



Norfolk Boreas Offshore Wind Farm

Appendix 5.3

Habitats Regulations Assessment Screening Matrices

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Glossary of Acronyms

BDMPS	Biologically Defined Minimum Population Scale
CRM	Collision Risk Modelling
EIA	Environmental Impact Assessment
EMF	Electomagentic Fields
ES	Environmental Statement
HRA	Habitats Regulations Assessment
LSE	Likely Significatn Effect
NE	Natural England
PVA	Population Viability Analysis
Ramsar	Wetland site designated to be of international importance under the Ramsar Convention
SAC	Special Area of Conservation
SCI	Site of Community Importance
SPA	Special Protection Area





1 INTRODUCTION

- 1. This document provides the Habitats Regulations Assessment (HRA) screening matrices for Norfolk Boreas Offshore Wind Farm.
- 2. Following submission of the Norfolk Boreas Offshore Wind Farm Development Consent Order application the Planning Inspectorate provided advice under Section 51 of The Planning Act regarding the details provided in the screening matrices and how these related to the impact assessment presented in the Information to Support the Habitat Regulations Assessment (document reference 5.3). This update provides the additional information requested by The Planning Inspectorate.
- 3. In summary, the key changes include:
 - a. For sites which are designated as both a Special Protection Area (SPA) feature and Ramsar site (criterion), separate rows have been provided under each designation with supporting footnotes for each feature and criterion;
 - b. References to the screening information have been added to the footnotes;
 - c. Updated the effects headings of the Norfolk Valley Fens Special Area of Conservation (SAC) River Wensum SAC and Paston Great Barn SAC; assessment to be consistent effect headings presented within the integrity matrices (document reference 5.3.6.1); and
 - d. Updated screening matrix for Haisborough, Hammond and Winterton SAC.





2 SCREENING MATRICES

2.1 Effects considered

4. Potential effects upon the European sites and Ramsar sites which are considered within the submitted Information to Support HRA report are provided in Table 2.1.

Table 2.1 Potential Effects consider in Screening

Site Type	Feature(s)	Potential Effects
Special Protection Area (SPA)	All birds	Offshore effects
Ramsars	All birds	Offshore effects
Special Area of Conservation/Site of Community Importance (SAC/SCI)	Benthic habitats	 Permanent loss (and introduction of new sediment where applicable) Temporary physical disturbance Smothering due to increased suspended sediment Re- mobilisation of contaminated sediments Underwater noise and vibration Cumulative/ In-combination
	Marine mammals	 Underwater noise Vessel Interactions Indirect effects on prey Changes to water quality Cumulative/ In-combination
	Fish	 Permanent loss (and introduction of new sediment where applicable) Temporary physical disturbance Smothering due to increased suspended sediment Re- mobilisation of contaminated sediments Underwater noise and vibration Electromagnetic fields (EMF) Cumulative/ In-combination





Site Type	Feature(s)	Potential Effects
	Terrestrial	 Direct effects (e.g. habitat loss) Impacts on ex-situ habitats functionally connected to the SAC Impacts from alterations to geology and land contamination Disturbance due to groundwater / hydrology changes Impacts from noise disturbance Impacts from changing air quality Impacts from light disturbance Impacts from visual disturbance

2.2 Sites considered

- 5. The methodology for screening of sites and effects is discussed in Appendix 5.1 of the Information to Support HRA report (document reference 5.3.5.1).
- 6. The following sites displayed in Table 2.2 were included in the Screening stage.

Table 2.2 Sites included in Screening

Norfolk Boreas Reference Number	Designated site	Ornithology	Marine Mammals	Benthic Habitats	Fish	Terrestrial
1	Abberton Reservoir SPA & Ramsar	✓				
2	Abers - Côtes des légendes SAC		✓			
3	Agger Tange, Nissum Bredning, Skibsted Fjord og Agerø SAC		✓			
4	Ålborg Bugt, Randers Fjord Og Mariager Fjord SAC		✓			
5	Alde, Ore and Butley Estuaries SAC			✓		
6	Alde-Ore Estuary SPA & Ramsar	✓				
7	Anholt og havet nord for SAC		✓			
8	Archipel des Glénan SAC		✓			
9	Baie De Canche Et Couloir Des Trois Estuaires SAC		✓		✓	
10	Baie de Morlaix SAC		✓			
11	Baie de Seine Occidentale SAC		✓			
12	Baie de Seine Occidentale SPA	✓				
13	Baie de Seine Orientale SAC	✓	✓			
14	Baie du Mont Saint-Michel SAC		✓			
15	Balgö SAC		✓			
16	Bancs Des Flandres SAC		✓	✓		
17	Bancs Des Flandres SPA	✓				
18	Bassurelle Sandbank SAC			✓		





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Boreas			Marine	Benthic		
Reference	Designated site	Ornithology	Mammals	Habitats	Fish	Terrestrial
Number			iviaiiiiiais	парнась		
	Benfleet and Southend					
19	Marshes SPA & Ramsar	✓				
	Berwickshire and North		,			
20	Northumberland Coast SAC		✓	✓		
	Blackwater Estuary (Mid-					
21	Essex Coast Phase 4) SPA &	✓				
	Ramsar					
22	Borkum-Riffgrund SCI		✓		✓	
23	Borkum-Riffgrund SPA	✓				
24	Braemar Pockmarks SAC			✓		
25	Breydon Water SPA &	√				
25	Ramsar	V				
26	Broadland SPA & Ramsar	✓				
27	Bruine Bank pSPA	✓				
28	Buchan Ness to Collieston	√				
20	Coast SPA					
29	Calf of Eday SPA	✓				
30	Cap Gris Nez SPA	✓				
31	Cap Sizun SAC		✓			
32	Chausey SAC	✓	✓			
33	Chaussée de Sein SAC		✓			
34	Chesil Beach and The Fleet	√				
54	SPA & Ramsar	•				
35	Chichester and Langstone	√				
33	Harbours SPA & Ramsar					
36	Colne Estuary (Mid-Essex	√				
	Coast Phase 2) SPA & Ramsar					
37	Copinsay SPA	✓				
38	Coquet Island SPA	✓				
39	Côte de Granit Rose-Sept Iles	✓	✓			
40	SAC		√			
40	Côtes de Crozon SAC	√	V			
41	Cromarty Firth SPA & Ramsar Crouch and Roach Estuaries	V				
42	(Mid-Essex Coast Phase 3)	√				
72	SPA & Ramsar	·				
43	Deben Estuary SPA & Ramsar	√				
	Dengie (Mid-Essex Coast					
44	Phase 1) SPA & Ramsar	✓				
45	Doggerbank SCI		✓			
46	Doggersbank SCI		√			
	Dornoch Firth and Loch Fleet	,				
47	SPA & Ramsar	✓				
	Dornoch Firth and Morrich					
48	More SAC		✓			
49	Dråby Vig SAC		✓			
50	Duinen Ameland SAC		✓			
51	Duinen en Lage Land Texel		√			
21	SAC					





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Norfolk						
Boreas	Designated site	Ornithology	Marine	Benthic	Fish	Terrestrial
Reference			Mammals	Habitats		
Number						
52	Duinen Goeree & Kwade Hoek SAC		✓			
53	Duinen Terschelling SAC		√			
54	Duinen Vlieland SAC		√			
34	Dünenlandschaft Süd-Sylt					
55	SAC		√			
56	Dunes De La Plaine Maritime Flamande SAC		✓	✓		
57	Dunes de l'Authie et Mollières de Berck SAC		✓			
58	East Caithness Cliffs SPA	√				
		Y		√		
59	Essex Estuaries SAC			V		
	Estuaire de la Canche, dunes					
60	picardes plaquées sur					
60	l'ancienne falaise, forêt		✓			
	d'Hardelot et falaise					
C1	d'Equihen SAC		√			
61	Estuaire de la Seine SCI		V			
63	Estuaires et Littoral Picards				,	
62	(baies de Somme et d'Authie)		✓		✓	
62	SAC	√				
63	Exe Estuary SPA & Ramsar	1				
64	Fair Isle SPA	✓				
65	Falaise du Bessin Occidental SPA	✓				
	Falaises du Cran Aux Oeufs et					
	du Cap Gris-Nez, Dunes du					
66	Chatelet, Marais de		✓	✓		
	Tardinghen et Dunes de					
	Wissant SAC					
	Falaises et Pelouses du Cap					
	Blanc Nez, du Mont					
67	d'Hubert, des Noires Mottes,			✓		
	du Fond de la Forge et du					
	Mont de couple SCI					
68	Faray and Holm of Faray SAC		✓	<u></u>		
69	Farne Islands SPA	✓				
70	Fetlar SPA	✓				
71	Firth of Forth SPA & Ramsar	✓				
70	Firth of Tay & Eden Estuary					
72	SPA & Ramsar	✓				
70	Firth of Tay & Eden Estuary					
73	SAC		✓			
74	Flamborough and Filey Coast SPA	✓				
75	Flamborough Head SAC			√		
76	Forth Islands SPA	√				
77	Foula SPA	√				
	Foulness (Mid-Essex Coast					
78	Phase 5) SPA & Ramsar	✓				





Norfolk						
Boreas			Marine	Benthic		
Reference	Designated site	Ornithology	Mammals	Habitats	Fish	Terrestrial
Number						
79	Fowlsheugh SPA	✓				
80	Frisian Front pSPA	✓				
81	Gibraltar Point SPA & Ramsar	✓				
82	Great Yarmouth North Denes SPA	✓				
83	Greater Wash SPA	✓				
84	Grevelingen SAC		✓			
85	Gule Rev SCI		✓			
86	Gullmarsfjorden SAC		✓			
87	Haisborough, Hammond and Winterton SAC			√		
88	Hallands Väderö SAC		✓			
89	Hamburgisches Wattenmeer SCI		✓			
90	Hamford Water SPA & Ramsar	✓				
91	Havet og kysten mellem Præstø Fjord og Grønsund SAC		✓			
92	Havet omkring Nordre Rønner SAC		✓			
93	Helgoland mit Helgoländer Felssockel SAC		✓			
94	Hermaness, Saxa Vord and Valla Field SPA	✓				
95	Hesselø med omliggende stenrev SAC		✓			
96	Hirsholmene, havet vest herfor og Ellinge Å's udløb SAC		✓			
97	Hornsea Mere SPA	✓				
98	Hoy SPA	✓				
99	Humber Estuary SAC		✓	✓	✓	
100	Humber Estuary SPA & Ramsar	✓				
101	Hund und Paapsand SCI		✓			
102	Imperial Dock Lock, Leith SPA	✓				
103	Inner Dowsing, Race Bank and North Ridge SCI			✓		
104	Inner Moray Firth SPA & Ramsar	✓				
105	Isle of May SAC		✓			
106	Klaverbank SAC		✓			
107	Kosterfjorden-Väderöfjorden SAC		✓			
108	Kungsbackafjorden SAC		√			





Norfolk Boreas Reference Number	Designated site	Ornithology	Marine Mammals	Benthic Habitats	Fish	Terrestrial
109	Küsten- und Dünenlandschaften Amrums SAC		✓			
110	Lindisfarne SPA & Ramsar	✓				
111	Littoral Seino-Marin SPA	✓				
112	Loch of Strathbeg SPA & Ramsar	✓				
113	Løgstør Bredning, Vejlerne og Bulbjerg SAC		✓			
114	Lovns Bredning, Hjarbæk Fjord og Skals, Simested og Nørre Ådal, Skravad Bæk SAC		✓			
115	Malmöfjord SAC		✓			
116	Marais du Cotentin et du Bessin - Baie des Veys SAC		✓			
117	Margate and Long Sands SCI			✓		
118	Marwick Head SPA	✓				
119	Måseskär SAC		✓			
120	Medway Estuary and Marshes SPA & Ramsar	✓				
121	Minsmere-Walberswick SPA & Ramsar	✓				
122	Montrose Basin SPA & Ramsar	✓				
123	Moray and Nairn Coast SPA & Ramsar	✓				
124	Mousa SPA	✓				
125	Mousa SAC		✓			
126	Nationalpark Niedersächsisches Wattenmeer SAC		✓			
127	Nibe Bredning, Halkær Ådal og Sønderup Ådal SAC		✓			
128	Nidingen SAC		✓			
129	Noordzeekustzone SAC		✓	✓	✓	
130	Nordre älvs estuarium SAC		✓			
131	Nordvästra Skånes havsområde SAC		√			
132	Norfolk Valley Fens SAC					✓
133	North Caithness Cliffs SPA	✓				
134	North Norfolk Coast SPA & Ramsar	✓				
135	North Norfolk Sandbanks and Saturn Reef SAC			✓		
136	Northumbria Coast SPA & Ramsar	√				
137	Noss SPA	✓				





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Boreas			Marine	Benthic		
Reference	Designated site	Ornithology	Mammals	Habitats	Fish	Terrestrial
Number						
	NTP S-H Wattenmeer und					
138	angrenzende Küstengebiete		✓			
	SAC					
139	Oosterschelde SAC		✓			
140	Orfordness - Shingle Street SAC			✓		
141	Östliche Deutsche Bucht SPA	✓	✓			
142	Ouessant-Molène SAC		✓			
143	Outer Thames Estuary SPA	✓				
144	Papa Stour SPA	✓				
145	Papa Westray (North Hill and Holm) SPA	✓				
146	Paston Great Barn SAC					✓
147	Pater Noster-skärgården SAC		✓			
148	Pentland Firth Islands SPA	✓				
149	Portsmouth Harbour SPA & Ramsar	✓				
150	Presqu'ile de Crozon SAC		✓			
	Ramsar-Gebiet S-H					
151	Wattenmeer und	√				
	angrenzende Küstengebiete					
	SPA Récifs et marais arrière-					
152	littoraux du Cap Lévi à la		√			
192	Pointe de Saire SAC					
153	Récifs Gris-Nez Blanc-Nez		√	√		
155	SAC		·	·		
454	Ridens et dunes hydrauliques		,			
154	du détroit du Pas-de-Calais SAC		√	√		
155	River Derwent SAC				√	
156	River Wensum SAC				<u> </u>	√
157	Roches de Penmarch SAC		√			·
	Ronas Hill - North Roe and					
158	Tingon SPA	√				
159	Rousay SPA	✓				
160	Sälöfjorden SAC		✓			
161	Sanday SAC		✓			
162	SBZ 1 / ZPS 1 SAC		✓			
163	SBZ 2 / ZPS 2 SAC	✓				
164	SBZ 3 / ZPS 3 SAC	✓				
165	Scanner Pockmark SAC			✓		
166	Seevogelschutzgebiet Helgoland SPA	✓				
	Skagens Gren og Skagerrak					
167	SAC SAC		✓			
168	Solent and Southampton Water SPA & Ramsar	✓				
169	Soteskär SAC		✓			





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Reference	Designated site	Ornithology	Mammals	Habitats	Fish	Terrestrial
Number						
170	Southern North Sea SAC		✓			
171	St Abb`s Head to Fast Castle SPA	✓				
172	Steingrund SAC		✓			
173	Store Rev SCI		✓			
174	Stour and Orwell Estuaries SPA & Ramsar	✓				
175	Strandenge på Læsø og havet syd herfor SAC		✓			
176	Sumburgh Head SPA	✓				
177	Sydlige Nordsø SAC		✓			
178	Sylter Außenriff SCI	✓	✓			
179	Teesmouth and Cleveland Coast SPA & Ramsar	✓				
180	Thames Estuary and Marshes SPA & Ramsar	✓				
181	Thanet Coast and Sandwich Bay SPA & Ramsar	✓				
182	Thanet Coast SAC			✓		
183	The Broads SAC					✓
184	The Swale SPA & Ramsar	✓				
185	The Wash and North Norfolk Coast SAC		✓	✓		
186	The Wash SPA & Ramsar	✓				
187	Tregor Goëlo SAC		✓			
188	Troup, Pennan and Lion`s Heads SPA	✓				
189	Unterems und Außenems SCI		✓			
190	Vadehavet med Ribe Å, Tved Å og Varde Å vest for Varde SAC		√			
191	Venø, Venø Sund SAC		✓			
192	Vlaamse Banken SAC		✓	✓	✓	
193	Vlakte van de Raan SCI/SAC		✓		✓	
194	Voordelta SAC and SPA	√	√	✓	✓	
195	Vrångöskärgården SAC		✓			
196	Waddenzee SPA	✓				
197	Waddenzee SAC		✓	✓		
198	West Westray SPA	✓				
199	Westerschelde & Saeftinghe SAC				✓	
200	Winterton – Horsey Dunes SAC		✓			
201	Yell Sound Coast SAC		✓			
202	Ythan Estuary, Sands of Forvie and Meikle Loch SPA	✓				





2.3 Assessment of potential effects

- 7. A summary of the evidence presented in the determination of the risk of likely significant effects (LSE) on the relevant qualifying features of a site is detailed within the footnotes to the screening matrices below.
- 8. Features are presented either at the level of individual species (where these have been identified as qualifying features in their own right) or as an assemblage of species if that is the qualifying feature. For some non-UK sites it was unclear from the level of detail available whether the species listed are part of an assemblage feature or qualify separately. In these cases, where the potential for impacts is the same for all listed species, these have been assigned as an assemblage within a single row of the matrix.
- 9. Ornithological features of Ramsar sites are classified under Criterion 5 (assemblage) or Criterion 6 (named species) and each has been referenced accordingly in the footnotes.
- 10. The following abbreviations are used within the screening matrices:
 - Y = LSE cannot be excluded
 - N = LSE can be excluded
 - C = construction
 - O = operation
 - D = decommissioning
- 11. Where effects are not applicable to a particular feature they are greyed out.





Site	1											
Name of European Site:	Abberto	n Reservoi	r SPA and	Ramsar								
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	171											
Site Features	Likely eff	ect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas								
	Collision	mortality		Displacer	ment/Distu	ırbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulati	ve/In-com	bination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
SPA features												
Golden Plover <i>Pluvialis apricaria</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Teal Anas crecca		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Shoveler <i>Anas clypeata</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Gadwall Mareca strepera		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Cormorant Phalacrocorax carbo		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Assemblage		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Ramsar features												
Shoveler <i>Anas clypeata</i>		N (c)		N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)
Wigeon Mareca penelope		N (c)		N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)
Gadwall Mareca strepera		N (c)		N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)
Pochard Mareca strepera		N (c)		N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)
Mute swan Cygnus Olor		N (c)		N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)
Assemblage	5 + h - CDA	N (c)		N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)

⁽a) Survey data show no evidence of the SPA features found at that site occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1) and , in addition, the



Name of European Site:



Site

Abberton Reservoir SPA and Ramsar

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predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Abberton Reservoir SPA.

- (b) Maximum foraging range of breeding cormorants from their colonies is 35km (Thaxter et al. 2012); the Norfolk Boreas site is therefore located far beyond the maximum range and so has no breeding season connectivity. It is extremely unlikely that cormorants from Abberton Reservoir SPA would visit the Norfolk Boreas site in the nonbreeding season as they mostly overwinter in freshwater habitat in southern England.
- (c) Ramsar criterion: predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are very small and not significant and also would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment of these features at Abberton Reservior SPA and Ramsar.

Site	2														
Name of European Site:	Abers - C	ôtes De	s Legenc	les SAC											
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	684														
Site Features	Likely eff	ect(s) of	Norfolk	Boreas											
	Underwa	ater nois	se	Vessel	Interacti	ons	Indired prey	ct effects	on	Change quality	es to wat	ter	In-com	bination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Grey seal Halichoerus grypus	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site	3														
Name of European Site:	Agger Tai	nge, Nis	sum Bre	edning, S	kibsted F	jord og A	gerø SA(3							
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	509														
Site Features	Likely effe	ect(s) of	Norfolk	Boreas											
	Underwa	iter nois	se	Vessel	Interacti	ons	Indired prey	ct effects	on	Change quality	es to wat	er	In-com	nbination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour seal <i>Phoca vitulina</i>	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site	4														
Name of European Site:	Ålborg Bu	ıgt, Ran	ders Fjo	rd og Ma	ıriager Fj	ord SAC									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	755														
Site Features	Likely eff	ect(s) of	Norfolk	Boreas											
	Underwa	ater nois	se	Vessel	Interacti	ons	Indired prey	ct effects	on	Change quality	es to wat	er	In-com	bination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour seal	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site	5																	
Name of European Site:	Alde, C	ore and	Butley I	Estuarie	s SAC													
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	113																	
Site Features	Likely e	effect(s)	of Norf	olk Bore	eas													
	Permai	nent los	S	Tempo disturb	orary pł oance	nysical	increa	ering du sed nded sea			obilisati ninated ents			water n	oise	In-con	nbinatio	n
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Offshore habitats																		
Mudflats and sandflats not covered by seawater at low tide	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Estuaries	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
(a) The distance between reference 5.3.5.1).	the offsh	ore proj	ect area	and the	e design	ated sit	e is beyo	ond the	range of	any pot	tential L	SE (see	Table 4.	1 of offs	hore scr	eening,	docume	ent





Site 6	;											
Name of European Site:	Alde-Ore E	stuary SPA	and Rams	ar								
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 1	.17											
Site Features	Likely e	fect(s) of N	lorfolk Bor	eas								
	Collision	mortality	1	Displace	ement/Dist	urbance	Barrier	Effect		Cumula	tive/In-cor	mbination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
SPA features												
Breeding lesser black-backed gulls Larus fuscus		Y (a)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (h)	Y (a)	N (h)
Breeding marsh harrier Circus aeruginosus		N (c)		N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (h)	N (h)	N (h)
Breeding avocet Recurvirostra avosetta		N (d)		N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (h)	N (h)	N (h)
Breeding little tern Sternula albifrons		N (e)		N (e)	N (e)	N (e)	N (e)	N (e)	N (e)	N (e)	N (e)	N (e)
Breeding Sandwich tern Sterna sandvicensis		N (f)		N (f)	N (f)	N (f)	N (f)	N (f)	N (f)	N (h)	N (h)	N (h)
Nonbreeding ruff Philomachus pugnax		N (g)		N (g)	N (g)	N (g)	N (g)	N (g)	N (g)	N (h)	N (h)	N (h)
Nonbreeding avocet <i>Recurvirostra</i> avosetta		N (d)		N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (h)	N (h)	N (h)
Nonbreeding redshank Tringa totanus		N (g)		N (g)	N (g)	N (g)	N (g)	N (g)	N (g)	N (h)	N (h)	N (h)
Ramsar features												
Breeding lesser black-backed gulls <i>Larus</i> fuscus		Y (i)		N (j)	N (j)	N (j)	N (j)	N (j)	N (j)	N (j)	Y (i)	N (j)
Breeding avocet Recurvirostra avosetta		N (d)		N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (j)	N (j)	N (j)
Nonbreeding avocet <i>Recurvirostra</i> avosetta		N (d)		N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (j)	N (j)	N (j)
Nonbreeding redshank Tringa totanus		N (j)		N (j)	N (j)	N (j)	N (j)	N (j)	N (j)	N (j)	N (j)	N (j)





Name of European Site: Alde-Ore Estuary SPA and Ramsar

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 117

- (a) Model predictions of collision mortality indicate that LSE cannot be ruled out at screening and so requires further consideration (Norfolk Boreas Appendix 13. Annex 4).
- (b) Evidence indicates that lesser black-backed gulls are not affected by displacement, disturbance or barrier effects at offshore wind farms.
- (c) Marsh harrier is a migrant species. Satellite tracking suggests that marsh harriers migrate overland to the south coast of England and over the Channel to France, rather than across the North Sea (Wright et. al. 2012*).
- (d) Avocet has not been observed in the Norfolk Boreas site during bird surveys. It is highly unlikely that avocets from this SPA and Ramsar will migrate through the Norfolk Boreas site, and if they did, their flight height is likely not to be at collision risk height (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (e) Breeding little tern has a maximum foraging range of 11km from colonies, so would have no connectivity with the Norfolk Boreas site. Migrating little terns are considered to be 'extremely coastal on passage with very few sightings in open ocean or inland' (Forrester et al. 2007), so are unlikely to pass through the Norfolk Boreas site.
- (f) Breeding Sandwich tern has a maximum foraging range of 54km from colonies, so would have no connectivity with the Norfolk Boreas site. Only very small numbers of terns of any species were observed in the Norfolk Boreas site in surveys. Migrating Sandwich terns from this SPA population will form a very small fraction of the very small total numbers of terns passing the site on passage.
- (g) Ruff, avocet and redshank have not been observed during bird surveys at the Norfolk Boreas site. It is highly unlikely that these birds would migrate through the Norfolk Boreas site as their migration is likely to take a coastal route and cross sea at narrow points such as The English Channel. If they did migrate through the Norfolk Boreas site their flight height is likely not to be at collision risk height (Wright et al. 2012*).
- (h) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Alde-Ore Estuary SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (i) Model predictions of collision mortality for lesser black-backed gull indicate that LSE cannot be ruled out at screening and so requires further consideration (Norfolk Boreas Appendix 13. Annex 4).
- (j) These species either not at risk form the potential impact (e.g. construction) or not present on the wind farm and therefore not at risk of an LSE.
- * Wright, L.J., Ross-Smith, V.H., Massimino, D., Dadam, D., Cook, A.S.C.P. & Burton, N.H.K. 2012. Assessing the risk of offshore wind farm development to migratory birds designated as features of UK Special Protection Areas (and other Annex I species). Strategic Ornithological Support Services. Project SOSS-05. BTO Research Report No. 592.





Site	7														
Name of European Site:	Anholt	og have	t nord f	or SAC											
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	812														
Site Features	Likely e	ffect(s)	of Norfo	lk Borea	S										
	Underv	vater no	ise	Vessel I	nteractio	ons	Indirect	effects o	on prey	Change quality	s to wate	r	In-com	bination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site	8														
Name of European Site:	Archipe	el des G	lénan S <i>A</i>	\C											
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	838														
Site Features	Likely e	ffect(s)	of Norfo	lk Borea	S										
	Underv	vater no	ise	Vessel I	nteractio	ons	Indirect	effects o	on prey	Change quality	s to wate	r	In-comb	oination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site 9 Name of European Site: Baie de Canche et couloir des trois estuaires SAC **Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)** 240 **Marine Mammals** Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas Site Features Indirect effects on prey **Vessel Interactions** Changes to water In-combination Underwater noise quality С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D N (a) Harbour porpoise *Phocoena* N (a) N (a) N (a) N (a) N (a) N (a) phocoena N (a) Grey seal N (a) Harbour seal N (a) Fish Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas Site **Features** Electromagnetic Permanent habitat Temporary physical Smothering due to Re-mobilisation of Underwater noise In-combination disturbance increased contaminated and vibration fields (EMF) loss suspended sediments sediment С С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D 0 D С 0 D N (a) Salmon Ν N (a) Salmo salar (a) Site Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas **Features**





Site				9																	
Name of Euro	pean S	Site:		Baie (de Canc	he et co	uloir de	s trois e	estuaire	s SAC											
Distance to N	lorfolk	Boreas ((km)	240																	
	Perm loss	anent h	abitat	Tempo disturi	orary pl bance	nysical	Smoth increa susper sedim	nded	ue to		obilisati minated ents	-		water ribration	oise	Electro fields	omagne (EMF)	tic	In-com	nbinatio	n
	С	0	D	С	0	С	0	С	0	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Sea lamprey Petromyzon marinus	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
River lamprey Lampetra fluviatilis	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Allis shad Alosa alosa	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 and 5.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site	10														
Name of European Site:	Baie De	e Morlai	x SAC												
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	637														
Site Features	Likely e	effect(s)	of Norfo	olk Borea	S										
	Underv	vater no	ise	Vessel I	nteractio	ons	Indirect	t effects (on prey	Change quality	s to wate	er	In-comb	oination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site	11														
Name of European Site:	Baie de	e Seine (Occident	ale SAC											
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	422														
Site Features		effect(s) water no		Vessel I	s Interactio	ons	Indirec	t effects (on prey	Change quality	s to wate	r	In-coml	oination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour porpoise	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site	12											
Name of European Site:	Baie d	e Seine	Occide	ntale SPA								
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	422											
Site Features	Likely	effect(s) of No	rfolk Boreas								
	Collisio	on mort	ality	Displacem	ent/Dist	urbance	Barrier	Effect		С	umulative/In-cor	mbination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Breeding, wintering and passage waterbirds		N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)

⁽a) Survey data show little or no evidence of Baie de Seine Occidentale SPA features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site, as most migrant waterfowl moving between northern breeding areas and southern wintering areas and using staging areas such as Baie de Seine Occidentale in France pass along the west European flyway along the continental coast rather than crossing the North Sea to the UK. At a distance of 422km, the chances of birds from this SPA moving through the Norfolk Boreas site are extremely small (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site	13														
Name of European Site:	Baie d	e Seine (Oriental	e SAC											
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	398														
Site Features	Likely 6	ely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas													
	Under	water no	oise	Vessel I	nteractio	ons	Indirec	t effects	on prey	Change	s to wate	er	In-coml	bination	
										quality					
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour porpoise	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

⁽b) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Baie de Seine Occidentale SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site	14														
Name of European Site:	Baie d	u Mont S	Saint-Mi	chel SAC											
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	569														
Site Features	Likely 6	y effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas													
	Under	water no	oise	Vessel I	nteractio	ns	Indirec	t effects	on prey	Change	s to wate	er	In-coml	oination	
										quality					
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site	15														
Name of European Site:	Balgö :	SAC													
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	814														
Site Features	Likely	effect(s)	of Norfo	lk Borea	S										
	Under	water no	oise	Vessel I	nteractio	ons	Indirec	t effects	on prey	Change	s to wate	er	In-coml	oination	
										quality					
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Name of European Site: Bancs des Flandres SAC

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 152

Marine Mammals

Site Features	Likely 6	effect(s)	of Norfo	olk Borea	ıs										
	Under	water no	oise	Vessel	Interact	ions	Indired prey	t effects	s on	Change quality	es to wa	ter	In-com	bination	1
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour porpoise	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

Benthic Habitats

Site Features	Perma	nent los	S	Tempo disturb	rary phy ance	rsical		ering du sed susp ent			obilisatio ninate d ents	_	Undervand vib	water no oration	ise	In-com	bination	1
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Sandbanks which are slightly covered by sea water all the time	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)		N (b)	N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

b) The distance between the offshore project area and the designated site is beyond the range of any potential LSE (see Table 4.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site	17											
Name of European Site:	Banc Des	Flandres S	SPA									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	162											
Site Features	Likely eff	ect(s) of No	orfolk Bore	as								
	Collision	mortality		Displacer	ment/Distu	rbance	Barrier Ef	ffect		Cumulati	ve/In-coml	oination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Wintering and passage species: razorbill, brent goose, great skua, black tern, fulmar, red-throated diver, black-throated diver, Mediterranean gull, little gull, velvet scoter, common scoter, red-breasted merganser, gannet, Leach's storm petrel, great crested grebe, red-necked grebe, kittiwake, common eider, Arctic skua, pomarine skua, common tern, little tern, Sandwich tern, Arctic tern, guillemot		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Breeding little tern		N(c)		N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)

- a) Many of the named species have not been recorded on the Norfolk Boreas site and are not ones associated with offshore locations. With respect to species named as nonbreeding features of the SPA, these consist of many of the seabird species which pass through the southern North Sea and English Channel on migration. As such the potential impacts on those species recorded at Norfolk Boreas has been assessed in terms of the wider Biologically Defined Minimum Population Scales (BDMPS) populations (see Furness 2015). The Applicant considers this to be the appropriate population scale for nonbreeding impacts on the species named at this SPA, since the majority of individuals will not be resident at the SPA but will instead pass through. Furthermore, given the relative size of the SPA population estimates for the migratory species compared with the total passage populations, the risks to the SPA populations due to Norfolk Boreas are very small (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- b) The predicted effect attributable to the proposed Norfolk Boreas project is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Bancs des Flandres SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- c) Breeding little tern has a maximum foraging range of 11km from colonies, so would have no connectivity with Norfolk Boreas. Migrating little terns are considered to be 'extremely coastal on passage with very few sightings in open ocean or inland' (Forrester et al. 2007), so are unlikely to pass through the Norfolk Boreas site.





Bassurelle Sandbank SAC Name of European Site:

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)

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Site	Likely 6	effect(s) c	of Norfolk	Boreas														
Features	Perma	inent loss	5	Tempo disturb	orary phy pance	sical		ering du sed susp ent			obilisatior ninated ents	n of		water no bration	ise	In-com	nbination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Sandbanks which are slightly covered by sea water all the time	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)

⁽a) The distance between the offshore project area and the designated site is beyond the range of any potential LSE





Name of European Site: Benfleet & Southend Marshes SPA and Ramsar

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 20	2											
Site Features	Likely	effect(s) of I	Norfolk Bo	reas								
	Collisio	on mortality	1	Displac	ement/Dis	turbance	Barrier	Effect		Cumula	tive/In-cor	mbinatio
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
SPA features												
Wintering and passage waterbird assemblage		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Ringed plover <i>Charadrius hiaticula</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Dark-bellied brent goose Branta bernicla		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Grey plover <i>Pluvialis squatarola</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Knot Calidris canutus		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Dunlin <i>Calidris alpina</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Ramsar features						·						
Wintering and passage waterbird assemblage		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Ringed plover <i>Charadrius hiaticula</i>		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Dark-bellied brent goose Branta bernicla		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Grey plover <i>Pluvialis squatarola</i>		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Knot Calidris canutus		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Dunlin <i>Calidris alpina</i>		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)





Name of European Site: Benfleet & Southend Marshes SPA and Ramsar

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 202

- (a) Survey data show little or no evidence of Benfleet & Southend Marshes SPA features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site during migration therefore these is no risk of an LSE (Norfolk Boreas Appendix 13. Annex 7) and, in addition, the predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall incombination assessment for these features at Benfleet & Southend Marshes SPA.
- (b) Ramsar criterion: predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are very small and not significant and also would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment (Norfolk Boreas Appendix 13. Annex 7).

Site			20															
Name of European Site	e:		Berwick	shire an	d North	Northu	mberlan	d Coast	SAC									
Distance to Norfolk Bo	reas (kn	1)	346															
Marine Mammals																		
Site Features	Likely	effect(s)	of Norfo	olk Borea	as													
	Under	water n	oise	Vessel Interactions Indirect effects on quality In-combination														
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D			
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)			
Benthic Habitats																		
Site Features	Perma	nent los	S	Tempo	orary phy pance	/sical		ering du sed susp ent			bilisatio ninate d ents	n of	Undervand vik	water no oration	oise	In-com	binatior	1
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Coastal lagoons	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)		N (b)	N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Submerged or	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)		N (b)	N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)





Site	20
Name of European Site:	Berwickshire and North Northumberland Coast SAC
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	346
partially submerged	
sea caves	

- a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- b) The distance between the offshore project area and the designated site is beyond the range of any potential LSE (see Table 4.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site Name of European Site:	21 Blackw	ater Estu	ary (Mid	-Essex Coa	st Phase 4	1) SPA and	Ramsar						
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	185												
Site Features		Likely e	effect(s) o	of Norfolk E	Boreas								
		Collisio	n mortal	ity	Displace	ment/Dist	urbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulat	ve/In-com	bination
		С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
SPA features													
Little tern Sterna albifrons			N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Pochard Aythya farina			N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Avocet Recurvirostra avosetta			N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Golden Plover Pluvialis apricaria			N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Hen harrier Circus cyaneus			N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Ruff Philomachus pugnax			N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Ringed plover Charadrius hiaticula			N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Dunlin Calidris alpina alpina			N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)





Name of European Site: Blackwater Estuary (Mid-Essex Coast Phase 4) SPA and Ramsar

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)

185

Site Features	Likely e	effect(s) c	of Norfolk I	Boreas								
	Collisio	n mortal	ity	Displace	ment/Dist	urbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulat	ive/In-com	bination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Black-tailed Godwit <i>Limosa limosa islandica</i>		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Grey Plover <i>Pluvialis squatarola</i>		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Redshank <i>Tringa totanus</i>		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Ringed Plover Charadrius hiaticula		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Shelduck <i>Tadorna tadorna</i>		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Great Crested Grebe Podiceps cristatus		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Dark-bellied Brent Goose <i>Branta bernicla</i> bernicla		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Shelduck <i>Tadorna</i> tadorna		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Dunlin Calidris alpina alpina		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Redshank <i>Tringa totanus</i>		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Curlew Numenius arquata		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Cormorant Phalacrocorax carbo		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Wigeon Anas penelope		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Teal Anas crecca		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Pintail <i>Anas acuta</i>		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Shoveler <i>Anas clypeata</i>		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)





Name of European Site: Blackwater Estuary (Mid-Essex Coast Phase 4) SPA and Ramsar

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)

185

Site Features	Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas														
	Collisio	Collision mortality			ement/Dist	urbance	Barrier	Effect		Cumula	Cumulative/In-combination				
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D			
Goldeneye Bucephala clangula		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)			
Red-breasted Merganser Mergus serrator		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)			
Lapwing Vanellus vanellus		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)			
Assemblage		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)			
Ramsar features					·	·			•	·					
Golden Plover <i>Pluvialis apricaria</i>		N (c)		N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)			
Dunlin <i>Calidris alpina alpina</i>		N (c)		N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)			
Black-tailed Godwit <i>Limosa limosa islandica</i>		N (c)		N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)			
Grey Plover <i>Pluvialis squatarola</i>		N (c)		N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)			
Dark-bellied Brent Goose <i>Branta bernicla</i> bernicla		N (c)		N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)			
Shelduck <i>Tadorna tadorna</i>		N (c)		N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)			
Winter assemblage		N (c)		N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)			





Name of European Site: Blackwater Estuary (Mid-Essex Coast Phase 4) SPA and Ramsar

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)

185

Site Features	Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas												
	Collision mortality			Displacer	ment/Distu	ırbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulative/In-combination			
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	

- (a) Breeding little tern has a maximum foraging range of 11km from colonies, so would have no connectivity with the Norfolk Boreas site. Migrating little terns are considered to be 'extremely coastal on passage with very few sightings in open ocean or inland' (Forrester et al. 2007), so are very unlikely to pass through the Norfolk Boreas site (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Survey data show little or no evidence of Blackwater Estuary SPA occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (c) Ramsar criterion: predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are very small and not significant and also would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site 22

Name of European Site:

Borkum-Riffgrund (Borkum Reef Ground) SCI

Distance to Norfolk

219

Boreas (km)

Site Features	Likely eff	Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas														
	Underwa	ater noise		Vessel Interactions			Indirect	effects on I	prey	Changes	to water	quality	In-combination			
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	
Harbour porpoise	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	
Grey seal	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	





Site		22	22																		
Name of European Borkum-Riffgrund (Borkum Reef Ground) SCI Site:																					
Distance to Norfolk 219 Boreas (km)																					
Harbour seal		N (a)	N	(a)	a) N (a) N (a) N (a) N (a)		N (a)	N	I (a)	N (a)	N (a) N (a)		N	l (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N	I (a)	
Fish							,														
Site Features	nent habitat Temporary physical disturbance			Smothering due to increased suspended sediment			Re- mobilisation of contaminated sediments				Underwater noise and vibration			omagne (EMF)	etic	In-combination					
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Twaite shad Alosa fallax	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

b) The distance between the offshore project area and the designated site is beyond the range of any potential LSE (see Table 5.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site	23											
Name of European Site:	Borkum-Ri	ffgrund SF	A									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	218											
Site Features	Likely effec	ct(s) of No	rfolk Borea	as								
	Collision m	ortality		Displace	ment/Dist	urbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulat	ive/In-con	nbination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Nonbreeding seabird assemblage including as named features black-throated diver <i>Gavia arctica</i> , red-throated diver <i>Gavia stellata</i> , common gull <i>Larus canus</i> , lesser black-backed gull, great black-backed gull <i>Larus marinus</i> , little gull <i>Larus minutus</i> , kittiwake <i>Rissa tridactyla</i> , common tern <i>Sterna hirundo</i> , Arctic tern <i>Sterna paradisaea</i> , Sandwich tern, gannet <i>Morus bassanus</i> , guillemot <i>Uria aalge</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)

- a) Migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site during migration relative to the size of Biologically Defined Minimum Population Scale (BDMPS) regional populations. Not only are the sites 234km apart, but much of the seasonal movement of birds avoids crossing of the North Sea so that birds on the continental side of the North Sea are more likely to move along the continental coast rather than crossing to the UK.
- b) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Borkum-Riffgrund SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Name of European Site: Braemar Pockmarks SAC

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 64

645

Site	Likely e	ffect(s) o	f Norfolk	Boreas														
Features	Perma	nent loss		Tempo disturb	orary phy pance	rsical	increa	ering du sed nded sed			obilisatio ninated ents	n of		water no bration	oise	In-com	nbination	ı
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Submarine structures made by leaking gases	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)

a) The distance between the offshore project area and the designated site is beyond the range of any potential LSE (see Table 4.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site 25												
Name of European Site: Bre	ydon Wate	r SPA and I	Ramsar									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 76												
Site Features (SPA) / Criterion (Ramsar)	Likely e	ffect(s) of N	Norfolk Bore	eas								
	Collisio	n mortality	_	Displace	ment/Dist	urbance	Barrier l	Effect	_	Cumula	tive/In-con	nbination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
SPA features												
Bewick's swan Cygnus columbianus bewickii		Y (a)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)
Avocet Recurvirostra avosetta		Y (a)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)
Golden Plover Pluvialis apricaria		Y (a)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)
Ruff Philomachus pugnax		Y (a)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)
Lapwing Vanellus vanellus		Y (a)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)
Common tern Sterna hirundo		N (c)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (c)	N (b)
Black-tailed godwit Limosa limosa islandica		Y (a)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)
Dunlin <i>Calidris alpina alpina</i>		Y (a)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)
Shoveler Anas clypeata		Y (a)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)
Wigeon Anas penelope		Y (a)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)
White-fronted goose Anser albifrons albifrons		Y (a)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)
Cormorant Phalacrocorax carbo		Y (a)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)
Waterbird assemblage		Y (a)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)





Ramsar features										
Bewick's swan Cygnus columbianus bewickii	Y (a)	N (d)	Y (a)	N (d)						
Avocet Recurvirostra avosetta	Y (a)	N (d)	Y (a)	N (d)						
Golden Plover <i>Pluvialis apricaria</i>	Y (a)	N (d)	Y (a)	N (d)						
Ruff Philomachus pugnax	Y (a)	N (d)	Y (a)	N (d)						
Lapwing Vanellus vanellus	Y (a)	N (d)	Y (a)	N (d)						
Common tern Sterna hirundo	N (c)	N (d)	N (c)	N (d)						
Black-tailed godwit <i>Limosa limosa</i> islandica	Y (a)	N (d)	Y (a)	N (d)						
Shoveler <i>Anas clypeata</i>	Y (a)	N (d)	Y (a)	N (d)						
Wigeon Anas penelope	Y (a)	N (d)	Y (a)	N (d)						
White-fronted goose <i>Anser albifrons</i> albifrons	Y (a)	N (d)	Y (a)	N (d)						
Cormorant <i>Phalacrocorax carbo</i>	Y (a)	N (d)	Y (a)	N (d)						
Waterbird assemblage	Y (a)	N (d)	Y (a)	N (d)						

- (a) Natural England considers that there is potential for connectivity during migration and therefore LSE cannot be screened out.
- (b) Survey data show no evidence of Breydon Water SPA occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site during migration (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (c) SPA is far beyond the maximum foraging range of common tern (30km) so has no breeding season connectivity. Numbers of SPA common tern migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site are likely to be extremely small relative to BDMPS (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (d) Ramsar criterion: The predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are so small that they would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall incombination assessment for these features at Breydon Water SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site 2	5											
Name of European Site: B	roadland SF	A and Ram	sar									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 70	6 (offshore	project area	i)									
Site Features/ Criterion	Likely	effect(s) of	Norfolk B	oreas offsho	re project	area						
	Collisio	on mortality		Displace	ement/Dis	turbance	Barrier	Effect		Cumula	itive/In- ation	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
SPA features												
Bittern Botaurus stellaris		Y (a)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)
Marsh harrier Circus aeruginosus		Y (a)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)
Bewick's swan <i>Cygnus columbianus</i> bewickii		Y (a)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)
Whooper swan Cygnus cygnus		Y (a)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)
Ruff Philomachus pugnax		Y (a)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)
Gadwall Anas strepera		Y (a)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)
Pink-footed goose Anser brachyrhynchu.	s	Y (a)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)
Shoveler <i>Anas clypeata</i>		Y (a)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)
Cormorant Phalacrocorax carbo		Y (a)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)
White-fronted goose Anser albifrons albifrons		Y (a)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)
Wigeon Anas penelope		Y (a)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)
Assemblage		Y (a)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)
Ramsar features												





| Bewick's swan Cygnus columbianus
bewickii | Y (a) | N (c) | Y (a) | N (c) |
|----------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Gadwall Anas strepera | Y (a) | N (c) | Y (a) | N (c) |
| Pink-footed goose Anser brachyrhynchus | Y (a) | N (c) | Y (a) | N (c) |
| Shoveler <i>Anas clypeata</i> | Y (a) | N (c) | Y (a) | N (c) |
| Wigeon Anas penelope | Y (a) | N (c) | Y (a) | N (c) |
| Greylag goose Anser anser | Y (a) | N (c) | Y (a) | N (c) |

- (a) Natural England considers that there is potential for connectivity during migration and therefore LSE cannot be screened out.
- (b) Survey data show no evidence of Broadland SPA features occurring in the proposed Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Vanguard site during migration (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (c) Ramsar criterion: the predicted effect attributable to the proposed Norfolk Boreas project is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Broadland SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site	26											
Name of European Site:	Broadla	nd SPA and	Ramsar									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	4.5 (ons	hore proje	ct area)									
Site Features/ Criterion	Likely ef	fect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas onshor	e project a	rea						
		ffects withi		Direct e	ffects on e	x-situ		effects with		Indirect of habitats	effects on (ex-situ
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
SPA features												
Bewick's Swan (<i>Cygnus columbianus</i> bewickii)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Bittern (Botaurus stellaris)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)





Site	26											
Name of European Site:	Broadlaı	nd SPA and	l Ramsar									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	4.5 (ons	hore proje	ct area)									
Hen Harrier (Circus cyaneus)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Ruff (Philomachus pugnax)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Whooper Swan (Cygnus cygnus)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Gadwall (Anas strepera)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Shoveler (Anas clypeata)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Widgeon (Anas penelope)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Pink-footed Goose (Anser brachyrhynchus)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Wildfowl assemblage	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Ramsar features				'	1			_		1	1	
Tundra Swan (<i>Cygnus columbianus</i>)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Eurasian wigeon (Anas penelope)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Gadwall (Anas strepera)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Northern shoveler (Anas clypeata)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Pink-footed goose (Anser brachyrhynchus)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Greylag goose (Anser anser)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)

a) The Broadland SPA and Ramsar is located 4.5km from the onshore project area, and so the SPA is beyond the range of potential impact (see Table 2.1 of onshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.2).

b) Surveys recorded waterbird counts that are considered to not be of a scale of national or greater importance, or to be a significant component of the





Name of European Site: Broadland SPA and Ramsar

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 4.5 (onshore project area)

Broadland SPA and Ramsar (see Sections 3.3.5 and 4.6.1 of onshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.2). Consequently, these ex-situ habitats are not considered to be important habitats for the qualifying features of the Broadland SPA and Ramsar.

Site	27											
Name of European Site:	Bruine Ba	nk (Brown R	lidge) pSPA	V								
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	ca.20km (a)										
Site Features	Likely 6	ffect(s) of N	lorfolk Bor	eas								
	Collisio	n mortality		Displace	ement/Dist	urbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulat	ive/In-com	nbination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Common guillemot <i>Uria aalge</i>		N (b)		N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)
Razorbill <i>Alca torda</i>		N (b)		N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)

- (a) It should be noted that the distance from the Norfolk Boreas site to the pSPA is uncertain as the boundaries of the pSPA are under consultation at present.
- (b) The designated features of Bruine Bank pSPA are likely to be common guillemot and razorbill, species for which low flight height results in low risk of collision with offshore wind turbines. Furthermore, birds wintering on Bruine Bank are likely to remain at the pSPA because it is a high-quality feeding habitat (i.e. the reason why this concentration of birds is being proposed for SPA status), and so these birds are unlikely to be at risk of collision at the Norfolk Boreas site
- (c) Bruine Bank is high quality feeding habitat for nonbreeding piscivorous seabirds from breeding areas further north, so the birds in that pSPA are unlikely to pass through the Norfolk Boreas site on migration as it lies west rather than north of the pSPA. Therefore, displacement, disturbance and barrier effect at the Norfolk Boreas site will not be likely to affect birds on Bruine Bank pSPA.
- (d) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Bruine Bank pSPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Name of European Site: **Buchan Ness to Collieston Coast SPA**

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 5	53											
Site Features	Likely eff	ect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas								
	Collision	mortality		Displacer	ment/Distu	ırbance	Barrier Et	ffect		Cumulati	ve/In-com	bination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Breeding seabird assemblage, including as named features kittiwake, shag <i>Phalacrocorax aristotelis</i> , fulmar, guillemot, herring gull <i>Larus argentatus</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)

- (a) Buchan Ness to Collieston Coast SPA is beyond maximum foraging range of designated seabird species so has no breeding season connectivity. Proportions of these populations migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site are likely to be very small relative to BDMPS (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Buchan Ness to Collieston Coast SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site 29 Name of European Site: Calf of Eday SPA Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 753 Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas Site Features Cumulative/In-combination Displacement/Disturbance Collision mortality **Barrier Effect** C D С D 0 D С 0 D С 0 0 Breeding seabird assemblage including as N (a) N (b) N (b) N (b) named features cormorant, fulmar Fulmarus glacialis, guillemot, kittiwake and great black-backed gull





- (a) Calf of Eday SPA is beyond maximum foraging range of designated seabird species so has no breeding season connectivity. Proportions of these populations migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site are likely to be very small relative to BDMPS (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Calf of Eday SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Cia	20											
Site	30											
Name of European Site:	Caps Gris	Nez SPA										
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	210											
Site Features	Likely effe	ect(s) of No	orfolk Borea	as								
	Collision	mortality		Displacer	nent/Distu	rbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulati	ve/In-comb	oination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Wintering and passage species: razorbill, kingfisher, pintail, white- fronted goose, greylag goose, short- eared owl, greater scaup, bittern, brent goose, sanderling, dunlin, purple sandpiper, Scopoli's shearwater, great skua, Kentish plover, little ringed plover, ringed plover, whiskered tern, black tern, white stork, marsh harrier, hen harrier, little egret, merlin, peregrine, puffin, fulmar, black- throated diver, great northern diver, red-throated diver, common crane, oystercatcher, black-winged stilt, storm petrel, red-backed shrike, Mediterranean gull, bar-tailed godwit, woodlark, velvet scoter,		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)





Site	30						
Name of European Site:	Caps Gris	Nez SPA					
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	210						
common scoter, smew, red-breasted							
merganser, black kite, red kite,							
gannet, curlew, whimbrel, osprey,							
honey buzzard, shag, cormorant,							
ruff, spoonbill, golden plover, grey							
plover, Slavonian grebe, great							
crested grebe, red-necked grebe,							
black-necked grebe, Manx							
shearwater, avocet, kittiwake, eider,							
long-tailed skua, Arctic skua,							
pomarine skua, little tern, roseate							
tern, common tern, Arctic tern,							
Sandwich tern, wood sandpiper,							
guillemot, lapwing							

- a) Many of the named species have not been recorded on the Norfolk Boreas site and are not ones associated with offshore locations. With respect to seabird species named as nonbreeding features of the SPA, these consist of many of the seabird species which pass through the southern North Sea and English Channel on migration. As such the potential impacts on those species recorded at Norfolk Boreas has been assessed in terms of the wider Biologically Defined Minimum Population Scales populations (see Furness 2015). The Applicant considers this to be the appropriate population scale for nonbreeding impacts on the species named at this SPA, since the majority of individuals will not be resident at the SPA but will instead pass through. Furthermore, given the relative size of the SPA population estimates for the migratory species compared with the total passage populations, the risks to the SPA populations due to Norfolk Boreas are very small (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- b) The predicted effect attributable to the proposed Norfolk Boreas project is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Caps Griz Nez SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site 31 **Cap Sizun SAC** Name of European Site: 764

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)

Site Features	Likely e	effect(s)	of Norfo	olk Boreas	S										
	Underv	vater no	ise	Vessel I	nteractio	ns	Indirect	t effects o	on prey	Change	s to wate	er	In-comb	ination	
										quality					
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site Name of European Site:	32 Chause	y SAC													
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	544														
Site Features		ffect(s) vater no		lk Borea Vessel I	s nteractio	ons	Indirect	effects (on prey	Change quality	s to wate	r	In-comb	oination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site 33
Name of European Site: Chaussée de Sein SAC

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 762

Site Features	Likely e	effect(s)	of Norfo	olk Boreas	S										
	Underv	vater no	ise	Vessel I	nteractio	ns	Indirect	effects	on prey	Change	s to wate	r	In-comb	ination	
										quality					
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site	34												
Name of European Site:	Chesi	il Beach an	d The Flee	t SPA & Ra	msar								
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	441												
Site Features		Likely eff	ect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas								
		Collision	mortality		Displacer	ment/Distu	ırbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulati	ive/In-com	bination
		С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
SPA features													
Dark-bellied brent goose Branta berr bernicla	nicla		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Little tern			N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Ramsar features													
Dark-bellied brent goose Branta bern bernicla	icla		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)





Mute swan Cygnus olor	N (b)									

- (a) Survey data show little or no evidence of features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site and, in addition, the predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Chesil Beach & The Fleet SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Ramsar criterion: the predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are so small that they would not have a significant effect alone or contribute to a significant effect or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Chesil Beach and the Fleet SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site	35												
Name of European Site:	Chich	ester and	Langstone	Harbours	SPA & Rar	nsar							
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	340												
Site Features		Likely eff	ect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas								
		Collision	mortality		Displace	ment/Dist	urbance	Barrier I	ffect		Cumulat	ive/In-com	nbination
		С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
SPA features													
Little tern Sterna albifrons			N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Sandwich tern Sterna sandvicensis			N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Little egret <i>Egretta garzetta</i>			N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Bar-tailed godwit <i>Limosa lapponica</i>			N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Ringed plover Charadrius hiaticula			N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Black-tailed Godwit <i>Limosa limosa</i> islandica			N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Dark-bellied Brent Goose <i>Branta bernic</i> bernicla	cla		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)





Site 35 Name of European Site: **Chichester and Langstone Harbours SPA & Ramsar** Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 340 Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas Site Features Displacement/Disturbance Cumulative/In-combination Collision mortality **Barrier Effect** C 0 D С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D Dunlin Calidris alpina alpina N (a) Grey Plover Pluvialis squatarola N (a) Redshank Tringa totanus N (a) Assemblage N (a) Ramsar features Little tern Sterna albifrons N (b) Ringed plover Charadrius hiaticula N (b) Black-tailed Godwit Limosa limosa N (b) islandica N (b) N (b) N (b) N (b) N (b) N (b) Dark-bellied Brent Goose Branta bernicla N (b) N (b) N (b) N (b) bernicla Dunlin Calidris alpina alpina N (b) Grey Plover Pluvialis squatarola N (b) Redshank Tringa totanus N (b) Common shelduck Tadorna tadorna N (b) Assemblage N (b) N (b)





Name of European Site: Chichester and Langstone Harbours SPA & Ramsar

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 340

Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas Site Features Displacement/Disturbance Cumulative/In-combination Collision mortality **Barrier Effect** С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D C 0 D

- (a) Survey data show little or no evidence of Chichester & Langstone Harbour SPA features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site and, in addition, the predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Ramsar criterion: the predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are so small that they would not have a significant effect alone or contribute to a significant effect or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Chichester & Langstone Harbour SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site 36

Name of European Site: Colne Estuary (Mid-Essex Coast Phase 2) SPA and Ramsar

Distance to Norfolk Boreas 164

(km)

Site Features	Likely effe	ect(s) of No	orfolk Bore	as								
	Collision	mortality		Displacer	ment/Distu	ırbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulati	ve/In-com	bination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
SPA features												
Dark-bellied brent goose Branta bernicla bernicla		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Redshank Tringa totanus		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)





Site 3	5											
Name of European Site: Co	olne Estuary (Mic	l-Essex Coas	st Phase 2)	SPA and F	Ramsar							
Distance to Norfolk Boreas 16 (km)	54											
Hen harrier Circus cyaneus		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Avocet Recurvirostra avosetta		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Golden plover <i>Pluvialis apricaria</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Little tern Sterna albifrons		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Assemblage		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Ramsar features												
Dark-bellied brent goose <i>Branta bern</i> bernicla	nicla	N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Redshank Tringa totanus		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Black-tailed godwit <i>Limosa limosa</i> islandica		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Assemblage		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)

- (a) Survey data show no evidence of these Colne Estuary SPA features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site and, in addition, the predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Ramsar criterion: the predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are so small that they would not have a significant effect alone or contribute to a significant effect or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Colne Estuary SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site	37											
Name of European Site:	Copinsay SP	Α										
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	'18											
Site Features	Likely eff	ect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas								
	Collision				ment/Distu	ırbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulati	ve/In-com	bination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Breeding seabird assemblage including as named features fulmar, guillemot, kittiwake and great black-backed gull		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)

- (a) Copinsay SPA is beyond maximum foraging range of designated seabird species so has no breeding season connectivity. Proportions of these populations migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site are likely to be very small relative to BDMPS (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Copinsay SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site	38														
Name of European Site:	Coquet Island	I SPA													
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	373														
Site Features	Likely ef	kely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas Displacement/Disturbance Barrier Effect Cumulative/In-combination													
	Collision	mortality		Displace	ment/Distu	ırbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulati	ve/In-com	bination			
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D			
Roseate tern Sterna dougallii		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)			
Sandwich tern Sterna sandvicensis		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)			
Common tern Sterna hirundo		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)			





Site	38										
Name of European Site:	Coquet Island	I SPA									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	373										
Arctic tern Sterna paradisaea		N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)						
Puffin Fratercula arctica		N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)						
Assemblage		N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)						

- (a) Coquet Island SPA is beyond maximum foraging range of designated seabird species (all less than 55km) so has no breeding season connectivity. Proportions of these populations migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site are likely to be very small relative to BDMPS (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Coquet Island SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site Name of European Site:	39 Côte D	e Granit	Rose-Se	ept-Iles S	AC										
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	596														
Site Features		effect(s) water no		lk Borea Vessel I	s Interactio	ons	Indirec	t effects (on prey	Change quality	s to wate	er	In-com	bination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site 40 **Côtes de Crozon SAC** Name of European Site: 744 Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas **Site Features** Indirect effects on prey Changes to water In-combination Underwater noise **Vessel Interactions** quality С 0 С 0 С 0 С 0 D D D D D С 0 Grey seal N(a) N(a)

Site	41													
Name of European Site:	Cromarty Fir	th SPA & R	amsar											
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	664													
Site Features	Likely e	fect(s) of N	lorfolk Bor	eas										
	Collision	lision mortality Displacement/Disturbance Barrier Effect Cumulative/In-combination												
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D		
SPA features														
Osprey Pandion haliaetus		N (a)		N (a)										
Common tern Sterna hirundo		N (b)		N (b)										
Bar-tailed godwit <i>Limosa lapponica</i>		N (b)		N (b)										
Whooper swan <i>Cygnus cygnus</i>		N (b)		N (b)										

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site	41											
Name of European Site:	Cromarty Firt	h SPA & Ra	amsar									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	664											
Greylag goose Anser anser		N (b)		N (b)								
Assemblage		N (b)		N (b)								
Ramsar features												
Bar-tailed godwit <i>Limosa lapponica</i>		N (c)		N (c)								
Greylag goose Anser anser		N (c)		N (c)								
Assemblage		N (c)		N (c)								

- (a) This species has not been observed in the Norfolk Boreas site and no migration is predicted through Norfolk Boreas site therefore these is no risk of an LSE (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) There is no indication from survey data that features from this SPA will occur in the Norfolk Boreas site and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (c) Ramsar criterion: the predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are so small that they would not have a significant effect alone or contribute to a significant effect or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Cromarty Firth SPA and Ramsar





Site 42												
Name of European Site: Cro	ouch and R	oach Estua	ries (Mid-l	Essex Coast	Phase 3) S	SPA & Ram	ısar					
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 18	7											
Site Features	Likely ef	fect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas								
	Collision	mortality		Displace	ment/Dist	urbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulat	ive/In-com	nbination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
SPA features												
Dark-bellied brent goose <i>Branta bernicla</i> bernicla		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Assemblage		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Ramsar features												
Dark-bellied brent goose Branta bernicla bernicla		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Assemblage		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)

- (a) Survey data show little or no evidence of Crouch & Roach Estuary SPA feature (brent goose) occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site and , in addition, the predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Ramsar criterion: the predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are so small that they would not have a significant effect alone or contribute to a significant effect or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Crouch & Roach Estuaries SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site 43												
Name of European Site: De	ben Estuar	y SPA & Ra	amsar									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 12	8											
Site Features	Likely ef	fect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas								
	Collision	mortality		Displace	ment/Distu	urbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulati	ive/In-com	bination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
SPA features												
Avocet Recurvirostra avosetta		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Dark-bellied brent goose Branta bernicla bernicla		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Ramsar features												
Dark-bellied brent goose Branta bernicla bernicla		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)

- (a) Survey data show little or no evidence of SPA features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from the SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site and, in addition, the predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Ramsar criterion: the predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are so small that they would not have a significant effect alone or contribute to a significant effect or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Deben Estuary SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site	44											
Name of European Site:	Dengie (Mic	d-Essex Coa	st Phase 1)	SPA & Ra	msar							
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	175											
Site Features	Likely 6	effect(s) of I	Norfolk Bor	eas								
	Collisio	n mortality		Displace	ement/Dist	urbance	Barrier	Effect		Cumula	tive/In-cor	nbination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
SPA features												
Hen harrier Circus cyaneus		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Bar-tailed godwit <i>Limosa lapponica</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Knot Calidris canutus islandica		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Grey plover Pluvialis squatarola		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Dark-bellied brent goose <i>Branta bernic</i> bernicla	la	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Assemblage		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Ramsar features									·			
Bar-tailed godwit <i>Limosa lapponica</i>		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Knot Calidris canutus islandica		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Grey plover <i>Pluvialis squatarola</i>		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Dark-bellied brent goose <i>Branta bernic</i> bernicla	la	N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Assemblage		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)

⁽a) Survey data show little or no evidence of Dengie SPA features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site and, in addition, the predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1)..





(b) Ramsar criterion: the predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are so small that they would not have a significant effect alone or contribute to a significant effect or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Dengie SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site Name of European Site:	45 Doggei	bank SC	CI												
Distance to Norfolk Boreeas (km)	249														
Site Features		effect(s) water no		Vessel I	s Interactio	ons	Indirec	t effects (on prey	Change quality	s to wate	er	In-com	oination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour porpoise	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Doggersbank SCI Name of European Site:

128 Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)

Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas
Likely check(3) of Nortolk Boreas

Site Features	Likely 6	effect(s)	of Norfo	olk Borea	s										
	Under	water no	oise	Vessel I	nteractio	ons	Indirect	t effects (on prey	Change quality	s to wate	er	In-comb	oination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour porpoise	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site 47												
Name of European Site: Do	rnoch Firth	and Loch Fl	eet SPA &	Ramsar								
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 66	8											
Site Features	Likely e	ffect(s) of N	Iorfolk Bor	eas						_		
	Collisio	mortality		Displace	ment/Dist	urbance	Barrier	Effect		Cumula	tive/In-con	nbination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
SPA features												
Osprey Pandion haliaetus		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Bar-tailed godwit <i>Limosa lapponica</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Greylag goose Anser anser		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Wigeon Anas penelope		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Assemblage		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Ramsar features												
Greylag goose Anser anser		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Assemblage		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)

- (a) Survey data show little or no evidence of Dornoch Firth & Loch Fleet SPA features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site and, in addition, the predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Ramsar criterion: the predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are so small that they would not have a significant effect alone or contribute to a significant effect or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Dornoch Firth & Loch Fleet SPA & Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site	48														
Name of European Site:	Dornoc	h Firth a	and Mor	rich Mor	e SAC										
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	696														
Site Features	Likely e	ffect(s)	of Norfo	lk Borea	S										
	Underv	Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas Underwater noise Vessel Interactions Indirect effects on prey Changes to water In-combination													
										quality					
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site Name of European Site:	49 Dråby '	Vig SAC													
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	572														
Site Features	Likely e	effect(s)	of Norfo	lk Borea	S										
	Underv	vater no	ise	Vessel I	Interactio	ons	Indirect	effects	on prey	Change quality	s to wate	er	In-comb	oination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site Name of European Site:	50 Duinen	Amelar	nd SAC												
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	174														
Site Features		ikely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas Underwater noise Vessel Interactions Indirect effects on prey quality Indirect effects on prey quality													
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site Name of European Site:	51 Duinen	en Lage	e Land T	exel SAC												
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	102															
Site Features	Likely e	ikely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas														
				Vessel I	nteractio	ons	Indirect	effects o	on prey	Change quality	s to wate	er	In-coml	oination		
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site Name of European Site:	52 Duiner	ı Goeree	e & Kwa	de Hoek S	SAC											
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	132															
Site Features	Likely 6	ely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas derwater noise Vessel Interactions Indirect effects on prey Changes to water In-combination														
	Under	water no	oise	Vessel I	nteractio	ons	Indirect	effects o	on prey	Change quality	s to wate	r	In-comb	oination		
	C O D		С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D		
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	
Harbour seal	N(a)													N(a)		

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site Name of European Site:	53 Duinen	Tersche	elling SA	С											
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	144														
Site Features		Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas Underwater noise Vessel Interactions Indirect effects on prey Changes to water In-combination													
	Underwater noise			vesseri	interactio	ліѕ	mairect	. errects (on prey	quality	s to wate	:1	III-COIIII	Jillation	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site Name of European Site:	54 Duiner	Vlielan	d SAC												
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	125														
Site Features	Likely 6	Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas													
	Underwater noise C O D			Vessel I	nteractio	ons	Indirect	effects	on prey	Change quality	s to wate	r	In-coml	bination	
				С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Grey seal	N(a) N(a) N(a)			N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site 55 Dünenlandschaft Süd-Sylt SAC Name of European Site: 382 Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) **Site Features** Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas Underwater noise **Vessel Interactions** Indirect effects on prey Changes to water In-combination quality С 0 С 0 С 0 С 0 С 0 D D D D D N(a) N(a) N(a) Grey seal N(a) N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site 56

Name of European Site: Dunes De La Plaine Maritime Flamande SAC

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 182

Marine Mammals

Site Features	Likely 6	effect(s)	of Norfo	lk Borea	ıs										
	Under	water no	oise	Vessel	Interact	ions	Indired prey	t effects	on	Change quality	s to wa	ter	In-com	bination	l
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Benthic Habitats															





Name of European Site: Dunes De La Plaine Maritime Flamande SAC

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 182

Site Features	Permanent loss		S	Tempo disturb	rary phy ance	rsical		ering du ed susp ent			bilisatio ninate d ents	n of	Undervand vib	water no oration	ise	In-com	binatior	ı
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Sandbanks which are slightly covered by sea water all the time	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)		N (b)	N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Mudflats and sandflats not covered by seawater at low tide	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)		N (b)	N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the site is beyond that of potential for direct or indirect effects (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

b) The distance between the offshore project area and the designated site is beyond the range of any potential LSE (see Table 4.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site 57 Dunes de l'Authie et Mollières de Berck SAC Name of European Site: 261 Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) **Site Features** Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas Indirect effects on prey Changes to water Underwater noise **Vessel Interactions** In-combination quality С 0 С D C 0 D 0 D С 0 D С 0 D N(a) Harbour seal

Site 58															
Name of European Site: Ea	st Caithnes	s Cliffs SPA	<u>L</u>												
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 68	Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 682														
Site Features Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas															
	Collision	mortality		Displacer	ment/Distu	ırbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulati	ve/In-com	bination			
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D			
Breeding seabird assemblage including as named features cormorant, guillemot, herring gull, puffin <i>Fratercula arctica</i> , razorbill, shag, fulmar and great blackbacked gull		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)			
Breeding peregrine Falco peregrinus		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)			

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Name of European Site: East Caithness Cliffs SPA

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 682

- (a) East Caithness Cliffs SPA is beyond maximum foraging range of designated seabird species so has no breeding season connectivity. Proportions of these populations migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site are small relative to BDMPS (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Peregrines breeding in the UK normally remain close to their breeding areas throughout the year and are therefore very unlikely to migrate offshore.
- (c) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at East Caithness Cliffs SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site 59

Name of European Site: Essex Estuaries SAC

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)

164

Site	Likely e	ffect(s) o	f Norfolk	Boreas														
Features	Perma	nent loss		Tempo disturk	orary phy pance	/sical		ering du sed susp ent			obilisation ninated ents	n of		water no bration	oise	In-com	nbination	
	С	0	D	С	0 D		С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Estuaries	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Mudflats and sandflats not covered by seawater at low tide	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)





Name of European Site: Essex Estuaries SAC

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)

164

(a) The distance between the offshore project area and the designated site is beyond the range of any potential LSE (see Table 4.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site Name of European Site:	60 Estuair	e De La	Canche,	Dunes P	icardes P	laquees \$	Sur L'anci	enne Fal	aise, Fore	et D'hard	elot Et Fa	laise D'e	quihen S	AC		
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	215															
Site Features	Likely 6	Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas														
				Vessel I	nteractio	ons	Indirect	effects	on prey	Change quality	s to wate	r	In-comb	oination		
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site 61 Estuaire de la Seine SCI Name of European Site: 393 Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas **Site Features** Indirect effects on prey Changes to water Underwater noise **Vessel Interactions** In-combination quality 0 С С D C 0 D 0 С 0 D С 0 D D

N(a)

N(a)

N(a)

N(a)

N(a)

N(a)

Site 62

Name of European Site: Estuaires et littoral picards (baies de Somme et d'Authie) SAC

N(a)

N(a)

N(a)

N(a)

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 261

Marine Mammals

Harbour seal

Site Features	Likely e	ffect(s) of	f Norfolk E	Boreas											
	Underv	vater nois	е	Vessel	Interactio	ns	Indirec	t effects o	n prey	Change	s to water	quality	In-coml	bination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Grey seal	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Harbour seal	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Fish	<u> </u>	1		1	1	1	1						1		

N(a)

N(a)

N(a)

N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site 62 Name of European Site: Estuaires et littoral picards (baies de Somme et d'Authie) SAC **Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)** 261 Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas Site **Features** Permanent habitat Temporary physical Smothering due to Re- mobilisation of Underwater noise Electromagnetic In-combination fields (EMF) disturbance and vibration loss increased contaminated suspended sediments sediment С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D С 0 С 0 D С 0 D D N (a) River Ν Ν Ν Ν Ν Ν N (a) N (a) (a) (a) (a) lamprey (a) (a) (a)

Site	63												
Name of European Site:	Exe	Estuary Si	PA & Rams	ar									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	491												
Site Features		Likely eff	effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas										
		Collision	mortality		Displace	ment/Distu	ırbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulati	ive/In-com	bination
		С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
SPA features													
Avocet Recurvirostra avosetta			N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Slavonian grebe Podiceps auritus			N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Assemblage			N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 and Table 5.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Name of European Site: Exe Estuary SPA & Ramsar

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 491

Ramsar features

Namisal reacures										
Dark-bellied goose <i>Branta bernicla</i> bernicla	N (b)									
Black-tailed godwit <i>Limosa limosa</i> islandica	N (b)									
Assemblage	N (b)									

- (a) Survey data show little or no evidence of Exe Estuary SPA features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site and, in addition, the predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Exe Estuary SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Ramsar criterion: the predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are so small that they would not have a significant effect alone, or contribute to a significant effect, or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Exe Estuary SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site 64

Name of European Site: Fair Isle SPA

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 750

Site Features	Likely eff	ect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas								
	Collision	mortality		Displacer	ment/Distu	ırbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulati	ve/In-com	bination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Breeding seabird assemblage including as named features Arctic skua Stercorarius parasiticus, fulmar, gannet, great skua		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)





Site 6	4									
Name of European Site: F	air Isle SPA									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 7	50									
Stercorarius skua, puffin, razorbill, Arctic tern, guillemot, kittiwake, shag										
Fair Isle wren	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)

- (a) Fair Isle SPA is beyond maximum foraging range of designated seabird species so has no breeding season connectivity. Proportions of these populations migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site are likely to be very small relative to BDMPS (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1)..
- (b) Fair Isle wren is a resident Shetland subspecies that is thought never to leave the island.
- (c) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Fair Isle SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site	65											
Name of European Site:	Falaise du B	essin Occi	dental SPA									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	463											
Site Features	Likely ef	fect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas								
	Collision	mortality		Displace	ement/Dist	urbance	Barrier I	Effect		Cumulat	ive/In-com	nbination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Breeding kittiwake, herring gull, lesser black-backed gull, fulmar		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (g)	N (g)	N (g)
Nonbreeding red-throated diver		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (g)	N (g)	N (g)
Nonbreeding cormorant, shag, red- breasted merganser		N (c)		N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (g)	N (g)	N (g)
Nonbreeding guillemot, razorbill		N (d)		N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (g)	N (g)	N (g)
Nonbreeding peregrine, short-eared owl Asio flammeus		N (e)		N (e)	N (e)	N (e)	N (e)	N (e)	N (e)	N (g)	N (g)	N (g)





Site 6	5											
Name of European Site:	alaise du B	essin Occid	dental SPA									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	63											
Site Features	Likely eff	ect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas								
	Collision	mortality		Displacer	ment/Distu	ırbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulati	ve/In-com	bination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Breeding Dartford warbler Sylvia undata		N (f)		N (f)	N (f)	N (f)	N (f)	N (f)	N (f)	N (f)	N (f)	N (f)

- (a) Falaise du Bessin Occidental SPA is far beyond maximum foraging range of designated seabird species so has no breeding season connectivity. Proportions of these populations migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site are likely to be extremely small relative to BDMPS, as these species are likely to migrate into the Atlantic rather than northwards into the North Sea in autumn, and are unlikely to pass through the North Sea in spring (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Nonbreeding red-throated divers at this SPA are likely to include birds from Scandinavia and the UK, especially juveniles which winter further south than adults. Their migrations between breeding grounds and the SPA probably take most individuals along the continental coast of Europe rather than across the North Sea. Small numbers may cross the North Sea towards the UK or Icelandic breeding grounds. However, red-throated divers tend to fly low over the sea so will be at very low risk of collision. Red-throated divers strongly avoid disturbance and offshore wind farms and so may have to fly further by flying around the Norfolk Boreas site rather than through the wind farm. However, in the context of a migration of over 1000km, the extra distance flown to pass an offshore wind farm represents a negligible increase in energy expenditure for the very few individuals that might be affected (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (c) Cormorants, shags and red-breasted mergansers do not normally occur at the Norfolk Boreas site based on bird survey data. Furthermore, these species tend to fly low over the sea and so would be at negligible risk of collision, and do not show displacement or barrier effects. Indeed, cormorants seem to benefit from offshore wind farm structures permitting them to extend foraging range offshore, and the same may be true for shag and red-breasted merganser which may also benefit from foraging opportunities around turbine bases (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (d) Nonbreeding guillemots and razorbills fly low over the sea and so are at very low risk of collision. However, they are partially displaced from offshore wind farms and may fly around rather than through offshore wind farms. A very small proportion of the guillemots and razorbills from this SPA might migrate through the Norfolk Boreas site towards breeding areas further north, but the area of foraging habitat lost to these birds if they avoid the Norfolk Boreas site would be negligible in relation to the wider area of the North Sea and Channel over which they forage, and the increase in migration distance to fly around rather than through the wind farm would be negligible in relation to a migration distance of hundreds of kilometres (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (e) Peregrines in western Europe do not normally migrate, so would be extremely unlikely to move between this SPA and the Norfolk Boreas site. Short-eared owls are more migratory, and sometimes cross the North Sea, but since this SPA is 445km from the Norfolk Boreas site, the chances of a short-eared owl from the SPA passing through the Norfolk Boreas site are extremely small.
- (f) Dartford warbler is a resident species that is unlikely to move from this SPA.
- (g) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these





Site 65 Name of European Site: Falaise du Bessin Occidental SPA Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 463 Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas Site Features Collision mortality Displacement/Disturbance **Barrier Effect** Cumulative/In-combination 0 0 0 С D С D С D С 0 D features at Falaise du Bessin Occidental SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site 66

Name of European Falaises du Cran aux Oeufs et du Cap Gris-Nez, Dunes du Chatelet, Marais de Tardinghen et Dunes de Wissant SAC

Site:

Site.															
Distance to Norfolk	199														
Boreas (km)															
Marine Mammals															
Site Features	Likely	effect(s)	of Norfo	olk Borea	as										
	Under	water n	oise	Vessel	Interac	tions		t effects	s on	_	es to wa	ter	In-com	nbinatio	n
		1					prey	1	1	quality	'				1
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour porpoise	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
o. e, eea.	IN(a)	IV(a)	IV(a)	IN(a)	IN(a)	IN(a)	IN(a)	iv(a)	iv(a)	IV(a)		N(a)	iv(a)	IN(a)	N(a)
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)





Name of European

Falaises du Cran aux Oeufs et du Cap Gris-Nez, Dunes du Chatelet, Marais de Tardinghen et Dunes de Wissant SAC

Site:

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 199

Benthic Habitats

Site Features	Perma	nent los	S	Tempo disturb	rary phy ance	rsical		ering du sed susp ent			bilisatio ninate d ents	n of	Undervand vib	water no oration	ise	In-com	bination	ı
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Sandbanks which are slightly covered by sea water all the time	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)		N (b)	N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Mudflats and sandflats not covered by seawater at low tide	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)		N (b)	N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Reefs	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)		N (b)	N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

b) The distance between the offshore project area and the designated site is beyond the range of any potential LSE (see Table 4.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Name of European Site: Falaises et Pelouses du Cap Blanc Nez, du Mont d'Hubert, des Noires Mottes, du Fond de la Forge et du Mont de couple

SAC

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 225

Site Features	Likely 6	effect(s)	of Norfo	lk Borea	S													
	Perma	anent los	SS	Tempo disturi	orary ph bance	ysical	Smoth increa suspe sedim	nded	ue to		obilisatio minated ents	on of		water n bration	oise	In-con	nbinatio	า
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Mudflats and sandflats not covered by seawater at low tide	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Reefs	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)

⁽a) The distance between the offshore project area and the designated site is beyond the range of any potential LSE (see Table 4.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site Name of European Site:	68 Faray a	nd Holn	n of Fara	ıy SAC											
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	757														
Site Features	_	effect(s) water no		lk Boreas Vessel I	s Interactio	ons	Indirec	t effects (on prey	Change quality	s to wate	er	In-com	oination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	C	0	D	С	0	D
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site	69											
Name of European Site:	Farne Isla	ands SPA										
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	397											
Site Features	Likely eff	ect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas								
	Collision	mortality	Displacer	ment/Distu	urbance		Barrier E	ffect	Cumulati	ve/In-coml	oination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Arctic tern Sterna paradisea		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Common tern Sterna hirundo		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Sandwich tern Sterna sandvicensis		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)





- (a) Farne Islands SPA is beyond maximum foraging range of these designated seabird species so has no breeding season connectivity. Proportions of these populations migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site are likely to be very small relative to BDMPS (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Farne Islands SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Name of European Site: Fetlar SPA

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 844

Site Features	Likely eff	ect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas								
	Collision	mortality		Displace	ment/Distu	ırbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulat	ve/In-com	bination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Breeding seabird assemblage including as named features Arctic skua, fulmar, great skua, Arctic tern		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)
Whimbrel <i>Numenius phaeopus</i> ,		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Dunlin Calidris alpina alpina		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Red-necked phalarope <i>Phalaropus lobatus</i>		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)

- (a) Fetlar SPA is beyond the maximum foraging range of designated seabird species so has no breeding season connectivity. Proportions of these populations migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site are small relative to BDMPS (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Dunlin, whimbrel and red-necked phalarope have not been observed migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site. Red-necked phalaropes from Fetlar SPA have been tracked by geolocator and migrate from Shetland to the Pacific Ocean via Iceland, Greenland and Canada, and so would not pass near to Norfolk Boreas. Dunlin and whimbrel from Fetlar SPA migrate south, but are unlikely to pass through the Norfolk Boreas site (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (c) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Fetlar SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site	71											
Name of European Site:	Firth of For	th SPA & R	amsar									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	468											
Site Features	Likely e	fect(s) of N	Iorfolk Bore	eas			_					
	Collision	mortality		Displace	ment/Dist	urbance	Barrier	Effect		Cumulat	ive/In-com	nbination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
SPA features												
Sandwich tern Sterna sandvicensis		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Bar-tailed godwit <i>Limosa lapponica lapponica</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Golden plover <i>Pluvialis apricaria</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Red-throated diver Gavia stellata		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Slavonian grebe <i>Podiceps auratus</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Knot Calidris canutus islandica		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Pink-footed goose Anser brachyrhynchus		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Shelduck <i>Tadorna tadorna</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Redshank <i>Tringa tetanus tetanus</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Turnstone Arenaria interpres		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Assemblage		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Ramsar features												
Bar-tailed godwit <i>Limosa lapponica</i> lapponica		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Slavonian grebe <i>Podiceps auratus</i>		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)





| Knot Calidris canutus islandica | N (b) |
|----------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Pink-footed goose Anser brachyrhynchus | N (b) |
| Shelduck Tadorna tadorna | N (b) |
| Redshank Tringa tetanus tetanus | N (b) |
| Turnstone Arenaria interpres | N (b) |
| Goldeneye Bucephala clangula | N (b) |
| Goosander Mergus merganser merganser | N (b) |
| Common tern Sterna hirundo | N (b) |

- (a) Migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site during migration. Therefore, proportions of these populations migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site are likely to be extremely small relative to BDMPS and, in addition, the predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Firth of Forth SPA & Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Ramsar criterion: the predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are so small that they would not have a significant effect alone or contribute to a significant effect or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Firth of Forth SPA & Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site 72	2											
Name of European Site: Fi	rth of Tay	& Eden Estu	ary SPA &	Ramsar								
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 50	06											
Site Features	Likely e	ffect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas								
	Collisio	n mortality		Displace	ement/Dist	urbance	Barrier l	Effect		Cumulat	tive/In-con	nbination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
SPA features												
Little tern Sterna albifrons		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Marsh harrier Circus aeruginosus		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Bar-tailed godwit <i>Limosa lapponica</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Greylag goose Anser anser		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Pink-footed goose Anser brachyrhnchus		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Redshank <i>Tringa totanus</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Assemblage		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Ramsar features												
Bar-tailed godwit <i>Limosa lapponica</i>		N (c)		N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)
Greylag goose Anser anser		N (c)		N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)
Pink-footed goose Anser brachyrhnchus		N (c)		N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)
Redshank <i>Tringa totanus</i>		N (c)		N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)
Goosander Mergus merganser merganser		N (c)		N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)
Assemblage		N (c)		N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)

⁽a) Survey data show little or no evidence of Firth of Tay & Eden Estuary SPA features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





- (b) Marsh harrier is a migrant species. Satellite tracking suggests that marsh harriers from Scotland migrate overland to the south coast of England and over the Channel to France, rather than across the North Sea, and so are unlikely to pass through the Norfolk Boreas site (Wright et al. 2012).
- (c) Ramsar criterion: the predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are so small that they would not have a significant effect alone or contribute to a significant effect or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Firth of Tay and Eden SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site 73 Firth of Tay & Eden Estuary SAC Name of European Site: 487 Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) Site Features Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas Indirect effects on Underwater noise Vessel interactions Changes to water In-combination quality prey С С 0 D С 0 D 0 D 0 D С 0 D N (a) Harbour seal (a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site 74													
Name of European Site: Fla	amborough	and Filey	Coast SPA										
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 21	6												
Site Features	Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas												
	Collision	mortality		Displacer	ment/Distu	ırbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulati	ve/In-com	bination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	
Breeding kittiwake		Y (a)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (c)	Y (a)	N (c)	





Site	74											
Name of European Site:	Flamborough	and Filey	Coast SPA									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	216											
Breeding gannet		Y (a)		N (d)	Y (d)	N (d)	N (e)	N (e)	N (e)	N (c)	Y (a)	N (c)
Breeding common guillemot		N (f)		N (g)	Y (h)	N (g)	N (g)	N (i)	N (g)	N (c)	Y (h)	N (c)
Breeding razorbill		N (f)		N (g)	Y (h)	N (g)	N (g)	N (i)	N (g)	N (c)	Y (h)	N (c)
Breeding puffin		N (f)		N (g)	Y (h)	N (g)	N (g)	N (i)	N (g)	N (c)	Y (h)	N (c)

- (a) Band model estimates of collision mortality indicate that LSE cannot be ruled out at the Screening stage consideration (Norfolk Boreas Appendix 13. Annex 4).
- (b) Kittiwakes are not considered to be at risk of disturbance and displacement or barrier effects at offshore wind farms therefore LSE can be ruled out out (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (c) The predicted effect attributable to the proposed Norfolk Boreas project is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Flamborough and Filey Coast SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (d) Flamborough and Filey Coast SPA is 216km from Norfolk Boreas. Thaxter et al. (2012) report a mean foraging range of breeding gannets as 92.5km, and a maximum recorded distance of 590km. Norfolk Boreas is therefore considerably beyond the mean foraging range of breeding gannets, but within their maximum range. Breeding gannets from Flamborough & Filey Coast SPA may therefore be affected by displacement. Searle et al. (2014) found that even for offshore wind farms considerably closer to a gannet breeding colony than under consideration here, impacts of displacement were negligible for this species because of its very long foraging range and large area used for foraging. Similarly, impacts of displacement during migration are considered likely to be negligible. Nonetheless, Natural England consider that an LSE cannot be ruled out at the Screening stage.
- (e) Gannets are not considered at risk of barrier effects due to their wide ranging habits (see (d)), and migrating gannets cover very large distances, extending from the North Sea to West Africa, so that slight local effects would be negligible in the context of their large migrations and area use, therefore LSE can be ruled out (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (f) Common guillemots, razorbills and puffins tend to fly low over the sea so have a very low risk of collision mortality, therefore LSE can be ruled out (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (g) Construction and decommissioning impacts are temporary and localised therefore LSE can be ruled out (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (h) Flamborough and Filey Coast SPA is 216km from Norfolk Boreas. Thaxter et al. (2012) report a mean foraging range of breeding common guillemots as 37.8km, and a maximum recorded distance of 135km. Thaxter et al. (2012) report a mean foraging range of breeding razorbills as 23.7km, and a maximum recorded distance of 95km. Thaxter et al. (2012) report a mean foraging range of breeding puffin as 4km, and a maximum recorded distance of 200km. Norfolk Boreas is therefore considerably beyond the normal foraging range of these species from Flamborough and Filey Coast SPA. It is therefore unlikely that any breeding adults from Flamborough and Filey Coast SPA will be present at Norfolk Boreas during the breeding season. During the nonbreeding season, birds from Flamborough and Filey Coast SPA are likely to be mixed with the large BDMPS populations of these species so that apportioning of the impact of the low level of displacement mortality generates a negligible impact to Flamborough and Filey Coast SPA. Nonetheless, Natural England consider that an LSE cannot be ruled out at the





Name of European Site: Flamborough and Filey Coast SPA

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 216

Screening stage.

(i) Since Norfolk Boreas is beyond the normal foraging range of breeding common guillemots, razorbills and puffins from Flamborough and Filey Coast SPA, there will be no breeding season barrier impact for those populations. During the nonbreeding period birds from Flamborough and Filey Coast SPA are likely to be mixed with the large BDMPS populations of these species so that apportioning of the impact of the low level of barrier effect to this very large BDMPS population apportions a negligible impact to Flamborough and Filey Coast SPA.

Site 75

Name of European Site: Flamborough Head SAC

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 213

Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas Site Features Smothering due to Re- mobilisation of Underwater noise Permanent loss Temporary physical In-combination increased disturbance contaminated and vibration suspended sediment sediments С С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D 0 D С 0 D N (a) Submerged or partially submerged sea caves

(a) The distance between the offshore project area and the designated site is beyond the range of any potential LSE (see Table 4.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site 76														
Name of European Site: Fo	rth Islands	SPA												
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 47	6													
Site Features	Likely ef	Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas												
	Collision	Collision mortality Displacement/Disturbance Barrier Effect Cumulative/In-combination												
	С	C O D C O D C O D												
Arctic tern sterna paradisea		N (a)		N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)							
Common tern Sterna hirundo		N (a)		N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)							
Sandwich tern Sterna sandvicensis		N (a)		N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)							
Roseate tern Sterna dougallii		N (a)		N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)							
Gannet Morus bassanus		N (a)		N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)							
Lesser black-backed gull Larus fuscus		N (a)		N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)							
Puffin Fratercula arctica		N (a)		N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)							
Shag Phalacrocorax aristotelis		N (a)		N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)							
Assemblage		N (a)		N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)							

⁽a) Forth Islands SPA is beyond maximum foraging range of designated seabird species so has no breeding season connectivity. Proportions of these populations migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site are small relative to BDMPS (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

⁽b) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Forth Islands SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site	77													
Name of European Site:	oula SPA													
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	322													
Site Features	Likely eff	xely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas												
	Collision	ision mortality Displacement/Disturbance Barrier Effect Cumulative/In-combinatio												
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D		
Breeding seabird assemblage including as named features Arctic tern, fulmar, guillemot, razorbill, red-throated diver, Arctic skua, kittiwake, shag, Leach's storm-petrel <i>Oceanodroma leucorhoa</i> , great skua, puffin		N (a)		N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)							

- (a) Foula SPA is beyond maximum foraging range of designated seabird species so has no breeding season connectivity. Proportions of these populations migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site are small relative to BDMPS (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Foula SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site	78													
Name of European Site:	Foulness	(Mid-Essex C	oast Phase	5) SPA and	Ramsar									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	186													
Site Features	Likely	Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas												
	Collisio	on mortality		Displace	ment/Distu	ırbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulati	ve/In-com	bination		
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D		
SPA features														
Avocet Recurvirostra avosetta		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		





Site 7	' 8													
Name of European Site: F	oulness (M	lid-Essex Co	oast Phase	5) SPA and	l Ramsar									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 1	.86													
Site Features	Likely eff	ect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas										
	Collision	mortality		Displace	ment/Dist	urbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulat	ive/In-con	nbination		
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D		
Common tern Sterno hirundo		N (a)												
Little tern Sterno albifrons		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		
Sandwich tern Sterno sandvicensis		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		
Bar-tailed godwit <i>Limosa lapponica</i>		N (a)												
Golden plover Pluvialis apricaria		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		
Hen harrier Circus cyaneus		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		
Redshank <i>Tringa tetanus</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		
Dark-bellied brent goose <i>Branta bernicla</i> bernicla		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		
Grey plover Pluvialis squatarola		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		
Knot Calidris canutus		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		
Oystercatcher Haematopus ostralegus		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		
Assemblage		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		
Ramsar features														
Bar-tailed godwit <i>Limosa lapponica</i>		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)		
Redshank <i>Tringa tetanus</i>		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)		





Site	78														
Name of European Site:	Foulness (N	1id-Essex C	oast Phase	5) SPA and	l Ramsar										
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	186														
Site Features	Likely ef	Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas													
	Collision	ollision mortality Displacement/Disturbance Barrier Effect Cumulative/In-combination													
	С														
Dark-bellied brent goose Branta bernicla bernicla		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)			
Grey plover Pluvialis squatarola		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)			
Knot Calidris canutus		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)			
Oystercatcher Haematopus ostralegus		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)			
Assemblage		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)			

- (a) Survey data show little or no evidence of Foulness SPA features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site during migration and, in addition, the predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Foulness SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Ramsar criterion: the predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are so small that they would not have a significant effect alone or contribute to a significant effect or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Foulness SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site 7	' 9												
Name of European Site:	owlsheugh	SPA											
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	24												
Site Features	Likely eff	ect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas									
	Collision	ollision mortality Displacement/Disturbance Barrier Effect Cumulative/In-combination											
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	
Breeding seabird assemblage including as named features fulmar, guillemot, kittiwake, razorbill, herring gull		N (a)		N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)						

- (a) Fowlsheugh SPA is beyond maximum foraging range of designated seabird species so has no breeding season connectivity. Proportions of these populations migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site are likely to be very small relative to BDMPS (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Fowlsheugh SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site 80												
Name of European Site: Fri	sian Front _ا	oSPA										
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) ca.	100km*											
Site Features	Likely eff	ect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas								
	Collision	mortality		Displace	ment/Distu	ırbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulati	ve/In-com	bination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Nonbreeding common guillemot, great skua, great black-backed gull, lesser black-backed gull		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)





Name of European Site: Frisian Front pSPA

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) ca. 100km*

- *Distance from the Norfolk Boreas site is uncertain as the boundaries of the pSPA are under consultation at present.
 - (a) Migrations of birds from this pSPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site during migration relative to the size of BDMPS regional populations (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
 - (b) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Frisian Front pSPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site	81											
Name of European Site:	Gibraltar Po	oint SPA an	d Ramsar									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	161											
Site Features	Likely ef	fect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas								
	Collision	mortality		Displace	ment/Dist	urbance	Barrier E	Effect		Cumulat	ive/In-com	bination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
SPA features												
Little tern Sterna albifrons		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Bar-tailed godwit <i>Limosa lapponica</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Grey plover <i>Pluvialis squatarola</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Knot Calidris canutus		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Sanderling Calidris alba		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Assemblage		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Ramsar features												
Bar-tailed godwit <i>Limosa lapponica</i>		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)





Site	81											
Name of European Site:	Gibraltar Po	int SPA an	d Ramsar									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	161											
Grey plover <i>Pluvialis squatarola</i>		N (b)		N (b)								
Knot Calidris canutus		N (b)		N (b)								
Dark-bellied brent goose <i>Branta bernicla</i> bernicla		N (b)		N (b)								

- (a) Survey data show no evidence of Gibraltar Point SPA features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site during this period and, in addition, the predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Gibraltar Point SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Ramsar criterion: the predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are so small that they would not have a significant effect alone or contribute to a significant effect or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Gibraltar Point SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site	82	2													
Name of European Site:	Gı	reat Yarmo	outh and N	lorth Dene	s SPA										
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	73	3													
Site Features		Likely eff	ely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas												
		Collision	mortality		Displacer	ment/Distu	ırbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulati	ve/In-com	bination		
		С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D		
Breeding little tern			N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)		





- (a) Great Yarmouth & North Denes SPA is beyond the maximum foraging range of little tern (11km) and foraging tends to be coastal so has no breeding season connectivity. Proportions of this population migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site are likely to be small as the species is thought to remain close to shore during much of its migration through UK waters (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Great Yarmouth & North Denes SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site	83											
Name of European Site:	Greater Wa	ish SPA										
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	ca. 59km*											
Site Features	Likely ef	fect(s) of N	Iorfolk Bor	eas								
	Collision	mortality		Displace	ment/Dist	urbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulat	ive/In-com	bination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Little tern Sterna albifrons		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Common tern Sterna hirundo		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Sandwich tern Stena sandvicensis		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Nonbreeding red-throated diver		N (b)		Y (c)	Y (i)	N (d)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (c)	Y (i)	N (h)
Nonbreeding little gull		Y (e)		N (f)	N (f)	N (f)	N (f)	N (f)	N (f)	N (h)	Y (e)	N (h)
Nonbreeding common scoter		N (g)		N (g)	N (g)	N (g)	N (g)	N (g)	N (g)	N (h)	N (h)	N (h)

^{*}Note that this distance refers to the Norfolk Boreas site. The export cable will pass through the SPA.

- (a) Little tern, common tern and Sandwich tern have maximum foraging ranges from colonies of 11km, 30km and 54km respectively, which suggests potential connectivity between the SPA and the Norfolk Boreas site. However, the tern colonies are at locations along the Norfolk coast which are beyond these foraging distances from the Norfolk Boreas site. Therefore, connectivity between the SPA and Norfolk Boreas site is ruled out on the basis of distance. Furthermore, these species tend to forage in coastal waters rather than offshore. Hence, collision risk, displacement and barrier effects can be excluded (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Red-throated divers fly close to the sea surface and are therefore at extremely low risk of collisions or barrier effects (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (c) LSE cannot be ruled out at screening for impacts of Displacement/Disturbance to nonbreeding red-throated divers as a result of construction work (specifically





Name of European Site: Greater Wash SPA

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) ca. 59km*

for export cable laying operations through part of the Greater Wash SPA).

- (d) Displacement/Disturbance of red-throated diver during operation and decommissioning is considered negligible as the increase in vessel traffic within the SPA due to Norfolk Boreas will be negligible compared to the current baseline (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (e) There is potential for little gull connectivity between the SPA and the Norfolk Boreas site, therefore LSE cannot be ruled out at screening for collision risk impacts to nonbreeding little gull consideration (Norfolk Boreas Appendix 13. Annex 4).
- (f) Displacement of little gulls by offshore wind farms appears to be negligible**, indicating no LSE for this SPA feature as a consequence of displacement or barrier effects.
- (g) Surveys found no common scoters in the Norfolk Boreas site since this species favours waters <20m in depth. Common scoter was also only present at very low densities along the export cable route, therefore no LSE for this SPA feature is predicted (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (h) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Greater Wash SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (i) Following advice from Natural England it is considered that Operations and Maintenance vessels may disturb red-throated divers whilst transiting through the SPA therefore an LSE cannot be screened out.
- ** Dierschke, V., Furness, R.W. and Garthe, S. 2016. Seabirds and offshore wind farms in European waters: Avoidance and attraction. Biological Conservation 202, 59-68.





Site 84 **Grevelingen SAC** Name of European Site: 132 Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas Site Features Indirect effects on prey Changes to water In-combination Underwater noise **Vessel Interactions** quality С 0 С 0 С 0 С 0 С D D D D D 0 Harbour seal N(a) Grey seal N(a) N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site Name of European Site:	85 Gule R	ev SCI													
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	541														
Site Features	Likely 6	effect(s)	of Norfo	olk Borea	s										
	Underv	water no	ise	Vessel I	nteractio	ons	Indirect	t effects o	on prey	Change quality	s to wate	r	In-comb	oination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour porpoise	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)





Gule Rev SCI Name of European Site:

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)

541

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site Name of European Site: Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	86 Gullma 769	ırsfjorde	n SAC												
Site Features		effect(s) water no		Vessel I	s nteractic	ons	Indirec	t effects (on prey	Change quality	s to wate	er	In-coml	oination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site Name of European Site: Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)				87 Haisboi 0	rough, Har	nmond an	d Winter	ton SAC							
Site Features	Likely eff	ect(s) of N	Iorfolk Bor	eas											
	Tempor disturba	ary physic ince	al	Perma	nent Habit	at loss	Introdi substr	uction of I ate	new			I	In-cor	mbinatio	on
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Sandbanks which are slightly covered by sea water all the time	Y (a)	Y (a)	Y (a)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)				Y (a)	Y (a)	Y (a)
Reefs	Y (a)	Y (a)	Y (a)	N (b)	Y (c)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)	Y (a)		Y (a)	Y (a)	Y (a)	Y (a)

- (a) Site overlaps with the Norfolk Boreas offshore cable corridor and therefore LSE cannot be ruled out at the screening stage (see Table 4.1 of Offshore HRA Screening (document reference 5.3.5.1)
- (b) Any permanent habits loss is considered as part of the operational phase of the development and therefore have been screened out for the construction or decommissioning phases (section 7.3.3 Worst case scenario of
- (c) The Applicant's position is that permanent habitat loss for *Sabellaria spinulosa* reef should be screened out because if cable protection is required there is evidence to suggest that could be colonised by *Sabellaria spinulosa* reef
 - Furthermore, it will be avoided by micro siting any permanent seabed infrastructure such as cable protection and cable crossings to avoid reef features

 Therefore, the Information to support HRA report (document reference 5.3) does not assess impacts of habitat loss on

Sabellaria Spinulosa reef. Natural England disputes this position and therefore impacts of habitat loss have been screened in here (see Table 3.1 of the Haisborough Hammond and Winterton SAC site integrity plan, document reference 8.20).





Site 88 Hallands Väderö SAC Name of European Site: 885 Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas **Site Features** Indirect effects on prey Changes to water In-combination Underwater noise **Vessel Interactions** quality С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D Harbour seal N(a) N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site Name of European Site:	89 Hambu	ırgische	s Watter	nmeer SC	1										
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	350														
Site Features	•	ely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas derwater noise													
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour porpoise	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)





Name of European Site: Hamburgisches Wattenmeer SCI

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 350

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site	90											
Name of European Site:	Hamford W	ater SPA a	nd Ramsar									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	146											
Site Features	Likely ef	fect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas								
	Collision	mortality		Displace	ment/Dist	urbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulat	ive/In-com	nbination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
SPA features												
Little tern Sterna albifrons		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Avocet Curvirostra avosetta		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Golden plover <i>Pluvialis apricaria</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Ruff Philomachus pugnax		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Ringed plover Charadrius hiaticula		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Black-tailed godwit <i>Limosa limosa</i> islandica		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Dark-bellied brent goose <i>Brenta bernicla</i> bernicla		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Grey plover <i>Pluvialis squatarola</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)





Site	90											
Name of European Site:	Hamford W	ater SPA a	nd Ramsar									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	146											
Site Features	Likely ef	fect(s) of N	Iorfolk Bor	eas								
	Collision	mortality		Displace	ement/Dist	urbance	Barrier I	Effect		Cumulat	tive/In-con	nbination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Teal Anas crecca		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Redshank Tringa totanus		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Assemblage		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Ramsar features												
Ringed plover Charadrius hiaticula		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Black-tailed godwit <i>Limosa limosa</i> islandica		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Dark-bellied brent goose <i>Brenta bernicla</i> bernicla		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Grey plover Pluvialis squatarola		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)

- (a) Survey data show little or no evidence of Hamford Water SPA features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site during migration and, in addition, the predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Foulness SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Ramsar criterion: the predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are so small that they would not have a significant effect alone or contribute to a significant effect or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Hamford Water SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site 91 Havet og kysten mellem Præstø Fjord og Grønsund SAC Name of European Site: 1,036 Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas Site Features Indirect effects on prey Changes to water In-combination Underwater noise **Vessel Interactions** quality C 0 D C 0 D С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D Harbour seal N(a) N(a)

Site Name of European Site:	92 Havet	omkring	; Nordre	Rønner S	SAC										
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	739														
Site Features	Likely 6	effect(s)	of Norfo	olk Borea	S										
	Under	y effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas erwater noise													
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Name of European Site: Havet omkring Nordre Rønner SAC

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 739

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

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Name of European Site: Helgoland mit Helgolander Felssockel SAC

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)

330

Site Features	Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas														
	Underwater noise			Vessel Interactions			Indirect effects on prey			Changes to water quality			In-combination		
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour porpoise	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site	94													
Name of European Site:	Hermaness, Saxa Vord and Valla Field SPA													
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	386													
Site Features	Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas													
	Collision	Collision mortality			Displacement/Disturbance			ffect		Cumulative/In-combination				
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D		
Breeding seabird assemblage including as named features gannet, guillemot, redthroated diver, puffin, fulmar, kittiwake, great skua, shag		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)		

- (a) Hermaness, Saxa Vord & Valla Field SPA is beyond the maximum foraging range of designated seabird species so has no breeding season connectivity. Proportions of these populations migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site are likely to be very small relative to BDMPS (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Hermaness, Saxa Vord & Valla Field SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site Name of European Site:	95 Hessel	ø med o	mliggen	de stenre	ev SAC										
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	878														
Site Features	Likely e	ikely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas													
	Underwater noise			Vessel Interactions			Indirect	effects o	on prey	Changes to water quality			In-comb	oination	
	С	0	D	C O D			С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)





Site Name of European Site:	95 Hessel	ø med o	mliggen	de stenre	ev SAC										
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	878	378													
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
a) The distance between the potential	-	_		Boreas	and the e	xtent of a	any effec	t on indiv	iduals fro	om this si	te would	result in I	no poten	tial for LS	E (see

Name of European Site:	96 Hirsho 719	Hirsholmene, havet vest herfor og Ellinge Å's udløb SAC													
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) Site Features		Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas Underwater noise Vessel Interactions Indirect effects on prey Changes to water In-combination													
	С	C O D C O D						0	D	quality	0	D	С	0	D
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site	97											
Name of European Site:	Hornsea Me	ere SPA										
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	215											
Site Features	Likely eff	ect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas								
	Collision	mortality		Displacer	ment/Distu	ırbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulati	ve/In-com	bination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Gadwall Anas strepera		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Nonbreeding gadwall, muteMute swan Cygnus olor		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)

⁽a) Survey data show no evidence of Hornsea Mere SPA features (gadwall, mute swan) occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

⁽b) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Hornsea Mere SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site	8											
Name of European Site:	loy SPA											
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	28											
Site Features	Likely eff	ect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas								
	Collision	mortality		Displacer	ment/Distu	ırbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulati	ive/In-com	bination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Breeding seabird assemblage including as named features Arctic skua, great black-		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)





Site	98										
Name of European Site:	Hoy SPA										
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	728										
backed gull, guillemot, kittiwake, red- throated diver, fulmar, puffin, great skua											
Breeding peregrine		N (b)									

- (a) Hoy SPA is beyond maximum foraging range of designated seabird species so has no breeding season connectivity. Proportions of these populations migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site are small relative to BDMPS (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Peregrines breeding in the UK normally remain close to their breeding areas throughout the year, and are very unlikely to migrate offshore in the UK.
- (c) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Hoy SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site			99												
Name of European	Site:		Hum	ber Estuary	y SAC										
Distance to Norfolk	Boreas (km	n)	112												
Marine Mammals															
Site Features	Likely e	ffect(s) of	Norfolk Bo	reas											
	Underw	ater noise			nteraction ance at sea		Indirect	effects or	n prey	Changes	s to water	quality	In-combi	nation	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Grey seal	Y (a)	Y (a)	Y (a)	Y (c)	Y (c)	Y (c)	Y (a)	Y (a)	Y (a)	Y (a)		Y (a)	Y (a)	Y (a)	Y (a)





Name of European Site: Humber Estuary SAC

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 112

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Site	Likely	effect(s)) of Norf	olk Bore	as																
Features	Perma loss	nent ha	bitat	Tempo disturb	orary pho pance	ysical		ering du sed susp ent			obilisatio ninated ents	n of		water no	oise	Electro fields (magneti EMF)	ic	In-comb	oination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Sea Lamprey	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)
River lamprey	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)

Benthic habitats

Site Features	Perma	nent los	SS	Tempo	orary pho Dance	ysical		ering du sed susp ent			obilisatio ninate d ents	_		water no	oise	In-com	bination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Estuaries	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)
Mudflats and sandflats not covered by seawater at low tide	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)
Sandbanks which are slightly covered by sea water all the time	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)





Site		99															
Name of European Site:		Humber Es	tuary SA	C													
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)		112															
Coastal lagoons N	(d) N (I (d) N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)

- a) Potential effects from underwater noise; vessel interactions; changes to water quality; changes to prey resources; and disturbance at seal haul-out sites cannot be ruled out and have been assessed in section 8.3.3 of the Information to Support Habitats Regulations Assessment Report, document reference 5.3).
 - b) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 5.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
 - c) Potential for vessel interactions and disturbance at seal haul-out sites if a port to the north of the offshore project area is selected and therefore LSE cannot be ruled out at the screening stage and have been assessed in section 8.3.3 of the Information to Support Habitats Regulations Assessment Report, document reference 5.3.
 - d) The distance between the offshore project area and the designated site is beyond the range of any potential LSE (see Table 4.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site	100											
Name of European Site:	Humber Es	tuary SPA a	and Ramsa	ır								
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	190											
Site Features	Likely e	ffect(s) of N	Norfolk Bor	eas								
	Collisio	n mortality		Displace	ement/Dist	urbance	Barrier I	Effect		Cumula	tive/In-co	mbination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
SPA features	·	·										
Avocet Recurvirostra avosetta		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Bar-tailed godwit Limosa lapponica		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Bittern Botaurus stellaris		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Black-tailed godwit <i>Limosa limosa</i> islandica		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)





Site	100											
Name of European Site:	Humber Est	uary SPA a	and Ramsa	r								
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	190											
Dunlin Calidris alpine alpine		N (a)		N (a)								
Golden plover Pluvialis apricaria		N (a)		N (a)								
Hen harrier Circus cyaneus		N (a)		N (a)								
Knot Calidris canutus		N (a)		N (a)								
Little tern Sterna albifrons		N (a)		N (a)								
Marsh harrier Circus aeruginosus		N (a)		N (a)								
Redshank <i>Tringa totanus</i>		N (a)		N (a)								
Ruff Calidris pugnax		N (a)		N (a)								
Shelduck <i>Tadorna</i> tadorna		N (a)		N (a)								
Assemblage		N (a)		N (a)								
Ramsar features												
Bar-tailed godwit Limosa lapponica		N (b)		N (b)								
Black-tailed godwit <i>Limosa limosa</i> islandica		N (b)		N (b)								
Dunlin <i>Calidris alpine alpine</i>		N (b)		N (b)								
Golden plover Pluvialis apricaria		N (b)		N (b)								
Knot Calidris canutus		N (b)		N (b)								
Redshank <i>Tringa totanus</i>		N (b)		N (b)								
Shelduck <i>Tadorna tadorna</i>		N (b)		N (b)								
Assemblage		N (b)		N (b)								





Name of European Site: Humber Estuary SPA and Ramsar

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 190

- (a) Survey data show little or no evidence of Humber Estuary SPA features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas sites, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site during migration and, in addition, the predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Humber Estuary SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Ramsar criterion: the predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are so small that they would not have a significant effect alone or contribute to a significant effect or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Humber Estuary SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site 101

Name of European Site: Hund und Paapsand SCI

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)

255

Site Features	Likely e	effect(s)	of Norfo	olk Boreas	S										
	Underv	vater no	ise	Vessel I	nteractio	ons	Indirect	t effects o	on prey	Change quality	s to wate	er	In-comb	oination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).



Breeding common tern



Site 102 Name of European Site: Imperial Dock Lock, Leith SPA Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 498 Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas Site Features Displacement/Disturbance Cumulative/In-combination Collision mortality **Barrier Effect** С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D

(a) Imperial Dock Lock SPA is beyond the maximum foraging range of common tern (30km) so has no breeding season connectivity. The proportion of the population migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site is likely to be extremely small relative to BDMPS (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

N (a)

N (a)

N (a)

N (a)

N (a)

N (b)

N (b)

N (b)

N (a)

(b) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Imperial Dock Lock SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site 103

N (a)

Name of Eu Distance to			km)	Inner D 44	owsing,	Race Bar	ık and No	orth Ridg	e SCI									
Site	Likely e	ffect(s) o	f Norfolk	Boreas														
Features	Perma	nent loss	5	Tempo disturb	orary phy pance	/sical	increa	ering du sed nded sed			obilisatio ninated ents	n of		water no bration	oise	In-con	nbination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Sandbanks which are slightly covered by sea water all the time	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)





Site 103 Name of European Site: Inner Dowsing, Race Bank and North Ridge SCI 44 Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) N (a) Reefs (a) The distance between the offshore project area and the designated site is beyond the range of any potential LSE (see paragraph see paragraph 135 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site 104	1											
Name of European Site: Inn	er Moray I	Firth SPA 8	k Ramsar									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 652	2											
Site Features	Likely eff	ect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas								
	Collision	mortality		Displace	ment/Distu	ırbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulati	ive/In-com	bination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
SPA features												
Common tern Sterna hirundo		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Osprey Pandion haliaetus		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Bar-tailed godwit <i>Limosa lapponica</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Greylag goose Anser anser		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Red-breasted merganser Mergus serrator		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Redshank <i>Tringa totanus</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Scaup Aytha marila		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Assemblage		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)





Name of European Site: Inner Moray Firth SPA & Ramsar

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 652

Ramsar features

Namsar reacures										
Bar-tailed godwit <i>Limosa lapponica</i>	N (b)									
Greylag goose Anser anser	N (b)									
Red-breasted merganser Mergus serrator	N (b)									
Redshank <i>Tringa totanus</i>	N (b)									
Assemblage	N (b)									

- (a) Survey data show little or no evidence of Inner Moray Firth SPA features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site during migration and, in addition, the predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Inner Moray Firth SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Ramsar criterion: the predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are so small that they would not have a significant effect alone or contribute to a significant effect or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Inner Moray Firth SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site Name of European Site:	105 Isle of	May SA	0												
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	460														
Site Features	Likely 6	effect(s)	of Norfo	olk Borea	S										
	Under	water no	oise	Vessel I	Interactio	ons	Indirect	t effects o	on prey	Change quality	s to wate	er	In-com	bination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site Name of European Site:	106 Klaverk	oank SA(S												
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	67														
Site Features		effect(s) vater no		Vessel I	s nteractio	ons	Indirect	effects o	on prey	Change quality	s to wate	r	In-com	oination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour porpoise	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)





Site Name of European Site:	106 Klaver	bank SA	С											
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	67													
Grey seal	Y(b)	Y(b)	Y(b)	N(a)										
Harbour seal	Y(b)	Y(b)	Y(b)	N(a)										

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE.

b) Screened in for grey and harbour seal as the site is within the identified foraging range for both species. The potential for disturbance to foraging seals as a result of underwater noise cannot be ruled out and has been assessed in section 8.3.5 of the Information to Support HRA Report, document reference 5.3).

Site Name of European Site:	107 Koster	fjorden-	Väderöf	jorden S <i>i</i>	AC										
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	781														
Site Features	Likely 6	effect(s)	of Norfo	olk Borea	S										
	Under	water no	oise	Vessel	Interactio	ons	Indirec	t effects (on prey	Change quality	s to wate	r	In-coml	oination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour porpoise	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site 108 Kungsbackafjorden SAC Name of European Site: 831 Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) Site Features Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas Indirect effects on prey Underwater noise **Vessel Interactions** Changes to water In-combination quality С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D N(a) Harbour seal N(a) a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1). 109 Site Küsten- und Dünenlandschaften Amrums SAC Name of European Site: 380 **Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)** Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas Site Features Indirect effects on Underwater noise **Vessel Interactions** Changes to water In-combination quality prey С 0 С С С D 0 D 0 D С 0 D 0 D N(a) N(a) Grey seal N(a) a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

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Name of European Site: Küsten- und Dünenlandschaften Amrums SAC

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 380

Name of European Site: Lindisfarne SPA and Ramsar

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Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 40	3											
Site Features	Likely effect(s)	of Norfo	lk Borea	S								
	Collision morta	llity		Displac	cement/I	Disturbance	Barrier	Effect		Cumula	ative/In- nation	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
SPA features												
Bar-tailed godwit <i>Limosa lapponica</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Golden plover <i>Pluvialis apricaria</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Ringed plover Chardrius hiaticula		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Grey plover <i>Pluvialis squatarola</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Whooper swan <i>Cygnus cygnus</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Knot Calidris canutus		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Greylag goose Anser anser		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Light-bellied brent goose <i>Branta bernicla</i> hrota		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Wigeon Anas penelope		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Assemblage		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Ramsar features												
Bar-tailed godwit <i>Limosa lapponica</i>		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)





Küsten- und Dünenlandschaften Amrums SAC Name of European Site:

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)

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| Ringed plover <i>Chardrius hiaticula</i> | N (b) |
|--------------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Greylag goose Anser anser | N (b) |
| Light-bellied brent goose <i>Branta bernicla</i> hrota | N (b) |
| Wigeon Anas penelope | N (b) |
| Redshank <i>Tringa totanus totanus</i> | N (b) |
| Pink-footed goose Anser brachyrhnychus | N (b) |
| Assemblage | N (b) |

- (a) Survey data show little or no evidence of Lindisfarne SPA features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site during migration and, in addition, the predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Lindisfarne SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Ramsar criterion: the predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are so small that they would not have a significant effect alone or contribute to a significant effect or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Lindisfarne SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site 111

Name of European Site: **Littoral Seino-Marin SPA**

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 329

Site Features Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas

> Displacement/Disturbance Cumulative/In-combination Collision mortality **Barrier Effect**





Site 11	1											
Name of European Site: Lit	toral Seino	-Marin SP	\									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 32	9											
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Fulmar Fulmarus glacialis		N (a)		N (a)	N (f)	N (f)	N (f)					
Shag Phalacrocorax aristotelis		N (a)		N (a)	N (f)	N (f)	N (f)					
Gannet Morus bassanus		N (a)		N (a)	N (f)	N (f)	N (f)					
Herring gull Larus argentatus		N (a)		N (a)	N (f)	N (f)	N (f)					
Great black-backed gull Larus marinus		N (a)		N (a)	N (f)	N (f)	N (f)					
Kittiwake <i>Rissa tridactyla</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (f)	N (f)	N (f)					
Nonbreeding winter and passage seabird assemblage including as named features red-throated diver, black-throated diver, great crested grebe, fulmar, gannet, cormorant, shag, pomarine skua Stercorarius pomarinus, great skua, Mediterranean gull Larus melanocephalus, little gull, lesser blackbacked gull, herring gull, great blackbacked gull, kittiwake, Sandwich tern, common tern, guillemot, razorbill		N (b)		N (b)	N (f)	N (f)	N (f)					
Little egret <i>Egretta garzetta</i>		N (c)		N (c)								
Spoonbill <i>Platalea leucorodia</i>		N (c)		N (c)								
honey buzzard Pernis apivorus		N (c)		N (c)								
Hen harrier Circus cyaneus		N (c)		N (c)								
merlin Falco columbarius		N (c)		N (c)								





Site 1	11											
Name of European Site:	ttoral Seino	-Marin SPA	1									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	29											
Avocet Recurvirostra avosetta		N (c)		N (c)								
Peregrine Falco peregrinus		N (d)		N (d)								
Woodlark <i>Lullula arborea</i>		N (e)		N (e)								

- (a) The Norfolk Boreas site is within the theoretical maximum foraging range of breeding gannets from the Littoral Seino-Marin SPA, but tracking data show that breeding gannets from the SPA do not reach the Norfolk Boreas site. The SPA is far beyond maximum foraging range of other designated seabird species so has no breeding season connectivity. Proportions of these populations migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site are likely to be extremely small relative to BDMPS (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Proportions of these populations migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site are likely to be extremely small relative to BDMPS, not only because the SPA is 315km from the Norfolk Boreas site, but also because birds on the continental side of the Channel and North Sea are likely to tend to migrate up the continental coast rather than crossing the North Sea to the UK (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (c) None of these species has been recorded during bird surveys at the Norfolk Boreas site. It is unlikely that birds from the SPA will migrate through the Norfolk Boreas site, as these species are generally scarce migrants in the UK, and their migrations tend to be coastal rather than over open sea (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (d) Breeding peregrines in western Europe tend to remain close to their breeding site throughout the year so it is extremely unlikely that any from the SPA would reach Norfolk Boreas site.
- (e) Woodlark is a very scarce migrant to the UK, so it is very unlikely that individuals from the SPA would reach the Norfolk Boreas site.
- (f) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Littoral Seino-Marin SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site	112												
Name of European Site:	Loch	of Strathbe	eg SPA & R	lamsar									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	576												
Site Features		Likely eff	ect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas								
		Collision	mortality		Displacer	ment/Distu	ırbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulati	ve/In-com	bination
		С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D





Site :	12											
Name of European Site:	och of Strathl	eg SPA & F	Ramsar									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	576											
SPA features												
Sandwich tern Sterna sandvicensis		N (a)		N (a)								
Barnacle goose Branta leucopsis		N (a)		N (a)								
Whooper swan Cygnus Cygnus		N (a)		N (a)								
Greylag goose Anser anser		N (a)		N (a)								
Pink-footed goose Anser brachyrhynch	ıs	N (a)		N (a)								
Assemblage		N (a)		N (a)								
Ramsar features		_						_				
Barnacle goose Branta leucopsis		N (b)		N (b)								
Whooper swan Cygnus Cygnus		N (b)		N (b)								
Greylag goose Anser anser		N (b)		N (b)								
Pink-footed goose Anser brachyrhynch	ıs	N (b)		N (b)								
Assemblage		N (b)		N (b)								

- (a) Survey data show little or no evidence of Loch of Strathbeg SPA features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site during migration and, in addition, the predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Loch of Strathbeg SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Ramsar criterion: the predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are so small that they would not have a significant effect alone or contribute to a significant effect or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Loch of Strathbeg SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site Name of European Site:	113 Løgstø	r Bredni	ng, Vejle	erne og B	ulbjerg S	AC									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	582														
Site Features	Likely e	ly effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas lerwater noise													
	Underv	water no	ise	Vessel I	nteractio	ons	Indirect	effects o	on prey	Change quality	s to wate	r	In-coml	oination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site Name of Europ	ean Site:	114 Lovns I	Bredning	g, Hjarba	ek Fjord	og Skals,	Simested	d og Nørr	e Ådal, S	kravad B	æk SAC						
	folk Boreas (km)	610															
Site Features		Likely e	ly effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas erwater noise														
		Underv	vater no	oise	Vessel I	Interactio	ons	Indirec	t effects o	on prey	Change quality	s to wate	er	In-comb	oination		
		С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	
Harbour seal	h . h	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site Name of European Site:	115 Malmö	fjord SA	ıC												
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	764														
Site Features	Likely e	ffect(s)	of Norfc	lk Borea	S										
	Underv	vater no	ise	Vessel I	nteractio	ons	Indirect	effects o	on prey	Change quality	s to wate	r	In-com	oination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)





Name of European Site:

Malmöfjord SAC

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)

764

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site 116 Marais du Cotentin et du Bessin - Baie des Veys SAC Name of European Site: 442 Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas Site Features **Vessel Interactions** Indirect effects on prey In-combination Underwater noise Changes to water quality С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D N(a) N(a) N(a) N(a) N(a) N(a) Grey seal N(a) N(a) N(a) N(a) N(a) N(a) N(a) N(a) N(a) Harbour seal N(a) N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Name of European Site: Margate and Long Sands SAC

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)

136

Site	Likely e	ffect(s) o	f Norfolk	Boreas														
Features	Perma	nent loss	3	Tempo disturi	orary phy pance	/sical	increa	ering du sed nded sed			obilisatio ninated ents	n of		water no bration	oise	In-con	nbination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	О	D
Sandbanks which are slightly covered by sea water all the time	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)

⁽a) The distance between the offshore project area and the designated site is beyond the range of any potential LSE (see Table 4.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site	18											
Name of European Site:	Marwick He	ad SPA										
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	761											
Site Features	Likely eff	ect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas								
	Collision	mortality		Displacer	ment/Distu	ırbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulati	ve/In-com	bination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Breeding seabird assemblage including as named features guillemot and kittiwake		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)





- (a) Marwick Head SPA is beyond maximum foraging range of designated seabird species so has no breeding season connectivity. Proportions of these populations migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site are small relative to BDMPS (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Marwick Head SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site Name of European Site:	119 Måsesl	kär SAC													
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	752														
Site Features	Likely e	ffect(s)	of Norfo	lk Borea	5										
	Underv	vater no	ise	Vessel I	nteractio	ons	Indirect	effects o	on prey	Change quality	s to wate	er	In-com	oination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site 1	.20											
Name of European Site:	Medway Es	tuary & M	arshes SPA	and Rams	sar							
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 2	10											
Site Features	Likely ef	fect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas								
	Collision	mortality		Displace	ment/Dist	urbance	Barrier I	Effect		Cumulat	ive/In-com	bination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
SPA features												_
Avocet Recurvirostra avosetta		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Dark-bellied brent goose <i>Branta bernicla</i> bernicla		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Dunlin Calidris alpine alpine		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Grey plover <i>Pluvialis squatarola</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Knot Calidris canutus		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Little tern Sterna albifrons		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Pintail Anas acuta		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Redshank <i>Tringa totanus</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Ringed plover Charadrius hiaticula		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Shelduck Tadorna tadorna		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Assemblage		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Ramsar features												
Dark-bellied brent goose Branta bernicla bernicla		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Dunlin Calidris alpine alpine		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)





Site	120											
Name of European Site:	Medway Es	tuary & M	arshes SPA	and Ram	sar							
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	210											
Site Features	Likely ef	fect(s) of N	lorfolk Bor	eas								
	Collision	mortality		Displace	ment/Dist	urbance	Barrier	Effect		Cumulat	ive/In-con	nbination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Grey plover Pluvialis squatarola		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Knot Calidris canutus		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Pintail Anas acuta		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Redshank <i>Tringa totanus</i>		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Ringed plover Charadrius hiaticula		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Shelduck <i>Tadorna tadorna</i>		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Black-tailed godwit <i>Limosa limosa</i> islandica		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Assemblage		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)

- (a) Survey data show little or no evidence of Medway Estuary and Marshes SPA features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site during migration and, in addition, the predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Medway Estuary and Marshes SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Ramsar criterion: the predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are so small that they would not have a significant effect alone or contribute to a significant effect or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Medway Estuary and Marshes SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site	121											
Name of European Site:	Minsmere	- Walbersv	vick SPA an	d Ramsaı								
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	96											
Site Features	Likely e	ffect(s) of N	Norfolk Bor	eas								
	Collisio	n mortality		Displace	ement/Dist	urbance	Barrier	Effect		Cumula	tive/In-co	mbination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
SPA features	·				·				·			
Avocet Recurvirostra avosetta		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Bittern Botaurus stellaris		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Little tern Sterna albifrons		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
March harrier Circus aeruginosus		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Nightjar Caprimulgus europaeus		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Woodlark <i>Lullula arborea</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Hen harrier Circus cyaneus		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Ramsar features						•				•		
Assemblage		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)

- (a) Survey data show little or no evidence of Minsmere Walberswick SPA features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site during migration and, in addition, the predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Minsmere Walberswick SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Ramsar criterion: the predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are so small that they would not have a significant effect alone or contribute to a significant effect or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Minsmere Walberswick SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site	122											
Name of European Site:	Montrose B	asin SPA &	Ramsar									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	520											
Site Features	Likely eff	fect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas								
	Collision	mortality		Displace	ment/Distu	urbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulat	ive/In-com	bination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
SPA features												
Greylag goose Anser anser		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Knot Calidris canutus		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Pink-footed goose Anser brachyrhynchus		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Redshank <i>Tringa totanus</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Assemblage		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Ramsar features												
Greylag goose Anser anser		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Pink-footed goose Anser brachyrhynchus		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Redshank Tringa totanus		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Assemblage		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)

- (a) Survey data show little or no evidence of Montrose Basin SPA occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site during migration and, in addition, the predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Montrose Basin SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Ramsar criterion: the predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are so small that they would not have a significant effect alone or contribute to a significant effect or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Montrose Basin SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site 12	3											
Name of European Site: M	oray and N	airn Coast	SPA & Ran	nsar								
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 62	.2											
Site Features	Likely ef	ect(s) of N	lorfolk Bore	eas								
	Collision	mortality		Displace	ment/Dist	urbance	Barrier I	Effect		Cumulat	tive/In-con	nbination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
SPA features												
Osprey Pandion haliaetus		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Bar-tailed godwit <i>Limosa lapponica</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Greylag goose Anser anser		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Pink-footed goose Anser brachyrhynchus		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Redshank <i>Tringa totanus</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Assemblage		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Ramsar features												
Greylag goose Anser anser		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Pink-footed goose Anser brachyrhynchus		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Redshank <i>Tringa totanus</i>		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Long-tailed duck Clangula hyemalis		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Assemblage		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)





- (a) Survey data show little or no evidence of Moray and Nairn Coast SPA features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site during migration and, in addition, the predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Moray and Nairn Coast SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Ramsar criterion: the predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are so small that they would not have a significant effect alone or contribute to a significant effect or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Moray and Nairn Coast SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site	124											
Name of European Site:	Mousa SPA											
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	793											
Site Features	Likely et	fect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas								
	Collision	mortality		Displace	ffect		Cumulat	ive/In-com	bination			
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Breeding Arctic tern		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)
Breeding European storm-petrel Hydrobates pelagicus		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)

- (a) Mousa SPA is beyond maximum foraging range of Arctic tern (30km, Thaxter et al. 2012) so has no breeding season connectivity. The proportion of the population migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site is likely to be extremely small relative to BDMPS (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) European storm-petrels were not observed in the Norfolk Boreas site, and are rarely seen anywhere in the southern North Sea, so evidence suggests that this species migrates from its breeding site on Mousa into the North Atlantic and not normally through the North Sea (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (c) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Mousa SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site 125 **Mousa SAC** Name of European Site: 794 Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) Site Features Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas **Vessel Interactions** Indirect effects on prey Changes to water Underwater noise In-combination quality С С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D 0 D С 0 D Harbour seal N(a) N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site Name of European Site:	126 Nation	onalpark Niedersächsisched Wattenmeer SAC													
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	240														
Site Features	qua							Change	es to wate		In-combination				
	C	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	C	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour porpoise	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site 127 Nibe Bredning, Halkær Ådal og Sønderup Ådal SAC Name of European Site: 608 Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas **Site Features Vessel Interactions** Indirect effects on prey Changes to water Underwater noise In-combination quality C 0 D С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D Harbour seal N(a) N(a)

Site Name of European Site:	128 Niding	en SAC													
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	790														
Site Features	Likely 6	effect(s)	of Norfo	olk Borea:	s										
	Under	water no	oise	Vessel I	nteractio	ns	Indirec	t effects (on prey	Change	Changes to water			oination	
										quality					
	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D		
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Name of European Site: Noordzeekustzone SAC

Distance to	Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 94																				
Marine Ma	mmals																				
Site Feature	es	L	ikely ef	fect(s) o	f Norfo	lk Bore	as														
		U	Inderwa	ater noi:	se	di		eraction ce at se		Inc	lirect e	ffects or	n prey	Cha	nges to	water	quality	In-co	mbinat	ion	
		C	,	0	D	С		0	D	С		0	D	С	0		D	С	0		D
Harbour po	rpoise	Ν	l (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N	(a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N	(a)	N (a)
Grey seal							(a) N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N	(a)	N (a)
Harbour sea	Harbour seal		l (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N	(a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N	(a)	N (a)
Fish																					
Site	Likely	effect(s) of No	rfolk Bo	reas																
Features	Site Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas Permanent habitat Temporary physical disturbance							Smothering due to increased suspended sediment			nobilisa minate nents	tion of d		water i			omagne (EMF)	etic	In-cor	nbinatio	on
	C O D C O D							0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Sea N(a) N(a) N(a) N(a) N(a)						N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Allis Shad	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)





Site				12	29																
Name of Eu	ıropean	Site:		N	oordze	ekustzo	ne SAC														
Distance to	Norfol	k Borea	s (km)	94	4																
Twaite Shad	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	
Benthic hal	Benthic habitats																				
Site Feature	Site Features			Perma	anent lo	oss	Temp physic distur			Smoth increa suspe sedim	nded	lue to		obilisati minate ents	-		rwater i		In-con	mbinatic	on
				С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Sandbanks covered by time		-	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	
	Mudflats and sandflats not covered by seawater at low tide				N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)

- a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 paragraph 145 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- b) Screened in for grey seal as the site is within the identified foraging range of 100km. The potential for disturbance to foraging seals as a result of underwater noise has been assessed in section 8.3.5 of the Information to Support Habitats Regulations Assessment Report, document reference 5.3.
- c) The distance between the offshore project area and the designated site is beyond the range of any potential LSE (see Table 4.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).



Harbour seal



Site 130 Nordre älvs estuarium SAC Name of European Site: 761 Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) **Site Features** Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas Indirect effects on prey Changes to water Underwater noise **Vessel Interactions** In-combination quality С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D

N(a)

N(a)

N(a)

N(a)

N(a)

N(a)

N(a)

N(a)

N(a)

Site Name of European Site:	131 Nordva	ästra Ska	ånes hav	rsområde	SAC										
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	860														
Site Features	Likely 6	tely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas													
	Under	water no	oise	Vessel I	Vessel Interactions Indirect effects on pre					Change	s to wate	er	In-coml	oination	
										quality					
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

N(a)

N(a)

N(a)

N(a)

N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Name of European Site: Norfolk Valley Fens SAC

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 0.6+ (17 sites, with 5 sites within 5km of the onshore project area)

	Likely et	ffect(s) o	f Norfolk	Boreas											
	habitat loss) on land			Direct effects on ex-situ habitats functionally connected to the SAC				ffects on la C boundar		habitats	effects on efunctionalled to the SA	У	In-combi	nation	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Alkaline fens	N(a)		N(a)	N(b)		N(b)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	Y(c)	Y(c)	Y(c)	Y(e)		Y(e)
Northern Atlantic wet heaths with <i>Erica tetralix</i>	N(a)		N(a)	N(b)		N(b)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	Y(c)	Y(c)	Y(c)	Y(e)		Y(e)
European dry heaths	N(a)		N(a)	N(b)		N(b)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	Y(c)	Y(c)	Y(c)	Y(e)		Y(e)
Semi-natural dry grassland and scrubland facies on calcareous substrates (Festuco-Brometalia)	N(a)		N(a)	N(b)		N(b)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(d)	N(d)	N(d)	Y(e)		Y(e)
Molinia meadows on calcareous, peaty or clayey-silt- laden soils (Molinion caeruleae)	N(a)		N(a)	N(b)		N(b)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	Y(c)	Y(c)	Y(c)	Y(e)		Y(e)





Name of European Site: Norfolk Valley Fens SAC

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 0.6+ (17 sites, with 5 sites within 5km of the onshore project area)

	Likely e	ffect(s) o	f Norfolk	Boreas											
	habitat	effects (e. loss) on l SAC boun	land	Direct effe habitats fu connected			within SAC boundary			habitats 1	effects on e functionall d to the SA	У	In-combination		
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Calcareous fens with Cladium mariscus and species of the Caricion davallianae	N(a)		N(a)	N(b)		N(b)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	Y(c)	Y(c)	Y(c)	Y(e)		Y(e)
Alluvial forests with Alnus glutinosa and Fraxinus excelsior (Alno-Padion, Alnion incanae, Salicion albae)	N(a)		N(a)	N(b)		N(b)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	Y(c)	Y(c)	Y(c)	Y(e)		Y(e)
Narrow-mouthed whorl snail	N(a)		N(a)	N(b)		N(b)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	Y(c)	Y(c)	Y(c)	Y(e)		Y(e)
Desmoulin's whorl snail <i>Vertigo</i> moulinsiana	N(a)		N(a)	N(b)		N(b)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(d)	N(d)	N(d)	N(a, b,d)		N(a, b,d)

a) Direct impacts on features within the SAC boundary and within 5km of the onshore project area have been screened out as they are beyond the range of potential direct impact (see Table 2.1 of onshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.2).





Name of European Site: Norfolk Valley Fens SAC

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 0.6+ (17 sites, with 5 sites within 5km of the onshore project area)

Likely ef	ffect(s) o	f Norfolk	Boreas											
habitat	ffects (e. loss) on l SAC boun	land	Direct effe habitats fu connected	ınctionally			effects on la C boundar		habitats f	effects on e functionally d to the SA	y	In-combir	nation	
C O D C O D					D	C O D C O D				D	С	0	D	

- b) Effects of the project on ex-situ habitats functionally connected to the SAC and within 5km of the SAC boundary have been screened out from further assessment as qualifying features of the SAC are all habitats or non-mobile species (see Section 4.4.2 of onshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.2).
- c) Potential indirect effects of Norfolk Boreas on the Norfolk Valley Fens SAC include alterations to the groundwater/hydrology regime and air quality effect upon qualifying habitats of the SAC present within 5km of the onshore project area (5 component SSSIs have therefore been screened in to further assessment) (see section 9.3.3 of the Information to Support the HRA Report, document reference 5.3). The qualifying features of the Norfolk Valley Fens SAC are not sensitive to noise, visual or light disturbance and these have been screened out (see Table 4.4 and 4.5 of onshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.2).
- d) Feature is not located within the 5 sites within 5km of the onshore project area, therefore is not screened in for further assessment (see footnote (b)) (see Table 4.4 of onshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.2).
- e) As LSE cannot be ruled out, an in-combination assessment will be undertaken with respect to this site (see section 9.3.3 of the Information to Support the HRA Report, document reference 5.3).





Site	133												
Name of European Site:	North Cair	thness Cliff	s SPA										
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	703												
Site Features	Likely eff	effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas											
	Collision	mortality		Displace	ment/Distu	urbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulat	ive/In-con	nbination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	
Breeding seabird assemblage including as named features fulmar, guillemot, kittiwake, razorbill, puffin		C O D O O			N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	
Breeding peregrine		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	

- (a) North Caithness Cliffs SPA is far beyond the maximum foraging range of designated seabird species so has no breeding season connectivity. Proportions of these populations migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site are small relative to BDMPS (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Peregrines breeding in the UK normally remain close to their breeding areas throughout the year and are very unlikely to migrate offshore from the UK.
- (c) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at North Caithness Cliffs SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site	134											
Name of European Site:	North Norfo	olk Coast S	PA and Rar	nsar								
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	142											
Site Features	Likely ef	ely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas										
	Collision	ollision mortality Displacement/Disturbance Barrier Effect Cumulative/In-combination										bination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
SPA features												
Avocet Recurvirostra avosetta		Y (a) N (b) Y (a) N (b)										
Bittern Botaurus stellaris		Y (a)		N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)						





Golden Plover Pluvialis apricaria	Y (a)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)						
Ruff Philomachus pugnax	Y (a)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)						
Common tern Sterna hirundo	Y (a)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)						
Little tern <i>Sterna hirundo</i>	Y (a)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)						
Marsh harrier Circus aeruginosus	Y (a)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)						
Mediterranean gull Larus melanocephalus	Y (a)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)						
Roseate tern Sterna dougallii	Y (a)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)						
Sandwich tern Sterna sandvicensis	Y (a)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)						
Bar-tailed godwit <i>Limosa lapponica</i>	Y (a)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)						
Hen harrier Circus cyaneus	Y (a)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)						
Redshank <i>Tringa totanus</i>	Y (a)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)						
Ringed plover Charidrius hiaticula	Y (a)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)						
Dark-bellied brent goose <i>Branta bernicla</i> bernicla	Y (a)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)						
Knot Calidris canutus	Y (a)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)						
Pink-footed goose Anser brachyrhynchus	Y (a)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)						
Wigeon Anas penelope	Y (a)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)						
Pintail Anas acuta	Y (a)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)						
Assemblage	Y (a)	N (b)	Y (a)	N (b)						
Ramsar features										
Common tern Sterna hirundo	Y (a)	N (c)	Y (a)	N (c)						
Little tern Sterna hirundo	Y (a)	N (c)	Y (a)	N (c)						
Sandwich tern Sterna sandvicensis	Y (a)	N (c)	Y (a)	N (c)						





| Bar-tailed godwit Limosa lapponica | Y (a) | N (c) | Y (a) | N (c) |
|----------------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Ringed plover Charidrius hiaticula | Y (a) | N (c) | Y (a) | N (c) |
| Dark-bellied brent goose <i>Branta bernicla</i> bernicla | Y (a) | N (c) | Y (a) | N (c) |
| Knot Calidris canutus | Y (a) | N (c) | Y (a) | N (c) |
| Pink-footed goose Anser brachyrhynchus | Y (a) | N (c) | Y (a) | N (c) |
| Wigeon Anas penelope | Y (a) | N (c) | Y (a) | N (c) |
| Pintail Anas acuta | Y (a) | N (c) | Y (a) | N (c) |
| Sanderling Calidris alba | Y (a) | N (c) | Y (a) | N (c) |
| Assemblage | Y (a) | N (c) | Y (a) | N (c) |

- (a) Following advice from Natural England there is potential for connectivity during migration therefore LSE cannot be ruled out.
- (b) Survey data show little or no evidence of North Norfolk Coast SPA features being at risk of these effect whilst on migration (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (c) Ramsar criterion: survey data show little or no evidence of North Norfolk Coast SPA and Ramsar features being at risk of these effect whilst on migration (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Name of European Site: North Norfolk Sandbanks and Saturn Reef SAC

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 2

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Site	Likely e	ffect(s) o	f Norfolk	Boreas														
Features	Perma	nent loss	i	Tempo disturb	orary phy pance	/sical	increa	ering du sed nded sed		_	obilisatio ninated ents	n of		water no bration	oise	In-con	nbination	ı
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Sandbanks which are slightly covered by sea water all the time	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Reefs	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)

⁽a) The magnitude of any impact on the features of this site is negligible and would result in no potential for LSE (see paragraph 135 screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

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Site	136											
Name of European Site:	Northumb	ria Coast SI	PA and Ram	nsar								
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	319											
Site Features	Likely e	ffect(s) of N	Norfolk Bor	eas								
	Collisio	lision mortality Displacement/Disturbance Barrier Effect Cumulative/In-combination										
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
SPA features												
Little tern Sterna albifrons		N (a)		N (a)								
Purple sandpiper Calidris maritima		N (a)		N (a)								
Turnstone Arenaria interpres		N (a)		N (a)								
Ramsar features												
Little tern Sterna albifrons		N (b)		N (b)								
Purple sandpiper Calidris maritima		N (b)		N (b)								
Turnstone Arenaria interpres		N (b)		N (b)								

⁽a) Survey data show little or no evidence of Northumbria Coast SPA features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site during migration and the predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Northumbria Coast SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

⁽b) Ramsar criterion: the predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are so small that they would not have a significant effect alone or contribute to a significant effect or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Northumbria Coast SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site 1	.37											
Name of European Site:	loss SPA											
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	802											
Site Features	Likely eff	fect(s) of N	orfolk Bor	eas								
	Collision	mortality		Displace	ment/Dist	urbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulat	ive/In-com	bination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Breeding seabird assemblage including as named features gannet, fulmar, guillemot, kittiwake, puffin, great skua		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)

- (a) Noss SPA is beyond maximum foraging range of designated seabird species so has no breeding season connectivity. Proportions of these populations migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site are likely to be extremely small relative to BDMPS (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Noss SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site Name of European Site:	138 NTP S-I	H Watte	nmeer ເ	ınd angre	enzende I	Kustenge	biete SA(C							
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)															
Site Features	Likely e	effect(s)	of Norfo	olk Borea	S										
	Underv	water no	oise	Vessel I	nteractio	ns	Indirect	t effects o	on prey	Change	s to wate	er	In-comb	oination	
										quality					
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour porpoise	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)





NTP S-H Wattenmeer und angrenzende Kustengebiete SAC Name of European Site:

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)

360

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site 139

Oosterschelde SAC Name of European Site:

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)

141

Site Features	Likely e	effect(s)	of Norfo	olk Boreas	s										
	Underv	vater no	ise	Vessel I	nteractio	ns	Indirect	t effects o	on prey	Change	s to wate	r	In-comb	oination	
										quality					
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour porpoise	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Orfordness - Shingle Street SAC Name of European Site:

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)

114

Site	Likely e	ffect(s) o	f Norfolk	Boreas														
Features	Perma	nent loss		Tempo disturb	orary phy pance	rsical		ering du sed susp ent			obilisation ninated ents	n of		water no bration	ise	In-com	nbination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Coastal lagoons	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)

⁽a) The distance between the offshore project area and the designated site is beyond the range of any potential LSE (see Table 4.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site 141

Östliche Deutsche Bucht SPA Name of European Site:

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 329

Ornithology

Offithology												
Site Features	Likely eff	ect(s) of No	orfolk Bore	eas								
	Collision	mortality		Displacer	ment/Distu	rbance	Barrier Et	ffect		Cumulati	ive/In-com	bination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Nonbreeding seabirds (razorbill, fulmar, black-throated diver, red-throated diver, herring gull, common gull, lesser blackbacked gull, great black-backed gull, little gull, black-headed gull <i>Chroicocephalus</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)





Site	141
Name of European Site:	Östliche Deutsche Bucht SPA
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	329
ridibundus, common scoter, great creste grebe, kittiwake, common tern, Arctic tern, sandwich tern, gannet, guillemot)	

- (a) Migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site relative to the size of BDMPS regional populations, not only because the sites are 345km apart, but also because seabirds and waterbirds from this SPA are likely to migrate predominantly along the continental coast of the North Sea towards northern breeding grounds rather than across the southern North Sea (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at östliche Deutsche Bucht SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Marine Mammals

Site Features	Likely 6	effect(s)	of Norfol	k Boreas											
	Underv	water noi	ise	Vessel	Interacti	ons	Indirec	t effects	on prey	Chai	nges to w quality	vater	In-	-combina	tion
	С	0	D	С	с о с			D	С	0	С	0	D	С	0
Harbour porpoise	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)				N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)
Grey seal	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)				N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)
Harbour seal	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)				N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)

- a) Migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site relative to the size of BDMPS regional populations, not only because the sites are 345km apart, but also because seabirds and waterbirds from this SPA are likely to migrate predominantly along the continental coast of the North Sea towards northern breeding grounds rather than across the southern North Sea.
- b) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Östliche Deutsche Bucht SPA.
- c) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).



Grey seal



Site 142 **Ouessant-Molene SAC** Name of European Site: 712 Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas Site Features Underwater noise Vessel Interactions Indirect effects on prey Changes to water In-combination quality С С С С 0 D 0 D 0 D 0 D С 0 D

N(a)

N(a)

N(a)

N(a)

N(a)

N(a)

N(a)

Site 14	3													
Name of European Site: Ou	ıter Thame	s Estuary S	PA and pSI	PA extensi	on									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 40														
Site Features	Likely eff	Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas												
	Collision	Collision mortality Displacement/Disturbance Barrier Effect Cumulative/In-combination												
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D		
Nonbreeding red-throated divers		N (a)		N (b)	Y (f)	N (c)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (e)	Y (f)	N (e)		
Breeding little tern and common tern		N (d)		N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)		

N(a)

N(a)

N(a)

N(a)

N(a)

N(a)

N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Name of European Site: Outer Thames Estuary SPA and pSPA extension

- (a) Red-throated divers fly close to the sea surface and are therefore at extremely low risk of collisions or barrier effects. Survey data indicate a negligible risk of collision mortality or of a barrier effect (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Great Yarmouth may be used as a port for construction vessels for the Norfolk Boreas site; this port is located very close to the northern extent of the SPA however is outside the main concentrations of red-throated divers. This, together with the extent of existing vessel movements in the area means the addition of construction traffic as a result of Norolk Boreas will make little difference to the existing baseline and therefore the potential for LSE is considered to be negligible (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (c) Displacement/Disturbance during operation and decommissioning is considered negligible as the increase in vessel traffic within the SPA due to Norfolk Boreas will be negligible compared to the existing baseline (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (d) Little tern and common tern have maximum foraging ranges from colonies of 11km and 30km respectively (Thaxter et al. 2012), which suggests there could be connectivity between the SPA and Norfolk Boreas site, however this is the distance to the seaward edge of the SPA, and the coastal colonies are beyond foraging range of the Norfolk Boreas OWF sites. Furthermore, these species tend to forage in coastal waters rather than offshore and since the breeding colonies are beyond foraging range connectivity can be ruled out. Therefore, collision risk, displacement and barrier effects can be excluded (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (e) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Outer Thames Estuary SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (f) Following advice from Natural England it is considered that Operations and Maintenance vessels may disturb red-throated divers whilst transiting through the SPA therefore an LSE cannot be screened out (see section 6.3.4 of the Information to Support the HRA Report, document reference 5.3).

Site	144													
Name of European Site:	Papa Stour	a Stour SPA												
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	839													
Site Features	Likely e	Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas												
	Collision	n mortality		Displace	ment/Dist	urbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulati	ive/In-com	bination		
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D		
Breeding Arctic tern		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)		





Breeding ringed plover	N (b)	N	(b) N (l	b) N (b)	N (b)					
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- (a) Papa Stour SPA is beyond maximum foraging range of Arctic tern so has no breeding season connectivity. The proportion of the population migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site is very small relative to BDMPS (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Ringed plovers breeding in Scotland 'tend to winter locally or move only short distances' (Forrester *et al.* 2007) so birds from Papa Stour are extremely unlikely to reach the Norfolk Boreas site (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (c) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Papa Stour SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site	145												
Name of European Site:	Papa West	ray (North	Hill and Ho	lm) SPA									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	770	o											
Site Features	Likely e	Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas											
	Collisio	mortality		Displace	ment/Distu	ırbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulat	ive/In-com	bination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	
Breeding Arctic tern		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	
Breeding Arctic skua		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	

- (a) Papa Westray SPA is beyond the maximum foraging range of Arctic tern or Arctic skua so has no breeding season connectivity. Proportions of these populations migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site are likely to be extremely small relative to BDMPS (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Papa Westray SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site			146												
Name of Europea	n Site:		Paston	Great Ba	rn SAC										
Distance to Norfo	lk Boreas	(km)	3												
	Likely ef	fect(s) of	Norfolk	Boreas											
Direct effects (e.g. habitat loss) on barbastelle present in habitats within the SAC boundary barbastelle Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas Direct effects on ex-situ habitats functionally connected to the SAC which support barbastelle						ally		effects on elle presen ndary	t within	Indirect ef habitats fu connected support ba	nctionally to the SAC		In-combinat	ion	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Barbastelle bats	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	Y(b)	Y(b)	Y(b)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	Y(c,d)	Y(c,d)	Y(c,d)	Y(e)	Y(e)	Y(e)

- a) Paston Barn SAC is located 3km from the onshore project area; the SAC is therefore beyond the range of direct or indirect impact (see Table 2.1 of onshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.2).
- b) Areas within the onshore infrastructure are known to be foraging areas for the barbastelle colony at Paston Great Barn. As these habitats will be directly affected by the project construction and operation phases, potential impacts on ex situ habitats have been screened in for further assessment (see section 9.3.2 of the Information to Support the HRA report, document reference 5.3).
- c) Watercourses identified as core foraging areas for the Paston Great Barn barbastelle colony (i.e. drains at Ridlington Street) may be subject to trenching works during the project construction phase, and as such there may be effects upon this ex-situ habitat. Therefore LSE cannot be ruled out and these effects have been screened in for further assessment (see section 9.3.2 of the Information to Support the HRA report, document reference 5.3). Qualifying features of Paston Great Barn SAC are not sensitive to potential effects from noise, visual disturbance or air quality and so indirect effects upon these qualifying features will not occur and these effects have been screened out of further assessment (see Table 4.3 of onshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.2). Barbastelle bats are associated with hedgerow, scrub, woodland and watercourse habitats which will not be affected by changes to the geology or land contamination regime (see Table 4.3 of onshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.2).
- d) Barbastelle commuting and foraging habitat is located within the potential zone of influence of lighting from the onshore infrastructure and therefore LSE cannot be ruled out at the screening stage (see section 9.3.2 of the Information to Support the HRA report, document reference 5.3).
- e) As LSE cannot be ruled out, an in-combination assessment will be undertaken with respect to this site (see section 9.3.2 of the Information to Support the HRA report, document reference 5.3).





Site Name of European Site:

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)

Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas

Underwater noise Vessel Interactions Indirect effects on prey Changes to water quality

In-combination quality

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N(a) N(a) N(a) N(a) N(a) N(a) N(a) Harbour seal N(a) N(a) N(a) N(a) N(a) N(a) N(a) a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

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Site	148													
Name of European Site:	Pent	land Firth I	nd Firth Islands SPA											
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	710													
Site Features		Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas												
		Collision	mortality		Displace	ment/Distu	ırbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulati	ve/In-com	bination	
		С												
Breeding Arctic tern			N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	

⁽a) Pentland Firth Islands SPA is beyond maximum foraging range of Arctic tern so has no breeding season connectivity. The proportion of the population migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site is likely to be extremely small relative to BDMPS (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

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⁽b) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Pentland Firth Islands SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Name of European Site: Portsmouth Harbour SPA

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Site Features	Likely eff	ect(s) of N	orfolk Bor	eas								
	Collision	mortality		Displace	ment/Distu	urbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulati	ve/In-com	bination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Dark-bellied brent goose Branta bernicla bernicla		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Dunlin Calidris alpina		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Black-tailed godwit <i>Limosa limosa</i> islandica		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Red-breasted merganser Mergus serrator		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)

⁽a) Survey data show little or no evidence of Portsmouth Harbour SPA features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

⁽b) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Portsmouth Harbour SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site	150														
Name of European Site:	Presqu	'ile De C	Crozon S	AC											
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	749	749													
Site Features	Likely e	ikely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas													
	Underv	vater no	oise	Vessel I	nteractio	ons	on prey	Change quality	s to wate	er	In-coml	bination			
	C O D C O D C O D C O D											D			
Grey seal	N(a) N(a) N(a) N(a) N(a) N(a) N(a) N(a)											N(a)			

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site 1	151													
Name of European Site:	Ramsar-Gel	oiet S-H W	attenmeer	und angre	enzende Ki	istengebie	te SPA							
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	55													
Site Features	Likely eff	Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas												
	Collision	ollision mortality Displacement/Disturbance Barrier Effect Cumulative/In-combination												
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D		
Breeding seabirds including common gull, lesser black-backed gull, great black-backed gull, Mediterranean gull, black-headed gull, little tern, common tern, Arctic tern, Sandwich tern, black tern, gull-billed tern <i>Gelochelidon nilotica</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (e)	N (e)	N (e)		
Nonbreeding seabirds including razorbill,		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (e)	N (e)	N (e)		





Site 151 Name of European Site: Ramsar-Gebiet S-H Wattenmeer und angrenzende Küstengebiete SPA Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 355 Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas Site Features Displacement/Disturbance Cumulative/In-combination Collision mortality **Barrier Effect** С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D black-throated diver, red-throated diver, common gull, lesser black-backed gull, great black-backed gull, Mediterranean gull, black-headed gull, little gull, kittiwake, little tern, common tern, Arctic tern, Sandwich tern, cormorant, guillemot Waterbirds including pintail, shoveler, N (c) N (c) N (c) N (c) N (c) N (c) N (e) N (e) N (e) N (c) teal, wigeon, mallard, garganey Anas querquedula, grey heron Ardea cinerea, turnstone, bittern, brent goose, barnacle goose, sanderling, dunlin, curlew sandpiper, ringed plover, Kentish plover Charadrius alexandrinus, Bewick's swan, whooper swan, snipe Gallinago gallinago, oystercatcher, black-winged stilt Himantopus himantopus, bar-tailed godwit, black-tailed godwit, common scoter, red-breasted merganser, curlew, whimbrel, ruff, spoonbill, golden plover, grey plover, red-necked grebe *Podiceps* grisegena, black-necked grebe Podiceps nigricollis, avocet, eider, shelduck, greenshank, redshank, lapwing





Site	151													
Name of European Site:	Ramsar-Ge	msar-Gebiet S-H Wattenmeer und angrenzende Küstengebiete SPA												
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	355	55												
Site Features	Likely ef	Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas												
	Collision	mortality		Displace	ment/Distu	ırbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulati	ive/In-com	bination		
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D		
Terrestrial birds (various species)		N (d)		N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)		

- (a) The Norfolk Boreas site is beyond maximum foraging range of designated breeding seabird species from this SPA, so has no breeding season connectivity. Proportions of these populations migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site are likely to be extremely small relative to BDMPS (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site relative to the size of BDMPS regional populations, not only because of the distance, but also because seabirds and waterbirds from this SPA are likely to migrate predominantly along the continental coast of the North Sea towards northern breeding grounds rather than across the southern North Sea (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (c) Survey data show little or no evidence of these waterbird features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas OWF sites, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site, as most of these birds are likely to remain on the continental side of the North Sea (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (d) Terrestrial birds from this SPA are very unlikely to migrate to the UK; those that do migrate are more likely to follow the west European flyway along the continental coast (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (e) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at this SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site	152														
Name of European Site:	Récifs	et mara	is arrière	e-littorau	x du Cap	Lévi à la	Pointe d	e Saire SA	AC						
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	425														
Site Features	Likely	ly effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas													
	Under	water no	oise	Vessel	Interactio	ons	Indirec	t effects (on prey	Change quality	s to wate	er	In-comi	oination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Name of European Site: Recifs Gris-Nez Blanc-Nez SAC

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 192

Marine Mammals

Site Features	Likely e	effect(s)	of Norfo	lk Borea	IS											
	Underv	vater no	oise	Vessel	Interact	ions	Indirec prey	t effects	s on	Change quality	es to wa	ter	In-com	bination	1	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	
Harbour porpoise	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	





Site		1	L53															
Name of European Site	:	F	Recifs Gr	is-Nez B	lanc-Ne	z SAC												
Distance to Norfolk Bo	reas (kn	ı) ¹	192															
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)			
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)			
Benthic Habitats	•																	
Site Features	Perma	nent los	S	Tempo disturb	orary phy pance	/sical		ering du sed susp ent			bilisatio ninate d ents	n of	Undervand vib	water no oration	oise	In-com	bination	1
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Sandbanks which are slightly covered by sea water all the time	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)		N (b)	N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Reefs	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)		N (b)	N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

b) The distance between the offshore project area and the designated site is beyond the range of any potential LSE (see Table 4.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Name of European Site: Ridens et dunes hydrauliques du detroit du Pas-de-Calais SAC

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 192

Marine Mammals

Site Features	Likely 6	effect(s)	of Norfo	lk Borea	ıs										
	Underv	water no	oise	Vessel	Interact	ions	Indirec prey	t effects	on	Change quality	es to wa	ter	In-com	bination	ı
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour porpoise	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

Benthic Habitats

Site Features	Perma	nent los	S	Tempo disturb	rary phy ance	rsical		ering du sed susp ent			bilisation ninate d ents	n of	Underv and vib	vater no ration	ise	In-com	bination	1
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Sandbanks which are slightly covered by sea water all the time	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)		N (b)	N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Reefs	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)		N (b)	N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

b) The distance between the offshore project area and the designated site is beyond the range of any potential LSE (see Table 4.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site 155

Name of European Site: River Derwent SAC

	Perma loss	inent h	abitat	physi	orary cal rbance		Smoth increa suspe sedim	nded	due to		obilisati tamina ents		Under and vi	water i bration		Electro fields (_	tic	In-con	nbinatio	on
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
River lamprey	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 5.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site		156													
Name of Europear	Site:	River We	nsum SAC												
Distance to Norfo	lk Boreas (km)	0													
	Likely effect(s)	of Norfolk Bore	eas												
	Direct effects (within the SAC	e.g. habitat loss boundary				tionally	Indirect (SAC bou		vithin	Indirect situ habi connect	tats fund	tionally	In-combina	ation	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D





Site		156											
Name of European	Site:	River We	nsum SAC										
Distance to Norfol	k Boreas (km)	0											
Water courses of plain to montane levels with the Ranunculion fluitantis and Callitricho-Batrachion vegetation	N(a)		N(a)	Y(b)	Y(d)	Y(d)							
Desmoulin's whorl snail	N(a)		N(a)	Y(b)	Y(d)	Y(d)							
White-clawed (or Atlantic stream) crayfish Austropotamobius pallipes	N(a)		N(a)	N(c)	N(c)								
Brook lamprey Lampetra planeri	N(a)		N(a)	N(c)	N(a,c)	N(a,c)							
Bullhead <i>Cottus</i> gobio	N(a)		N(a)	N(c)	N(ac,)	N(a,c)							

- a) The use of trenchless crossing techniques will ensure no direct effects upon any of the qualifying features of the SAC (see Section 4.2.1 of onshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.2).
- b) There may be potential effects on features which may be located within the SAC boundary but located upstream or downstream of the onshore project area, or outside of the SAC boundary but are within areas of land which are functionally connected to the River Wensum SAC, including floodplain and grazing marsh habitat and therefore LSE cannot be ruled out at the screening stage (see section 9.3.1 of the Information to Support the HRA report, document reference 5.3). The remaining qualifying features of the River Wensum SAC are not sensitive to effects arising from these noise, air quality, light or visual disturbance sources (see Table 4.1 of onshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.2).
- c) White-clawed crayfish was identified as absent at the trenchless crossing area at Elsing, therefore would not experience impacts associated with the construction in this area. Ex-situ habitats suitable for supporting brook lamprey and bullhead have not been identified within the onshore project area (see Sections 3.2.3 and 4.2.2 of onshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.2).
- d) As LSE cannot be ruled out, an in-combination assessment will be undertaken with respect to this site (see section 9.3.1 of the Information to Support the





Name of European Site: River Wensum SAC

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 0

HRA report, document reference 5.3).

Site	157														
Name of European Site:	Roches	de Pen	march S	AC											
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	805														
Site Features	Likely 6	effect(s)	of Norfo	olk Borea	s										
	Under	water no	oise	Vessel I	nteractio	ons	Indirec	t effects (on prey	Change quality	s to wate	er	In-coml	bination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site 158

Name of European Site: Ronas Hill - North Roe and Tingon SPA

Site Features	Likely eff	fect(s) of N	orfolk Bor	eas								
	Collision	mortality		Displace	ment/Dist	urbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulat	ive/In-com	bination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Breeding great skua		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)





Site	158											
Name of European Site:	Ronas Hill -	North Ro	e and Tingo	on SPA								
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	852											
Breeding red-throated diver		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)
Breeding merlin		N (c)		N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)

- (a) Ronas Hill, North Roe & Tingon SPA is beyond maximum foraging range of great skua so has no breeding season connectivity. The proportion of the population migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site is likely to be extremely small relative to BDMPS (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Ronas Hill, North Roe & Tingon SPA is beyond maximum foraging range of red-throated diver so has no breeding season connectivity. The proportion of the population migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site is likely to be extremely small relative to BDMPS (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (c) Merlins from this population are likely to migrate to wintering areas that are predominantly within the UK. A few, mostly young birds, may winter on the European continent so could possibly pass through the Norfolk Boreas site. However, no merlins have been seen during site specific surveys, and the chances of any from this SPA passing through the site are likely to be extremely low (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (d) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Ronas Hill, North Roe & Tingon SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site 15	9													
Name of European Site: Ro	usay SPA													
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 75	6													
Site Features	Likely eff	fect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas										
	Collision	y effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas sion mortality Displacement/Disturbance Barrier Effect Cumulative/In-combination												
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D		
Breeding seabird assemblage including as named features guillemot, Arctic skua, Arctic tern, kittiwake, fulmar		N (a)		N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)							





- (a) Rousay SPA is beyond maximum foraging range of designated seabird species so has no breeding season connectivity. Proportions of these populations migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site are small relative to BDMPS (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Rousay SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site	160														
Name of European Site:	Sälöfjo	rden SA	c												
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	755	sely effect(s) of Norfolk													
Site Features	Likely 6	kely effect(s) of Norfolk			s										
	Under	water no	ise	Vessel I	Interactio	ons	Indirec	t effects (on prey	Change quality	s to wate	er	In-com	oination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site 161

Sanday SAC Name of European Site:





Site Features	Likely 6	effect(s)	of Norfo	lk Borea	S										
	Under	Inderwater noise		Vessel I	nteractio	ns	Indirect	t effects o	on prey	Change	s to wate	er	In-comb	oination	
										quality					
	С	C O D			0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site Name of European Site:	162 SBZ 1 /	ZPS 1 S	AC (off N	lieuwpoo	ort)										
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	171	kely effect(s) of Norfolk													
Site Features		Likely effect(s) of Norfolk			s nteractio	ons	Indirect	t effects o	on prey	_	s to wate	r	In-comb	oination	
		Inderwater noise			_		_	_		quality	_	_	_	_	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Name of European Site: SBZ 2 / ZPS 2 SPA

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 168

163

Site Features	Likely eff	fect(s) of N	Norfolk Bo	reas								
	Collision	mortality	,	Displace	ement/dis	turbance	Barrier 6	effect		Cumulat	ive/In-com	bination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Wintering and passage species: red-throated diver, lesser black-backed gull, great black-backed gull, little gull, common scoter, great crested grebe, little tern, common tern, Sandwich tern	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)

a) Many of the named species have not been recorded on the Norfolk Boreas site and are not ones associated with offshore locations. With respect to species named as nonbreeding features of the SPA, these consist of many of the seabird species which pass through the southern North Sea and English Channel on migration. As such the potential impacts on those species recorded at Norfolk Boreas has been assessed in terms of the wider Biologically Defined Minimum Population Scales (BDMPS) populations (see Furness 2015). The Applicant considers this to be the appropriate population scale for nonbreeding impacts on the species named at this SPA, since the majority of individuals will not be resident at the SPA but will instead pass through. Furthermore, given the relative size of the SPA population estimates for the migratory species compared with the total passage populations, the risks to the SPA populations due to Norfolk Boreas are very small (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Name of European Site: SBZ 2 / ZPS 2 SPA

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 168

b) The predicted effect attributable to the proposed Norfolk Boreas project is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall incombination assessment for these features (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site 164

Name of European Site: SBZ 3 / ZPS 3 SPA

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 166

Site Features Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas Displacement/disturbance Barrier effect Cumulative/In-combination Collision mortality С 0 D С 0 D C 0 D C 0 D Wintering and passage species: N(a) N(a) N(a) N(a) N(a) N(a) N(b) N(b) N(b) N(a) N(a) red-throated diver, lesser black-4backed gull, great black-backed gull, little gull, common scoter, great crested grebe, little tern, common tern, Sandwich tern





Name of European Site: SBZ 3 / ZPS 3 SPA

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 166

a) Many of the named species have not been recorded on the Norfolk Boreas site and are not ones associated with offshore locations. With respect to species named as nonbreeding features of the SPA, these consist of many of the seabird species which pass through the southern North Sea and English Channel on migration. As such the potential impacts on those species recorded at Norfolk Boreas has been assessed in terms of the wider Biologically Defined Minimum Population Scales (BDMPS) populations (see Furness 2015). The Applicant considers this to be the appropriate population scale for nonbreeding impacts on the species named at this SPA, since the majority of individuals will not be resident at the SPA but will instead pass through. Furthermore, given the relative size of the SPA population estimates for the migratory species compared with the total passage populations, the risks to the SPA populations due to Norfolk Boreas are very small (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

b) The predicted effect attributable to the proposed Norfolk Boreas project is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall incombination assessment for these features (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site 165

Name of European Site: Scanner Pockmark SAC

Site	Likely e	ffect(s) c	of Norfolk	Boreas														
Features	Perma	nent los	5	1	Temporary physical disturbance			ering du sed nded sed			obilisatio ninated ents	n of		water no bration	oise	In-com	nbination	1
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D





N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
	N (a)	N (a) N (a)	N (a) N (a) N (a)	N (a) N (a) N (a)	N (a) N (a) N (a) N (a)	N (a) N (a) N (a) N (a) N (a)	N (a) N (a) N (a) N (a) N (a) N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)

(a) The distance between the offshore project area and the designated site is beyond the range of any potential LSE (see Table 4.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site 166

Name of European Site: Seevogelschutzgebiet Helgoland SPA

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 329)											
Site Features	Likely eff	ect(s) of N	Iorfolk Bor	eas								
	Collision	mortality		Displace	ment/Dist	urbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulat	ive/In-com	nbination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Breeding seabird assemblage including as named features razorbill, fulmar, herring gull, lesser black-backed gull, kittiwake, gannet, guillemot		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)
Nonbreeding seabird assemblage including razorbill, black-throated diver, red-throated diver, common gull, lesser black-backed gull, little gull, kittiwake, common scoter, red-necked grebe, eider, common tern, Arctic tern, Sandwich tern, gannet, guillemot		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)





Name of European Site: Seevogelschutzgebiet Helgoland SPA

- (a) Tracking data from gannets breeding on Helgoland show these birds do not travel in the direction of or as far as the Norfolk Boreas site despite this site being within theoretical maximum foraging range of gannet. Norfolk Boreas is beyond the maximum foraging range of other seabird species at Seevogelschutzgebeit Helgoland SPA. Proportions of these populations migrating through Norfolk Boreas are likely to be very small relative to BDMPS regional populations (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site during migration relative to the size of BDMPS regional populations, not only because the sites are 343km apart, but also because nonbreeding seabirds from this SPA are likely to migrate predominantly along the continental coast of the North Sea towards northern breeding grounds rather than across the southern North Sea (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (c) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Seevogelschutzgebeit Helgoland SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site	167				
Name of European Site:	Skagens Gren og Skage	errak SAC			
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	650				
Site Features	Likely effect(s) of Norfo	olk Boreas			
	Underwater noise	Vessel Interactions	Indirect effects on prey	Changes to water quality	In-combination





	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour porpoise	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)									

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site 1	.68											
Name of European Site:	olent & So	uthamptor	water SP	A & Rams	ar							
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	51											
Site Features	Likely eff	ect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas								
	Collision	mortality		Displace	ment/Dist	urbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulat	ive/In-com	bination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
SPA features												
Common tern <i>Sterna hirundo</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Little tern Strna albifrons		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Mediterranean gull <i>Larus</i> melanochephalus		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Roseate tern Sterna dougallii		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Sandwich tern Sterna sandvicensis		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Black-tailed godwit <i>Limsa limosa islandica</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Dark-bellied brent goose Branta bernicla bernicla		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Ringed plover Charadrius hiaticula		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Teal Anas crecca		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Assemblage		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)



Ringed plover Charadrius hiaticula

Teal *Anas crecca*

Assemblage



Site 168 Name of European Site: Solent & Southampton Water SPA & Ramsar Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 351 Ramsar features N (b) Black-tailed godwit *Limsa limosa islandica* N (b) N (b) N (b) Dark-bellied brent goose Branta bernicla N (b) bernicla

N (b)

- (a) Survey data show little or no evidence of Solent & Southampton Water SPA features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site during migration and the predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Solent & Southampton Water SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Ramsar criterion: the predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are so small that they would not have a significant effect alone or contribute to a significant effect or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Solent & Southampton Water SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site	169														
Name of European Site:	Soteska	ir SAC													
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	768														
Site Features	Likely e	kely effect(s) of Norfolk		lk Borea	S										
	Underv	vater no	oise	Vessel I	nteractio	ons	Indirect	effects o	on prey	Change quality	s to wate	er	In-com	bination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D





Harbour seal	N(a)															
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a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site Name of European Site:	170 Southe	170 Southern North Sea SAC													
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	0														
Site Features		effect(s) water no		olk Borea Vessel	s Interactio	ons	Indirec	t effects	on prey	Change quality	s to wate	er	In-combination		
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour porpoise	Y(a)	Y(a)	Y(a)	Y(a)	Y(a)	Y(a)	Y(a)	Y(a)	Y(a)	Y(a)		Y(a)	Y(a)	Y(a)	Y(a)

a) The offshore project area is within the SAC and therefore LSE cannot be ruled out at the screening stage. It is assumed that all harbour porpoise in this area are associated with this SAC (see paragraph 64 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1). Potential effects from underwater noise; vessel interactions; changes to water quality; changes to prey resources; and disturbance at seal haul-out sites cannot be ruled out, and have therefore been assessed in section 8.3.1 of the Information to Support Habitats Regulations Assessment Report, document reference 5.3).

Site 17	1														
Name of European Site: St	Abb's Head	bb's Head to Fast Castle SPA													
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 44	1														
Site Features	Likely eff	Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas													
	Collision	Collision mortality			ment/Distu	ırbance	Barrier Ef	fect		Cumulative/In-combination					
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D			





Breeding seabird assemblage including as	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)						
named features herring gull, kittiwake,										
razorbill, guillemot, shag										

- (a) St Abbs Head to Fast Castle SPA is beyond maximum foraging range of designated seabird species so has no breeding season connectivity. Proportions of these populations migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site are likely to be very small relative to BDMPS (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at St Abbs Head to Fast Castle SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site	172														
Name of European Site:	Steing	eingrund SAC													
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	345	5													
Site Features	Likely 6	Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas													
	Underwater noise			Vessel Interactions			Indirect effects on prey			Changes to water quality			In-combination		
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour porpoise	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Name of European Site: Store Rev SCI





Site Features	Likely e	effect(s)	of Norfo	lk Borea	5										
	Underv	vater no	ise	Vessel I	nteractio	ons	Indirect	t effects o	on prey	Change quality	s to wate	r	In-com	oination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour porpoise	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site 17	4													
Name of European Site: St	our & Orwe	ell Estuarie	s SPA and I	Ramsar										
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 14	0													
Site Features	Likely eff	ect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas										
	Collision mortality Displacement/Disturbance Barrier Effect Cumulative/In-combination													
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D		
SPA features														
Hen harrier Circus cyaneus		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		
Black-tailed godwit <i>Limosa imosa</i> islandica		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		
Dunlin Calidris alpine alpina		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		
Grey plover <i>Pluvialis squatarola</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		
Pintail Anas acuta		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		
Redshank <i>Tringa totanus</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		
Ringed plover Charadrius hiaticula		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		
Shelduck <i>Tadorna tadorna</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		





Site 1	74											
Name of European Site: S	our & Orwe	ll Estuarie	s SPA and I	Ramsar								
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 1	10											
Turnstone Arenaria interpres		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Assemblage		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Ramsar features												
Black-tailed godwit <i>Limosa imosa</i> islandica		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Dunlin Calidris alpine alpina		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Grey plover Pluvialis squatarola		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Pintail Anas acuta		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Redshank <i>Tringa totanus</i>		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Dark-bellied brent goose <i>Branta bernicla</i> bernicla		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Knot Calidris canutus		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)

- (a) Survey data show little or no evidence of Stour and Orwell Estuaries SPA features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site during migration and the predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Stour and Orwell Estuaries SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Ramsar criterion: the predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are so small that they would not have a significant effect alone or contribute to a significant effect or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Stour and Orwell Estuaries SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Name of European Site: Strandenge på Læsø og havet syd herfor SAC





Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	749														
Site Features	Likely	kely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas													
	Under	Underwater noise Vessel Interactions Indirect effects on prey Changes to water quality In-combination													
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site	176											
Name of European Site:	Sumburgh H	lead SPA										
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	778											
Site Features	Likely eff	fect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas								
	Collision	Collision mortality Displacement/Disturbance Barrier Effect Cumulative/In-combination										
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Breeding seabird assemblage including as named features kittiwake, fulmar, guillemot, Arctic tern		N (a)		N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)					

⁽a) Sumburgh Head SPA is beyond maximum foraging range of designated seabird species so has no breeding season connectivity. Proportions of these populations migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site are likely to be very small relative to BDMPS (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

⁽b) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Sumburgh Head SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Name of European Site:	Sydlige	Nordsø	SAC												
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	342														
Site Features	Likely 6	effect(s)	of Norfo	olk Borea	s										
	Under	water no	oise	Vessel I	nteractio	ons	Indirect	t effects o	on prey	Change	s to wate	er	In-coml	oination	
		Underwater noise Vessel Interactions Indirect effects on prey Changes to water quality In-combination													
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour porpoise	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site		178										
Name of European Site:		Sylter Au	ßenriff SCI									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)		286										
Ornithology												
Site Features	Likely	effect(s) c	of Norfolk Bo	reas								
	Collisi	on mortal	ity	Displace	ement/Dist	urbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumula	tive/In-com	bination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Nonbreeding seabird assemblage		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
including black-throated diver, red-												
throated diver, common gull, lesser												





Site	178
Name of European Site:	Sylter Außenriff SCI
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	286
black-backed gull, great black-backed gull, little gull, gannet, kittiwake, common tern, Arctic tern, Sandwich tern, guillemot	

- a) Migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site relative to the size of BDMPS regional populations, not only because the sites are 311km apart, but also because nonbreeding seabirds from this SPA are likely to migrate predominantly along the continental coast of the North Sea towards northern breeding grounds rather than across the southern North Sea (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- b) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Sylter Außenriff SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- c) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE.

Marine mammals

Site Features	Likely	effect(s)	of Norfo	lk Boreas											
	Under	water no	oise	Vessel	Interactio	ns	Indirec	t effects	on prey	Change quality	s to water		In-com	nbinatio	n
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour porpoise	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)		N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)
Grey seal	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)		N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)
Harbour seal	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)		N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)
Fish	,														





178 Site Sylter Außenriff SCI Name of European Site: 286 **Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)** Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas Site Features Temporary physical Smothering due to Electromagnetic Permanent habitat Re- mobilisation of Underwater noise In-combination loss disturbance increased contaminated and vibration fields (EMF) suspended sediments sediment С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D С 0 D N(c) River N(c) N(c) N(c) N(c) N(c) N(c) lamprey N(c) Twaite shad

Site	179													
Name of European Site:	Teesmouth a	nd Clevela	nd Coast SI	PA and Ran	nsar									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	301													
Site Features	Likely ef	Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas												
	Collision	mortality		Displacer	ment/Dist	urbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulati	ve/In-com	bination		
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D		
SPA Features		•												





Site	179											
Name of European Site:	Teesmouth a	nd Clevelaı	nd Coast SF	A and Rar	nsar							
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	301											
Little tern Sterna albifrons		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Sandwich tern Sterna sandvicensis		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Ringed plover Charadrius hiaticula		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Knot Calidris canutus		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Redshank <i>Tringa totanus</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Assemblage		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Ramsar Features												
Knot Calidris canutus		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Redshank <i>Tringa totanus</i>		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Assemblage		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)

- (a) Survey data show little or no evidence of Teesmouth & Cleveland Coast features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site during migration and the predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Teesmouth & Cleveland Coast SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Ramsar criterion: the predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are so small that they would not have a significant effect alone or contribute to a significant effect or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Teesmouth & Cleveland Coast SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Name of European Site: Thames Estuary and Marshes SPA and Ramsar

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 210

Site Features Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas

Site reactives Ein	c., cc.,	3, 01 1401101										
	Collision	mortality		Displace	ment/Distu	urbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulat	ive/In-com	bination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
SPA features												
Avocet Recurvirostra avosetta		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Hen harrier Circus cyaneus		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Ringed plover Charadrius hiaticula		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Assemblage		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Ramsar features												
Ringed plover Charadrius hiaticula		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Black-tailed godwit <i>Limosa limosa</i> islandica		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Grey plover <i>Pluvialis squatarola</i>		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Knot Calidris canutus		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Dunlin Calidris alpina alpina		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Redshank <i>Tringa totanus</i>		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Assemblage		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)





Name of European Site: Thames Estuary and Marshes SPA and Ramsar

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 210

Site Features Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas

- (a) Survey data show little or no evidence of Thames Estuary and Marshes SPA features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site during migration and the predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Thames Estuary and Marshes SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Ramsar criterion: the predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are so small that they would not have a significant effect alone or contribute to a significant effect or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Thames Estuary and Marshes SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site 18	L													
Name of European Site: The	anet Coast	and Sandv	vich Bay SP	'A and Ran	nsar									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 18	7													
Site Features	Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas Collision reportables - Region Effect - Computation (in combination)													
	Collision	Collision mortality Displacement/Disturbance Barrier Effect Cumulative/In-combination												
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D		
SPA features														
Turnstone Arenaria interpres		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		
Ramsar features														
Turnstone Arenaria interpres		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)		





Name of European Site: Thanet Coast and Sandwich Bay SPA and Ramsar

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 187

- (a) Survey data show little or no evidence of Thanet Coast and Sandwich Bay SPA features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site during migration and the predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Thanet Coast and Sandwich Bay SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Ramsar criterion: the predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are so small that they would not have a significant effect alone or contribute to a significant effect or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Thanet Coast and Sandwich Bay SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site 182

Name of European Site: Thanet Coast SAC

Site	Likely e	ffect(s) o	f Norfolk	Boreas														
Features	Perma	nent loss		Tempo disturb	orary phy pance	rsical	increa	ering du sed nded sed		_	obilisation minated ents	n of		water no bration	oise	In-com	nbination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Sandbanks which are slightly covered	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)





Site Name of Eu	ıropean S	iite:		182 Thanet	Coast SA	ıc										
Distance to	Norfolk	Boreas (k	km)	186												
by sea water all the time																
Mudflats and sandflats not covered by seawater at low tide	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Reefs	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)

⁽a) The distance between the offshore project area and the designated site is beyond the range of any potential LSE (see Table 4.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site	183														
Name of European Site:	The	Broads S	SAC												
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	4.5														
Site Features	Likely e	effect(s) o	of Norfoll	Boreas											
		effects w undary	ithin	Direct situ ha	effects c abitats	n ex-	Indirect of boundary	effects with	nin SAC	Indirect	t effects o	on ex-	In-cor	nbinati	on
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D





Name of European Site: The Broads SAC

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	4.5														
Hard oligo-mesotrophic waters with benthic vegetation of <i>Chara spp.</i>	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (e)	Y (e)	Y (e)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y(f)	Y(f)	Y(f)
Natural eutrophic lakes with Magnopotamion or Hydrocharition - type vegetation	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (e)	Y (e)	Y (e)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y(f)	Y(f)	Y(f)
Transition mires and quaking bogs	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (e)	Y (e)	Y (e)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y(f)	Y(f)	Y(f)
Calcareous fens with Cladium mariscus and species of the Caricion davallianae [Priority feature]	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (e)	Y (e)	Y (e)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y(f)	Y(f)	Yf()
Alkaline fens	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (e)	Y (e)	Y (e)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y(f)	Y(f)	Y(f)
Alluvial forests with Alnus glutinosa and Fraxinus excelsior (Alno-Padion, Alnion incanae, Salicion albae) [Priority feature]	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (e)	Y (e)	Y (e)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y(f)	Y(f)	Y(f)
Molinia meadows on calcareous, peaty or clayey-silt-laden soils (Molinion caeruleae)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y (e)	Y (e)	Y (e)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	Y(f)	Y(f)	Y(f)
Desmoulin's whorl snail	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	Y (e)	Y (e)	Y (e)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	Y(f)	Y(f)	Y(f)
Fen orchid	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	Y (e)	Y (e)	Y (e)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	Y(f)	Y(f)	Y(f)
Ramshorn snail	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	Y (e)	Y (e)	Y (e)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	Y(f)	Y(f)	Y(f)
Otter	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	Y (d)	Y (d)	Y (d)	Y (e)	Y (e)	Y (e)	Y (d)	Y (d)	Y (d)	Y(f)	Y(f)	Y(f)





Name of European Site: The Broads SAC

- a) The Broads SAC is located 4.5km from the onshore project area; the SAC is therefore beyond the range of potential impact (see Table 2.1 of onshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.2).
- b) The Annex I qualifying features of The Broads SAC are habitats and not mobile species, and as such are restricted primarily to the SAC boundary. As such, these are beyond the range of potential impact (see Section 4.5.4 of onshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.2).
- c) Habitats within the onshore project area and within 5km of The Broads SAC are not suitable for supporting these species (see Section 4.5.4 of onshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.2).
- d) Suitable habitats for supporting otter were recorded within the project area and within 5km of The Broads SAC. Otters have large ranges and may commute from The Broads SAC into the onshore project area and therefore LSE cannot be ruled out at the screening stage (see Sections 3.3.6 and 4.5.4 of onshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.2).
- e) The potential zone of influence for effects arising from local changes in surface and groundwater encompasses watercourses located within 5km of the Broads SAC (see Section 4.5.3 of onshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.2). Therefore, indirect effects upon qualifying features of The Broads SAC within the onshore project area arising from local changes in surface and groundwater hydrology are screened in for further assessment.
- f) As LSE cannot be ruled out, an in-combination assessment will be undertaken with respect to this site (see section 9.3.4 of the Information to Support the HRA report, document reference 5.3).





Site 1	84											
Name of European Site: T	he Swale	SPA & Rai	nsar									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 2	05											
Site Features	Like	ly effect(s)	of Norf	folk Borea	S							
	Coll	ision morta	ality	Displace	ment/Dist	urbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumula	tive/In-cor	nbination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	О	D	С	0	D
SPA features				_			_					
Avocet Recurvirostra avosetta		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Marsh harrier Circus aeruginosus		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Mediterranean gull Larus melanocephalus		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Bar-tailed godwit <i>Limosa lapponica</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Golden plover Pluvialis apricaria		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Hen harrier Circus cyaneus		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Ringed plover Charadrius hiaticula		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Black-tailed godwit <i>Limosa limosa islandica</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Grey plover Pluvialis squatarola		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Knot Calidris canutus		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Pintail Anas acuta		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Redshank <i>Tringa totanus</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Shoveler <i>Anas clypeata</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Assemblage		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Ramsar features												





Site	184
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Name of European Site: The Swale SPA & Ramsar

Site Features	Likely	effect(s)	of Norf	olk Boreas								
	Collis	ion morta	lity	Displace	ment/Distu	ırbance	Barrier Effe	ect		Cumulati	ve/In-com	bination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Ringed plover Charadrius hiaticula		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Black-tailed godwit <i>Limosa limosa islandica</i>		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Grey plover <i>Pluvialis squatarola</i>		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Pintail Anas acuta		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Redshank <i>Tringa totanus</i>		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Shoveler <i>Anas clypeata</i>		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Wigeon Anas penelope		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Dark-bellied bent goose Branta bernicla bernicla		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)

- (a) Survey data show little or no evidence of The Swale SPA and Ramsar features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA and Ramsar are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site during migration and the predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at The Swale SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Ramsar criterion: the predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are so small that they would not have a significant effect alone or contribute to a significant effect or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at The Swale SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site 185 The Wash and North Norfolk Coast SAC Name of European Site: 110 (33km from offshore cable corridor) Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) **Marine Mammals** Site Features Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas Indirect effects on prey In-combination Underwater noise Vessel Changes to water Interactions/ quality disturbance at seal haul out sites С С С С 0 D 0 D 0 D 0 D 0 D Harbour seal Y (a) Y (b) Y (b) Y (a) Grey seal Y (a) Y (a) Y (a) Y (b) Y (b) Y (b) Y (a) **Benthic Habitats** Temporary physical Smothering due to increased Site Features Permanent loss Re- mobilisation of Underwater noise In-combination disturbance suspended sediment contaminate d and vibration sediments С 0 0 D С O D С 0 С 0 0 D D D D Sandbanks which are Ν Ν Ν N (c) N (c) N (c) Ν N (c) slightly covered by sea (c) (c) (c) (c) (c) water all the time Mudflats and sandflats N Ν Ν N (c) Ν N (c) (c) (c) (c) not covered by (c) seawater at low tide Large shallow inlets Ν Ν N (c) N (c) N (c) Ν N (c) Ν N (c) and bays (c) (c) (c) (c) (c) a) Potential effects from underwater noise; vessel interactions; changes to water quality; changes to prey resources; and disturbance at seal haul-out sites for





Name of European Site: The Wash and North Norfolk Coast SAC

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 110 (33km from offshore cable corridor)

foraging grey and harbour seal cannot be ruled out, and have therefore been assessed in section 8.3.2 of the Information to Support Habitats Regulations Assessment Report, document reference 5.3).

- b) Potential for vessel interactions and disturbance at seal haul-out sites if a port to the north of the offshore project area is selected and therefore LSE cannot be ruled out, and has been assessed in sections 8.3.2.2 and 8.3.2.3 of the Information to Support Habitats Regulations Assessment Report, document reference 5.3.
- c) The distance between the offshore project area and the designated site is beyond the range of any potential LSE (see Table 4.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site :	186														
Name of European Site:	he Wash S	PA and Ra	msar												
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	150														
Site Features	Likely eff	ect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas											
	Collision	collision mortality Displacement/Disturbance Barrier Effect Cumulative/In-combination													
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D			
SPA features															
Common tern Sterna hirundo		N (a)		N (a)											
Little tern Sterno albifrons		N (a)		N (a)											
Marsh harrier Circus aeruginosus		N (a)		N (a)											
Avocet Recurvirostra avosetta		N (a)		N (a)											
Bar-tailed godwit <i>Limosa lapponica</i>		N (a)		N (a)											
Golden plover Pluvialis apricaria		N (a)		N (a)											





Site 186
Name of European Site: The Wash SPA and Ramsar

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 1	50											
Site Features	Likely eff	ect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas								
	Collision	mortality		Displace	ment/Dist	urbance	Barrier l	Effect		Cumula	tive/In-con	nbination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Whooper swan <i>Cygnus cygnus</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Ringed plover Charadrius hiaticula		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Sanderling <i>Calidris alba</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Black-tailed godwit <i>Limosa limosa</i> islandica		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Curlew Numenius arquata		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Dark-bellied brent goose <i>Branta bernicla</i> bernicla		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Dunlin Calidris alpina alpina		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Grey plover <i>Pluvialis squatarola</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Knot Calidris canutus		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Oystercatcher Haematopus ostralegus		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Pink-footed goose <i>Anser brachyrhynchus</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Pintail Anas acuta		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Redshank <i>Tringa totanus</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Shelduck <i>Tadorna tadorna</i>		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Turnstone Arenaria interpres		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)





Site 1	86											
Name of European Site:	he Wash S	PA and Ra	msar									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 1	50											
Site Features	Likely eff	ect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas								
	Collision	mortality		Displace	ment/Distu	ırbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulat	ive/In-com	bination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Assemblage		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Ramsar features												
Bar-tailed godwit <i>Limosa lapponica</i>		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Golden plover <i>Pluvialis apricaria</i>		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Ringed plover Charadrius hiaticula		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Sanderling Calidris alba		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Black-tailed godwit <i>Limosa limosa</i> islandica		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Curlew Numenius arquata		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Dark-bellied brent goose <i>Branta bernicla</i> bernicla		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Dunlin Calidris alpina alpina		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Grey plover <i>Pluvialis squatarola</i>		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Knot Calidris canutus		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Oystercatcher Haematopus ostralegus		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Pink-footed goose Anser brachyrhynchus		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Pintail Anas acuta		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)





Site	186														
Name of European Site:	The Wash S	SPA and Ra	msar												
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	150														
Site Features	Likely ef	ely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas													
	Collision	ion mortality Displacement/Disturbance Barrier Effect Cumulative/In-combination													
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D			
Redshank Tringa totanus		N (b)		N (b)											
Shelduck Tadorna tadorna		N (b)		N (b)											
Turnstone Arenaria interpres		N (b)		N (b)											
Lapwing Vanellus vanellus		N (b)		N (b)											

- (a) Survey data show little or no evidence of The Wash SPA features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site during migration and, in addition, the predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at The Wash SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Ramsar criterion: the predicted effects attributable to Norfolk Boreas are so small that they would not have a significant effect alone or contribute to a significant effect or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at The Wash SPA and Ramsar (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site 187 **Tregor Goëlo SAC** Name of European Site: 594 Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas **Site Features** Underwater noise Indirect effects on prey **Vessel Interactions** Changes to water In-combination quality С С 0 D С 0 D 0 D С 0 D С 0 D Grey seal N(a) N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site 1	88											
Name of European Site:	roup, Penn	an and Lic	n`s Heads	SPA								
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 5	93											
Site Features	Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas											
	Collision	mortality		Displace	ment/Distu	ırbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulati	ive/In-com	bination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Breeding seabird assemblage including as named features razorbill, fulmar, guillemot, kittiwake, herring gull		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)





Name of European Site: Troup, Pennan and Lion's Heads SPA

- (a) Troup, Pennan & Lion's Heads SPA is beyond maximum foraging range of designated seabird species so has no breeding season connectivity. Proportions of these populations migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site are likely to be very small relative to BDMPS (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Troup, Pennan & Lion's Heads SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site	189														
Name of European Site:	Untere	ms und	Außene	ms SCI											
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	259														
Site Features	Likely e	.ikely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas													
	Underv	vater no	oise	Vessel I	nteractio	ons	Indirect	t effects (on prey	Change quality	s to wate	er	In-com	bination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site	190														
Name of European Site:	Vadeh	avet me	d Ribe Å	, Tved Å	og Varde	Å vest fo	or Varde	SAC							
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	397														
Site Features	Likely 6	effect(s)	of Norfo	olk Borea	S										
	Under	nderwater noise Vessel Interactions Indirect effects on prey Changes to water quality In-combination													
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour porpoise	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Grey seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site	191														
Name of European Site:	Venø,	Venø Su	nd SAC												
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	531														
Site Features	Likely 6	Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas													
	Under	water no	oise	Vessel I	nteractio	ons	Indirec	t effects (on prey	Change quality	s to wate	er	In-com	bination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Name of European Site: Vlaamse Banken SAC

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 136

Marine Mammals

Site Features	Likely e	ffect(s) o	of Norfolk	Boreas											
	Underw	ater noi	se		Interacti turbance ul outs		Indirec	t effects on	prey	Changes to v	vater qualit	У	In-combi	ination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour porpoise	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Grey seal	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Harbour seal	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)

Fish

Site	Likely	effect(s) of No	rfolk Bor	eas																
Features	Perma loss	anent h	abitat	Tempo disturk	orary pł pance	nysical		nering du ased susp ent		Re- mobi contamir				water ibration		Electro	omagnet (EMF)	tic	In-com	oinatior	1
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Sea Lamprey	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Twaite Shad	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)





Name of European Site: Vlaamse Banken SAC

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 136

Benthic habitats

Site Features	Perma	anent lo	OSS	Tempo disturba	rary phys ance	sical	Smotheri increased sediment	suspen			bilisation o			water ibratio		In-cor	mbinat	ion
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Reefs	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)
Sandbanks which are slightly covered by sea water all the time	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)	N(b)

- a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 and Table 5.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- b) The distance between the offshore project area and the designated site is beyond the range of any potential LSE (see Table 4.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Vlakte van de Raan SCI/SAC Name of European Site:

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)

Site Features	Likely e	ffect(s) of	f Norfolk I	Boreas											
	Underv	vater nois	е	Vessel	nteractio	ns	Indirec	t effects o	n prey	Change	s to water	quality	In-coml	bination	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	О	D	С	0	D
Harbour porpoise	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Grey seal	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Harbour seal	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)

Fish

Site	Likely	effect(s) of No	rfolk Bo	reas																
Features	Perma loss	anent h	abitat	Tempo distur	orary p bance	hysical	Smoth increa suspe sedim	nded	lue to	_	obilisati minated ents	-		water r bration		Electro fields	omagne (EMF)	tic	In-com	nbinatio	'n
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Sea Lamprey	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
River lamprey	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Twaite Shad	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)





Name of European Site: Vlakte van de Raan SCI/SAC

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 153

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 and Table 5.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site 194

Name of European Site Voordelta SPA and SAC

Ornithology													
Site Features	Likely effect(s) of Norfolk B	oreas											
		Collision	ı mortality	/	Displace	ement/Dis	turbance	Barrier I	Effect		Cumulat combina	-	
		С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
cormorant, shelduck, goldeneye, sanderling crested grebe, greylag avocet, gadwall, Slavo breasted merganser, bar-tailed godwit, oys wigeon, turnstone, sc	ringed plover, dunlin, g, little gull, eider, great g goose, Sandwich tern, onian grebe, spoonbill, redpintail, red-throated diver, stercatcher, shoveler, aup, redshank, common y plover, common scoter		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N(a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)





Name of European Site Voordelta SPA and SAC

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 118

Marine mammals

Site Features	Likely e	ffect(s) of	Norfolk B	oreas											
	Underw	ater noise	9	Underw	ater noise	2	Underw	ater noise		Underw	ater noise		Underw	ater noise	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour porpoise	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)		N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)
Grey seal	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)		N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)
Harbour seal	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)		N (c)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)

Fish

Site	Likely	effect(s	s) of Noi	rfolk Bo	reas																
Features	Perma loss	anent h	abitat	Temp distur	orary pl bance	nysical	Smoth increa susper sedim	nded	ue to		obilisati minated ents			water r bration			omagne (EMF)	tic	In-con	nbinatio	'n
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Sea lamprey	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)
River lamprey	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)





Site				19	94																
Name of	Europea	an Site		V	oordelta	a SPA an	d SAC														
Distance	to Norf	olk Bore	eas (km	1	18																
Allis shad	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)
Twaite shad N(c) N(c) N(c) N(c) N(c) N(c) N(c) N(c)									N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)	N(c)
Benthic H	labitats																				
Site	Likely	effect(s	s) of Noi	folk Bo	reas																
Features				Perma	anent lo	SS	Temp distur	orary ph bance	nysical	Smoth increa suspe sedim	nded	ue to		obilisati minate (ents			water n	ioise	In-con	nbinatic	n
				С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Sandbank covered b time				N(d)	N(d)	N(d)	N(d)	N(d)	N(d)	N(d)	N(d)	N(d)	N(d)	N(d)	N(d)	N(d)	N(d)	N(d)	N(d)	N(d)	N(d)

- a) Survey data show little or no evidence of Voordelta SPA features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- b) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Voordelta SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- c) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 and 5.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- d) The distance between the offshore project area and the designated site is beyond the range of any potential LSE (see Table 4.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site	195															
Name of European Site:	Vrångö	iskärgår	den SAC													
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	768															
Site Features	Likely 6	ely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas														
	Under	water no	oise	Vessel I	nteractio	ons	Indirec	t effects	on prey	Change quality	s to wate	er	In-com	bination		
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site 19)6											
Name of European Site: W	addenzee (Wadden Se	ea) SPA									
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 10)5											
Site Features	Likely eff	ect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas								
	Collision	mortality		Displacer	ment/Distu	ırbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulati	ve/In-com	bination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Breeding seabird assemblage including as named features lesser black-backed gull, little tern, common tern, Arctic tern, Sandwich tern		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)
Breeding waterbirds including Kentish plover, ringed plover, marsh harrier, spoonbill, avocet		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (d)	N (d)	N (d)





Site	196						
Name of European Site:	Waddenzee (Wadden Sea) SPA						
Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km)	105						
Wintering and passage waterbirds including pintail, shoveler, teal, wigeon, mallard, gadwall, greylag goose, bean goose Anser fabalis, turnstone, scaup, brent goose, barnacle goose, goldeneye sanderling, dunlin, knot, curlew sandpiper, ringed plover, black tern Chlidonias niger, hen harrier, Bewick's swan, oystercatcher, bar-tailed godwit, black-tailed godwit, red-breasted merganser, goosander, curlew, cormorant, spoonbill, golden plover, great crested grebe, avocet, eide shelduck, greenshank, redshank, lapwin	ey er,	N (c) N (c)	N (c) N (c)	N (c)	N (c) N (d)	N (d)	N (d)

- (a) The Norfolk Boreas site is far beyond the mean maximum foraging range of designated breeding seabird species from this SPA, so has no breeding season connectivity. Proportions of these populations migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site are likely to be extremely small relative to BDMPS, not only because of the distance, but also because birds from this SPA are likely to use the west European flyway along the continental coast rather than crossing the southern North Sea. Lesser black-backed gull tracking has shown breeding birds do not cross the North Sea therefore no connectivity is expected for this species (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Survey data show little or no evidence of Waddenzee SPA breeding waterbird features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (c) Survey data show little or no evidence of Waddenzee SPA nonbreeding waterbird features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (d) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Waddenzee SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Name of European Site: Waddenzee SAC

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 106

Marine Mammals

with the straining																
Site Features		Likely e	effect(s)	of Norfolk E	Boreas											
		Underv	water no	oise	Vessel	Interac	tions	Indired prey	t effect	s on	Change quality	es to wa	iter	In-com	nbinatio	า
		С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour porpoi	se	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Grey seal		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)
Harbour seal		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

Benthic Habitats

Bentnic Habitats	1																	
Site Features	Perma	nent los	S	Tempo disturk	orary ph	ysical		ering du sed susp ent			bilisatio ninate d ents	_	Under and vik	water no oration	oise	In-com	binatio	n
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Sandbanks which are slightly covered by sea water all the time	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)		N (b)	N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Estuaries	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)		N (b)	N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)
Mudflats and sandflats not covered by seawater at low tide	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)		N (b)	N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Name of European Site: Waddenzee SAC

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 106

b) The distance between the offshore project area and the designated site is beyond the range of any potential LSE (see Table 4.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).

Site 198

Name of European Site: West Westray SPA

Site Features	Likely	effect(s) of Nor	folk Boreas								
	Collisio	on mort	ality	Displacement	/Disturk	oance	Barrie	r Effect		Cumul combi	ative/In nation	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Breeding seabird assemblage including as named features kittiwake, Arctic tern, fulmar, razorbill, Arctic skua, guillemot		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)

- a) West Westray SPA is beyond maximum foraging range of designated seabird species so has no breeding season connectivity. Proportions of these populations migrating through the Norfolk Boreas site are likely to be very small relative to BDMPS (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- b) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at West Westray SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Name of European

Westerschelde & Saeftinghe SAC

Site:

Distance to Norfolk

156

Boreas (km)

Fish

Site	Likely	effect(s	s) of No	rfolk Bo	reas																
Features	Permanent habitat loss C O D		Tempo distur	orary pł bance	nysical	Smoth increa suspe sedim	nded	ue to		obilisati minated ents			water r bration		Electro fields	omagne (EMF)	tic	In-con	nbinatio	n	
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
River lamprey	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)
Twaite Shad	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 5.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Site Name of European Site: Winterton – Horsey Dunes SAC

Distance to Norfolk Boreas (km) 74 (3.2 from cable corridor)

Site Features Likely effect(s) of Norfolk Boreas

Site Features	Likely	effect(s)	of Norfo	olk Borea	S										
	Under	water no	oise	Vessel I	nteractio	ns	Indirec	t effects o	on prey	Change	s to wate	er	In-com	oination	
										quality					
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Grey seal	Y(a)	Y(a)	Y(a)	Y(a)	Y(a)	Y(a)	Y(a)	Y(a)	Y(a)	Y(a)		Y(a)	Y(a)	Y(a)	Y(a)

a) The grey seal haul-out site less than 5km from cable landfall site. Potential effects from underwater noise in cable corridor; vessel interactions in cable corridor; changes to water quality in cable corridor; changes to prey resources in cable corridor; and disturbance at seal haul-out sites cannot be ruled out and have been assessed in section 8.3.4 of the Information to Support Habitats Regulation Assessment Report (document reference 5.3).

Site 201
Name of European Site: Yell Sound Coast SAC

Site Features	Likely e	effect(s)	of Norfo	olk Borea:	S										
	Underv	vater no	ise	Vessel I	nteractio	ns	Indirec	t effects o	on prey	Change	s to wate	er	In-comb	oination	
										quality					
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Harbour seal	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)		N(a)	N(a)	N(a)	N(a)

a) The distance between the potential impact range of Norfolk Boreas and the extent of any effect on individuals from this site would result in no potential for LSE (see Table 3.2 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).





Name of European Site: Ythan Estuary, Sands of Forvie and Meikle Loch SPA

Site Features	Likely eff	ect(s) of N	orfolk Bore	eas								
	Collision	mortality		Displacer	ment/Distu	ırbance	Barrier E	ffect		Cumulati	ve/In-com	bination
	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D	С	0	D
Wintering and passage waterbird assemblage including as named features lapwing, eider, pink-footed goose, redshank		N (a)		N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (a)	N (c)	N (c)	N (c)
Breeding little tern, common tern, Sandwich tern		N (b)		N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)	N (b)

- (a) Survey data show little or no evidence of Ythan Estuary, Sands of Forvie & Meikle Loch SPA features occurring in the Norfolk Boreas site, and migrations of birds from this SPA are likely to result in negligible numbers passing through the Norfolk Boreas site (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (b) Little tern, common tern and Sandwich tern have maximum foraging ranges from colonies of 11km, 30km and 54km respectively, so there is no connectivity between the SPA and Norfolk Boreas site which are 556km apart. Furthermore, these species tend to forage in coastal waters rather than offshore. Therefore, collision risk, displacement and barrier effects can be excluded (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).
- (c) The predicted effect attributable to Norfolk Boreas is so small that it would not significantly contribute to or alter the overall in-combination assessment for these features at Ythan Estuary, Sands of Forvie & Meikle Loch SPA (see Table 6.1 of offshore screening, document reference 5.3.5.1).