

Belfast Harbour

NOTICE TO MARINERS

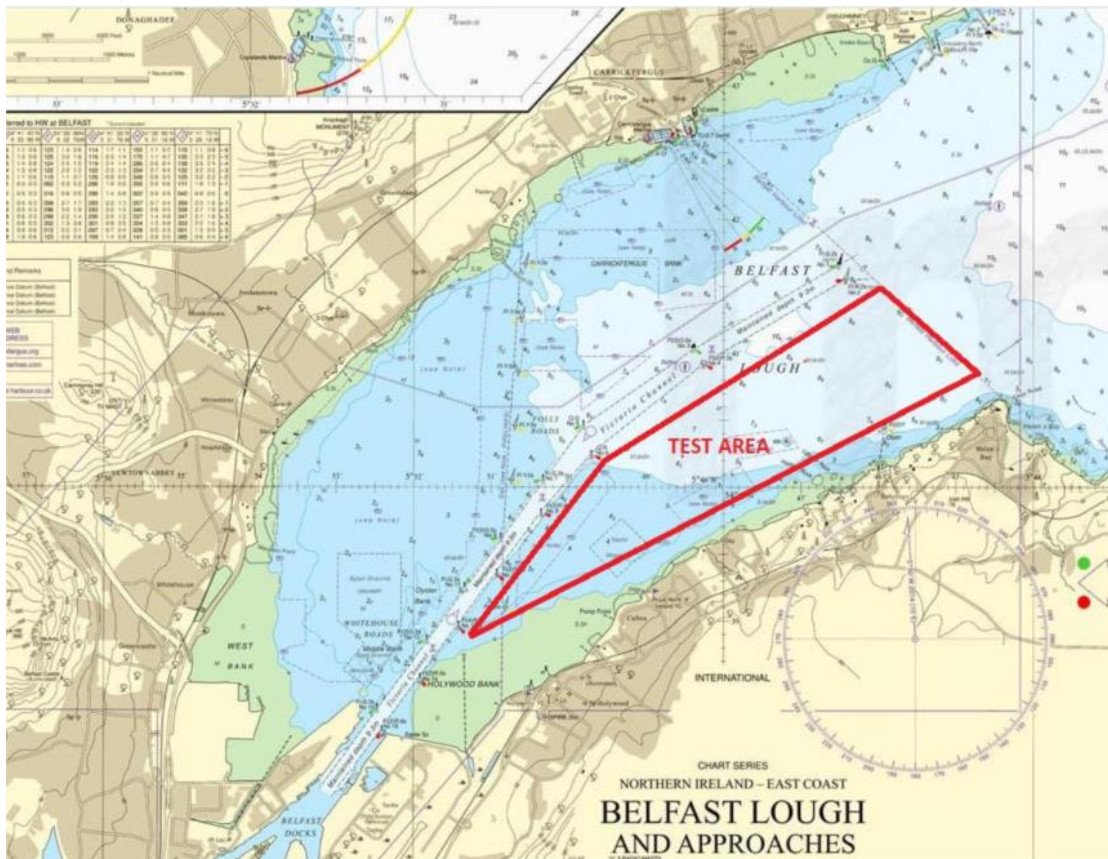
No. 10 of 2024

Hydrofoil testing area

All mariners please be advised of the continuation of hydrofoil vessels conducting high speed testing within Belfast Harbour Limits.

A testing area has delineated within the following boundary:

- 1) 54 38.9N 005 51.3W
- 2) 54 40.2N 005 49.5W
- 3) 54 41.5N 005 46.0W
- 4) 54 40.8N 005 44.7W



This area has no restrictions for access by other vessels. Vessels engaged in hydrofoil testing must maintain a constant listening watch on VHF Ch 12 and Ch16 and observe the International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea 1972.

Vessels outside this test area cannot enter 'foiling mode' without clearance from Belfast VTS on VHF Ch.12.

Mariners should be advised that testing may take place in areas beyond Belfast Harbour Limits.

Notice to Mariners No.8 of 2022 is hereby withdrawn

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'K. G. Allen', written in a cursive style.

CAPTAIN K. G. ALLEN
HARBOUR MASTER
26th February 2024