 472 in the Bristol Channel region.



It is anticipated that operations will commence on or after 21st December 2017 and take approximately 2 months to complete (weather dependant).

As required by the Fisheries Code of Practice, Masters of vessels will call up on VHF Channel 16 when approaching the dredging area at a range of 10 nm (approximately 1 hour before operations are to commence) and will provide an estimated time of arrival on the area and position of operation. A VHF working channel will be established between the vessel and fishing vessel(s) if required.

Area 472	
Latitude	Longitude
51°16.331'N	03°21.966'W
51°16.419'N	03°17.699'W
51°17.254'N	03°17.726'W
51°17.764'N	03°13.374'W
51°18.400'N	03°13.136'W
51°18.087'N	03°17.873'W
51°17.657'N	03°19.125'W
51°17.068'N	03°20.339'W
51°16.714'N	03°21.993'W
51°16.331'N	03°21.966'W

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Isle of Skye, Uig Bay – Sediment Sampling

Partrac Ltd will be conducting seabed sampling operations in Uig Bay, Isle of Skye. In total, 12 samples will be collected from the bounded area for the purposes of macro-invertebrate taxonomy and physico-chemical analyses.



The samples will be collected using a day grab comprising two stainless steel bucket sections which are mounted within a stainless-steel frame. In addition, several transects of the bounded area using a drop-down benthic camera system will be performed. Weather permitting, operations will begin on the 20th February 2018 and conclude on the 21st February 2018. All operations will be performed between the hours of 4 pm and 1 am.

57°34.866'N 006°24.528'W

57°34.896'N 006°23.526'W

57°34.488'N 006°23.490'W

57°34.464'N 006°24.492'W

For further information, please contact: Matt Wright, Jack Poleykett or Kevin Black on newcastle@partrac.com or 01412 020 644 and quote P1794 Uig Bay Sediment Sampling.