

Request a sediment sample plan

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Volume of material to be dredged (m3)

Up to 3,100,000 metric tonnes per annum

Depth of the sediment to be dredged (as opposed to the water depth to be achieved)

2.0m

Description of the location (e.g. Holyhead Port)

Associated British Ports : Port of Port Talbot

Coordinates of the dredge area(s) (individually named areas, e.g. berths, should be detailed rather than one area)

Area [Channel and Harbour] Dredge Zone 1

Latitude Longitude

51 34.46 N 3 48.33 W
51 34.47 N 3 48.33 W
51 34.55 N 3 48.31 W
51 34.53 N 3 48.04 W
51 34.50 N 3 47.95 W
51 34.79 N 3 48.35 W
51 34.81 N 3 48.47 W
51 34.78 N 3 48.76 W
51 34.65 N 3 49.16 W
51 33.82 N 3 51.40 W
51 33.19 N 3 52.62 W
51 33.04 N 3 52.43 W
51 33.67 N 3 51.27 W
51 34.50 N 3 49.00 W
51 34.38 N 3 48.78 W
51 34.30 N 3 48.03 W
51 34.31 N 3 47.98 W
51 34.36 N 3 47.97 W
51 34.39 N 3 48.35 W

Area [South Pocket] Dredge Zone 2

Latitude Longitude

51 34.46 N 3 48.33 W
51 34.45 N 3 48.30 W
51 34.42 N 3 47.96 W
51 34.36 N 3 47.97 W
51 34.39 N 3 48.35 W

Area [North Pocket] Dredge Zone 3

Latitude Longitude

51 34.55 N 3 48.31 W
51 34.47 N 3 48.33 W
51 34.48 N 3 48.30 W
51 34.45 N 3 47.95 W
51 34.50 N 3 47.95 W
51 34.53 N 3 48.04 W

Area [Old Dock Channel] Dredge Zone 4

Latitude Longitude

51 34.89 N 3 49.21 W
51 34.98 N 3 48.32 W
51 35.05 N 3 48.00 W
51 35.08 N 3 47.81 W
51 35.07 N 3 47.79 W
51 35.05 N 3 47.78 W
51 35.01 N 3 47.98 W
51 34.95 N 3 48.24 W
51 34.94 N 3 48.31 W
51 34.85 N 3 49.19 W

Please also provide a GIS shapfile if possible

- File: DML 1946v2 Port Talbot Dredge Area.pdf - [Download](#)
- File: Port Talbot Maintenance Dredge Sampling Map.pdf - [Download](#)

Dredging

Is your application for capital or maintenance dredging? Capital dredging is the removal of material that has not previously been dredged or has not been dredged in the last 10 years. This includes deepening or widening an existing dredge area. Maintenance dredging relates to the removal of material from areas which have previously been dredged (in the last 10 years) i.e dredging the same areas and to the same depth as before.

Maintenance dredging

Please provide the following details:

The last licence/application number	DML 1946v2
When sediment analysis was last undertaken	March 2023
When the area was last dredged	January 2025

If this is to support a renewal of a marine licence, state if there are any proposed changes to operation since the last licence

Compliance with condition (Regular Sampling) on an extant 10 year disposal licence.

Will the dredged material be disposed to sea, beneficially used, or used for another purpose?

Sea

If disposal at sea, provide the name and code of the proposed disposal site

Bristol Channel Outer North (LU130)

If beneficial use, how will the material be used and what is the proposed deposit location? Provide name of location and coordinates

Not Applicable

What material is the likely composition of the dredge sediment e.g. silt, gravel? Provide proportions of the different types of material if relevant

Silt, Clay and Sand

Provide details of any previous exclusions from dredging/disposal/beneficial use/re-use

Not Applicable

Public register

Is there any information contained within or provided in support of this application that you consider should NOT be included on the Public Register on the grounds that its disclosure:

	Yes	No
Would be contrary to the interest of National Security?		X
Would prejudice to an unreasonable degree you, or some other person's commercial interest or those of a third party?		X

Application fee

Please provide the method of payment

World pay (contact Permit Receipt Centre)

Reference number (not BACS remittance number):
DML1946v2 PORT TALBOT

Please complete the details below which will be required for invoicing

Customer name	Associated British Ports
FAO	Natural Resource Wales
Purchase order number	W187886
Address for invoice	Queen Alexandra House Cargo Rd Cardiff, CF10 4LY
Telephone number	07969532969
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Declaration

If you would like a copy of your completed form, please provide your preferred email address below:

GRobins@abports.co.uk

I declare that the information in this application is true to the best of my knowledge. I understand that this application may be refused, or approval withdrawn if I give false or incomplete information.

Please type your name and date this form to confirm that the information you have provided is correct.

Name	Gareth Robins
Date	30/01/2025
Position in company	Harbour Master