

Liverpool Bay SPA



Liverpool Bay SPA was classified in August 2010 and the site was updated in November 2018. The site covers an area of approximately 2528km². Liverpool Bay SPA overlaps with other protected areas including Fylde MCZ, Ribble Estuary MCZ, West of Walney MCZ, Shell Flat and Lune Deep SAC, Morecambe Bay SAC, Dee Estuary SAC.

SPA designated features: Red-throated loon; little gull; common scoter; little tern; common tern; Waterbird assemblage.

Management: Liverpool Bay SPA is managed by Natural England and Natural Resource Wales. Management plan - [liverpool-bay-bae-lerpwl-spa-conservation-advice.pdf](#) ([naturalresources.wales](#))

Inshore waters management as above – offshore waters contact JNCC for relevant management

Natural England Advice – [Marine site detail](#) ([naturalengland.org.uk](#))

Standard data form – [UK9020294.pdf](#) ([jncc.gov.uk](#))

SPA consultation report - [Liverpool Bay / Bae Lerpwl Special Protection Area extension: consultation outcome](#) - GOV.UK ([www.gov.uk](#))

Magic map: [Magic Map Application](#) ([defra.gov.uk](#))