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Greater Wash SPA and Liverpool Bay SPA

The Department would like to highlight to industry that density shapefiles have recently been produced for the above areas by JNCC.

These files can be found at:

Greater Wash SPA (Distribution of wintering red throated diver, little gull and common scoter)

<https://hub.jncc.gov.uk/assets/9f1f8fb8-de83-444f-b643-9946b019c622>)

Liverpool Bay SPA (Distribution of wintering waterbirds and seabirds)

<https://hub.jncc.gov.uk/assets/288de5a0-e109-4005-978a-d4bf22f8dd72>

The information contained in these files is intended to support developers in conducting bird disturbance assessments when preparing applications for submission to the Department within these SPAs.