

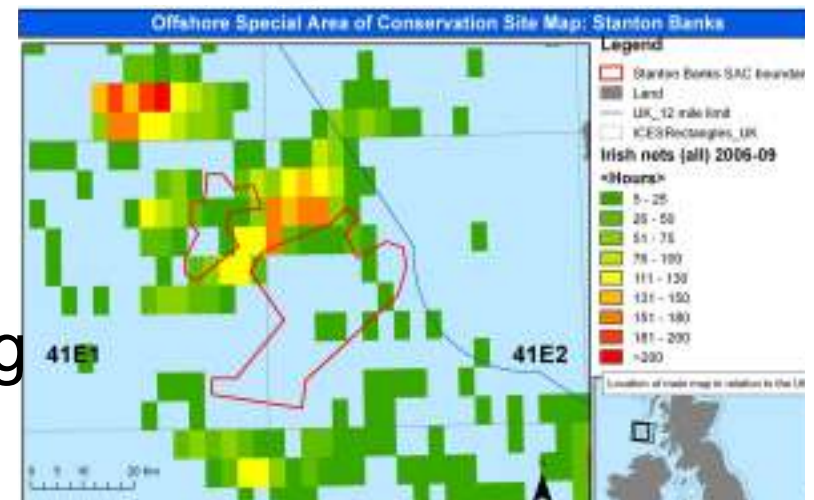
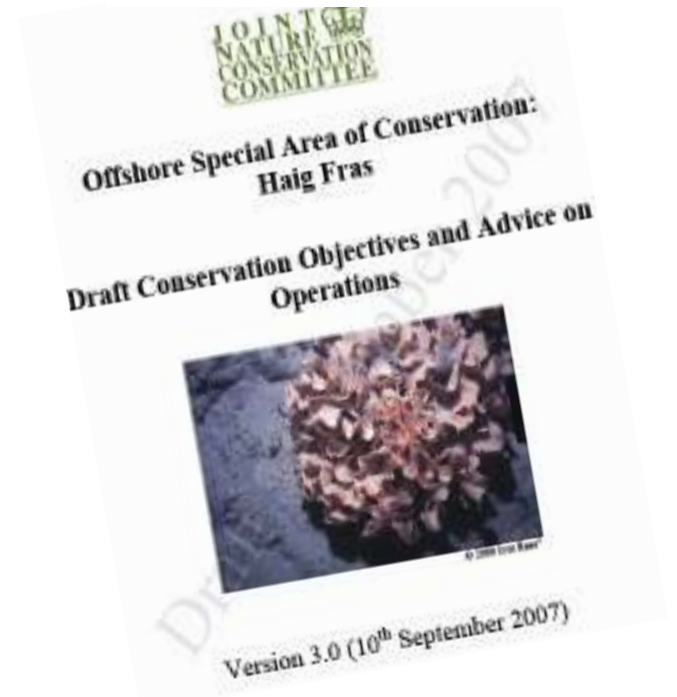
## CFP fisheries management guidance for Natura 2000 sites

- [http://ec.europa.eu/environment/nature/natura2000/marine/docs/fish\\_measures.pdf](http://ec.europa.eu/environment/nature/natura2000/marine/docs/fish_measures.pdf) - **11 Questions**

- A scientific rationale of the site and detailed description;

- Threat to habitats and species from human pressures;

- Details of fishing activity occurring in & around the site.

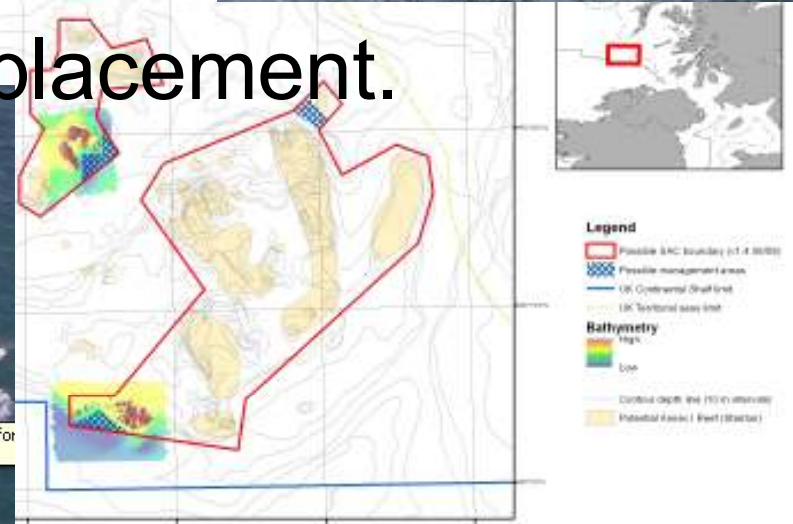


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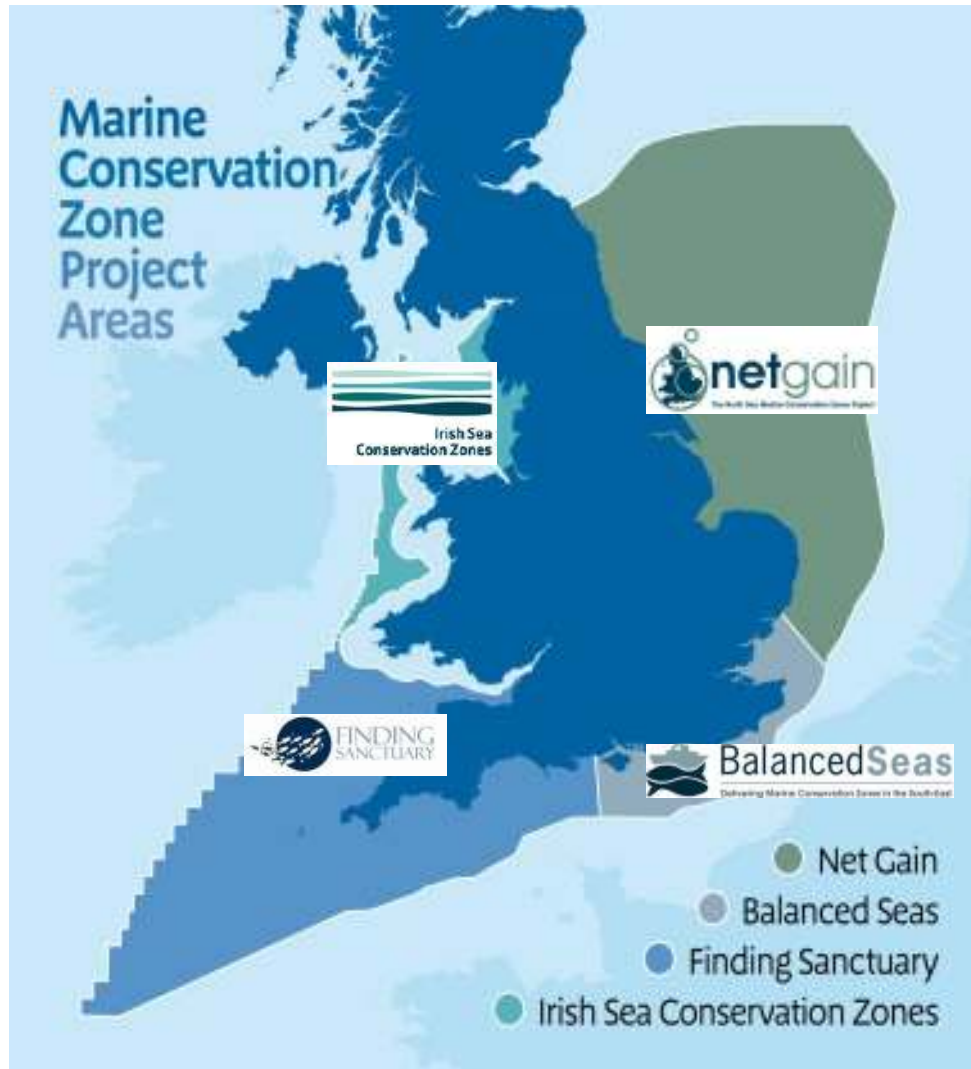
- Proposed fisheries management measures to maintain the habitats features in favourable condition;
- Control measures required for the
- Measures to monitor and assess
- Evaluation of possible displacement.



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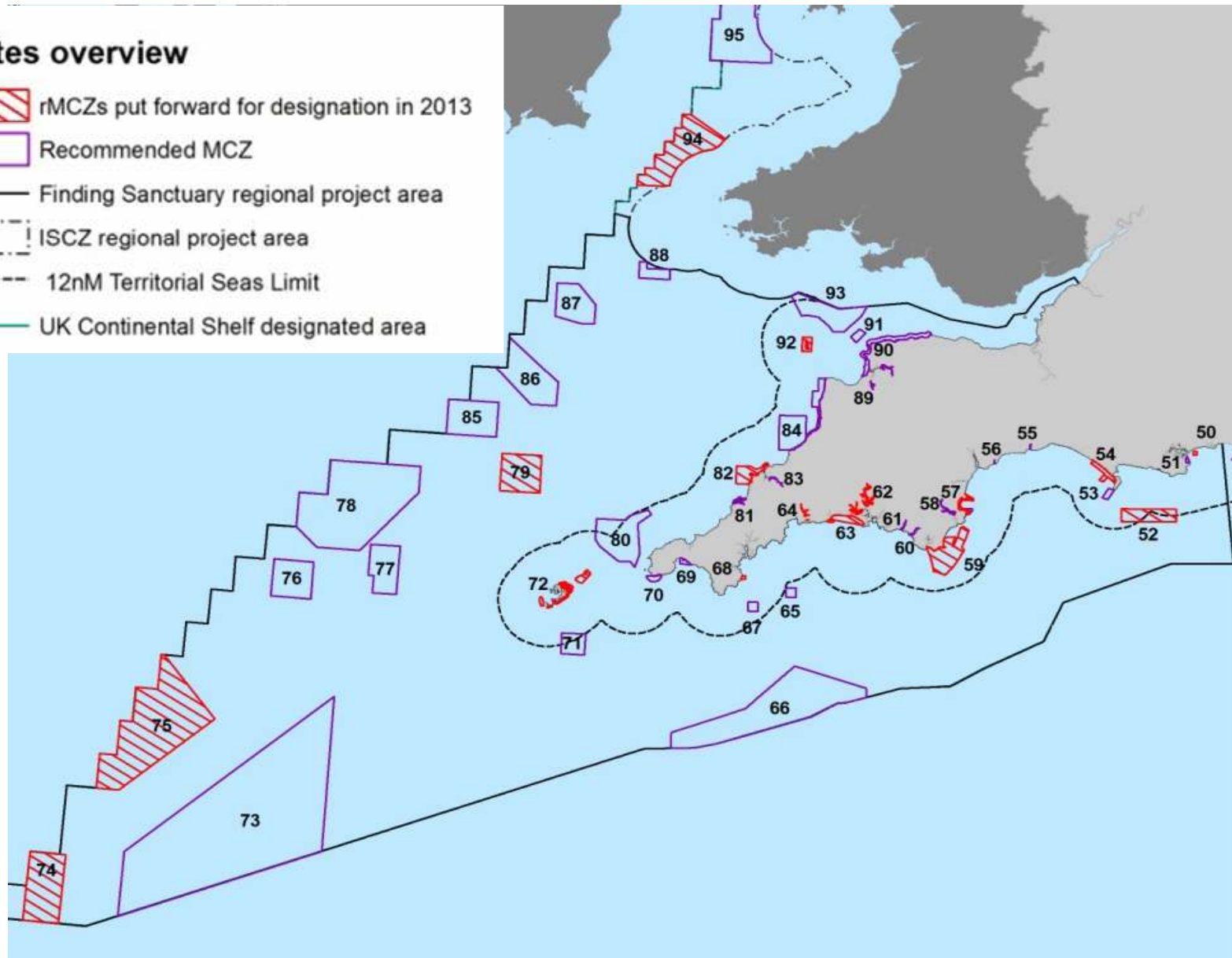
- Delivered through **four regional projects**
- Stakeholder-led process
- Decision-making forums:
  - Location of MCZs
  - Conservation objectives
- Recommendations by **June 2011**
- Natural England and JNCC advice **July 2012**



# MCZs Northwest waters

## Sites overview

-  rMCZs put forward for designation in 2013
-  Recommended MCZ
-  Finding Sanctuary regional project area
-  ISCZ regional project area
-  12nM Territorial Seas Limit
-  UK Continental Shelf designated area



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Department  
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Published: 13 December 2012

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## MCZ - Next steps

- 31 MCZs (6 offshore) in first tranche for potential designation in **2013**.
- Public consultation: **Ended in March 2013**
- Evidence gathering – site surveys (ongoing)
- Site-specific management plans **post designation**



# Thank you for listening **JNCC**

Joint Nature Conservation Committee

Further information regarding MPA developments across the UK can be found on the JNCC website: [www.jncc.defra.gov.uk/marineprotectedareas](http://www.jncc.defra.gov.uk/marineprotectedareas)

## Useful email addresses:

- Natura SCI information - <http://jncc.defra.gov.uk/page-4534>
- MCZ consultation - <http://www.defra.gov.uk/consult/2012/12/13/marine-conservation-zones-1212/>
- Marine Scotland webpage – [www.scotland.gov.uk/marinescotland](http://www.scotland.gov.uk/marinescotland)

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