

Mud Hole (RMCZ1) Evidence Review

Region	Irish Sea Conservation Zones	
Site Name/number	Mud Hole rMCZ ISCZ1	
ENG Features present and proposed for inclusion within MCZ designation	BSH	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Subtidal mud.
	Habitat FOCI	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mud habitats in deep water Sea-pen and burrowing megafauna communities.
	Species FOCI	-
ENG Features present but not proposed for inclusion within MCZ designation	BSH	-
	Habitat FOCI	-
	Species FOCI	-
Non-ENG Features (Geological/geomorphological)		-

Evidence Summary – data provided by Regional MCZ Projects

Feature	Evidence Summary	Key Sources
Subtidal mud	The presence of this broadscale habitat is based on predictive modelling from UK SeaMap (I.D. GB001055)	UK SeaMap
Mud habitats in deep water	Evidence for the presence of this habitat is provided by polygon data (I.D. GB000681) from project MB0102 which records two areas of occurrence within this MCZ. The predictive modelled habitat map from UK SeaMap also indicates the presence of this habitat.	Project MB0102 UK SeaMap
Sea-pen and burrowing megafauna communities	This habitat is recorded within a data polygon from Lumb et al. (2011) as provided by the regional project.	Lumb, C., Johnston, M. & Bussell, J. 2011.

Description of New Evidence Identified by MB0116 project

No new evidence found

Evidence That Could Not Be Acquired by MB0116 project

No new evidence found