## Wyre-Lune MCZ



Wyre-Lune MCZ was designated in May 2019. It is an inshore site that covers an area of approximately 92km<sup>2</sup>. The site is located in the southern part of Morecambe Bay, Lancashire, in the Irish Sea.

**Designated features:** Smelt. The main threats to smelt are considered to be barriers to migration and degraded habitat, rather than fishing activities. Therefore, no management has been put in place by NWIFCA.

Natural England Site View – Designated Sites View (naturalengland.org.uk)
Natural England Advice – Marine site detail (naturalengland.org.uk)
Defra Factsheet – mcz-wyre-lune-2019.pdf (publishing.service.gov.uk)