# **North-West of Lundy**

Marine Conservation Zone (MCZ)



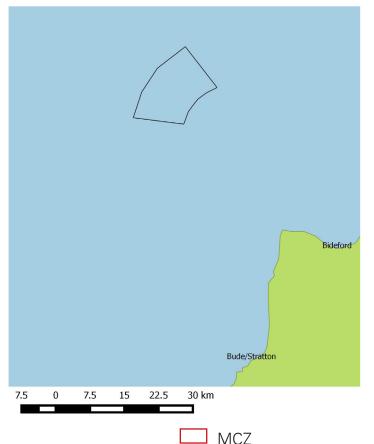


### Fact file

This is site was recommended as an alternative to the previously proposed North of Lundy zone. The North-West of Lundy Marine Conservation Zone helps protect subtidal coarse sediment - as well as the fantastic array of life that it supports, including burrowing worms, clams and anemones.

This site, which was initially proposed by the North Devon Biosphere, has considerable support from the local fishing community as it gives the same conservation benefits as the original proposal, but with less local economic impact. We believe that it will make the same contribution to an ecologically coherent network as the original proposal whilst supporting local, sustainable fisheries.

#### Location



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UK seas have the potential to be some of the most wildlife rich on Earth, but ambitious protection is needed to reverse the decades of decline.

Great progress has been made in securing protected areas at sea but there's still work to be done.

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"The designation of the third tranche of Marine Conservation Zones has given us an amazing opportunity to protect our marine wildlife and habitats for future generations. We now have 91 MCZs which is great news, but to help our seas recover we also need the Government to implement proper management and monitoring of these sites."

Joan Edwards
Director of Living Seas
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