

SUMMARY OF AVAILABLE DATA, PLANS AND STRATEGIES RELEVANT TO THE FARNE ISLANDS SPA

Monitoring, data and evidence

A summary of general MPA data sources can be found [at this link](#)

The following site specific data or evidence is also available for the Farne Islands SPA:

Owner of data or evidence	Name	Description of data or evidence	Availability
Natural England	Tern Verification Surveys for Marine Sites	Natural England commissioned these surveys to verify modelling work on terns carried out by the JNCC. The results were be used to help define the potential boundaries of marine SPAs by identifying the limits to important foraging areas for each species at each recently regularly occupied colony. The report includes details of surveys on the Northumberland coast.	Available to download
Natural England	Site Condition Monitoring Data	Condition assessments of the individual terrestrial/intertidal SSSIs which underpin SAC, SPA, and MCZ designations.	Details of individual SSSIs can be viewed on the Designated Sites View website

National Trust	Annual wildlife reports for the Farne Islands	Information on birds and grey seals summarised each year in the 'Northumbrian Naturalist' publication of the Natural History Society of Northumbria	Reports available from Natural History Society of Northumbria http://www.nhsn.ncl.ac.uk/publications/northumbrian-naturalist/
JNCC	Seabird Monitoring Programme - sea bird counts	Seabird counts undertaken as part of the Seabird Monitoring Programme. Counts data exists for a number of different seabird colonies with Berwickshire and Northumberland.	http://jncc.defra.gov.uk/smp/Default.aspx
Defra	MAGIC website	Habitat maps and site boundaries	https://magic.defra.gov.uk/

NB: for data on seals on the Farne Islands please refer to the Berwickshire and North Northumberland Coast Marine SAC

Plans and Strategies Relevant to the Farne Islands SPA:

- [North East Marine Plan](#)
- Farne Islands NNR Management Plan (National Trust)
- [Northumberland Coastal Site Improvement Plan \(SIP\)](#)