

Local Notice to Mariners

AMITIÉ SUBSEA CABLE SYSTEM

ALCATEL SUBMARINE NETWORKS / WM Offshore

Alcatel Submarine Networks UK Ltd. (ASN) has been contracted to carry out construction activities of the AMITIÉ cable system (starting 2km from shore). The AMITIÉ cable system spans nearly 6,600 km in total with the initial UK landing point in Widemouth Bay, near Bude, Cornwall.

The construction activities will commence 2km from shore (> 15m water depth) and will utilise the cable lay vessel "Ile de Brehat" (MMSI: 226 335 000), which will commence construction operations from the nearshore area out to the UK exclusive economic zone (EEZ). The third-party vessel ESVAGT DON (WM Offshore, MMSI: 219 011 717) will complete the PLGR in the UK EEZ only starting on approximately 23rd July lasting approximately 2 weeks.

Following this the Ile de Brehat will start by performing a pre-lay grapnel run (PLGR) in UK Territorial Seas prior to laying the cable beyond the UK continental shelf starting approximately on **8th August 2021**, lasting approximately 8 weeks.

The exact start and finish date will be dependent on the prevailing weather conditions and work progress.

It is requested that all vessels operating within this area keep their distance, maintaining at least a 500 m exclusion zone, and pass at minimum speed to reduce vessel wash.

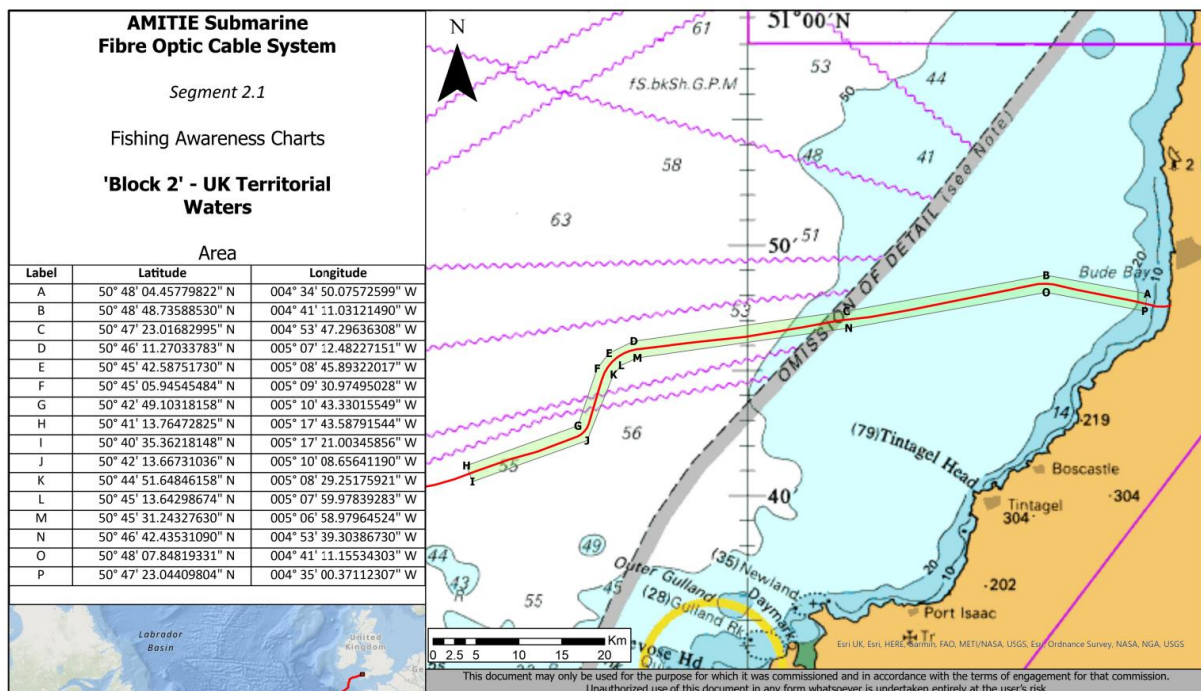


Figure 1 Amitié Cable route in UK territorial waters

Nature of Operations

The cable lay vessel, Ile de Brehat will be operating from approximately 2km from shore out to the UK EEZ laying and burying the Amitié cable, including pre-lay grapnel run (PLGR) in UK Territorial Seas.

The vessel ESVAGT DON (WM Offshore) is also contracted to complete the PLGR works in the UK EEZ only.

These operations will be conducted on an ongoing 24 hour basis. A listening watch will be maintained on VHF Channel 16, and the vessels will actively transmit an AIS signal. Please see contact details for the Ile de Brehat & ESVAGT DON below.

Ile de Brehat (ASN) – UK Territorial Seas & EEZ



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ESVAGT DON (WM Offshore) – EEZ only for PLGR



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Fisheries Liaison Officers

Brown & May Marine provide FLO services to the UK AMITIÉ Subsea Cable System. Contact details for the FLO are provided at the end of this notice. Please note there will be no OFLO on-board the Ile de Brehat during operations.

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