

## **Marine Planning in England**

[Marine planning](#) is about making sure the right activities happen in the right place and in the right way. It is important for many areas, and not just those at sea. It relates to any planning decisions for the coast, estuaries and tidal waters, as well as developments that impact on these.

The [Marine Information System](#) (MIS) brings marine plans, their policies, supporting data and information together into one place. It is for anyone using the marine plans – from public authorities to industry applicants, and can be used to support applications the decision making process.

MIS provides access to the data and evidence supporting the marine plan, their policies and development through the interactive map and the marine evidence base.

MIS also displays adopted marine plan policies in an easy to use format, making the plans more accessible and easier to understand and apply.