## Beach clean volunteer summary

To make your data count, please enter actual values only 'lots', 'many', 'bag fulls' or '100s' can't be used.

 Please complete one survey summary per event.



Beach name *			Survey date & tir	me *	
			Date:		
Beach location			Start time:		End time:
Nearest town:			Organiser detail	s	
County:			Name*:		
Latitude / OS Grid Ref:			Telephone:		
Longitude / OS Grid Ref:			Email:		
Vital information * (required, or we can't ac				ı	
Length of beach surveyed (should be 100m):	How mai	ny	volunteers:	How	many bin bags' full:
Extra information					
When was the beach last cleaned?	Total weig	ht	of rubbish collected from t	he surv	ey area (kg):
Average width of beach surveyed (m):	Did you cl	eai	n but not survey any extra	areas?	If so, how much? (m):
Weather & influencing factors (in the	week leading	g u	p to the survey)		
Winds: Offshore Onshore	Were there	any	/ circumstances that influe	enced th	ne survey? e.g. beach events
Light Strong					
Seas: Calm Moderate Rough					
Exceptionally high tide					
What you found					
Did you find any items from another country or traced	able items?		Did you find any strande	d entar	naled or dead animals?
Please provide details of each item, indicating any identifying marks su of origin, company name or serial number.			Yes No		how many?
			If yes, please describe the a	nimal, or	give the species name if known:
Did you find any unusual items?			Is the animal entangled i	in litter?	Yes No
Include all these items when calculating the total numbers overleaf.		If yes, please describe the nature of entanglement and type of litter:			
			Is the animal Alive o	ır 🗆 Dı	and 2
			If you find a stranded or injure	ed animal	phone the RSPCA on 0300 1234999
Was there any oil, tar or other pollutants?  4 If you encounter a pollution event or algal bloom, please report it to	the		or the SSPCA in Scotland on 03	2000 AAAA	ಶಶ.
environmental regulator on 0800 807060.			* Essential information – please en	sure you h	ave completed these fields
Oil/tar*: No Yes, traces Yes, some Yes, la	rge amount				

1 Plastic / polystyrene	total		total		total
4/6 pack yokes		Fish boxes - foamed polystyrene		Oyster nets / mussel bags (inc. plastic stoppers)	
Bag ends		Fish boxes - plastic		Oyster trays (round from oyster cultures)	
Bagged dog faeces		Fishing line (angling)		Packaging / plastic sheeting (industrial)	
Bags (e.g. shopping)		Fishing net & net pieces: 0-50cm		Packets: Crisp / sweet / lolly (inc sticks) / sandwich	
Bags: Mesh (e.g. vegetable)		Fishing net & net pieces: 50cm+		Pens & pen lids	
Bags: Small (e.g. freezer / vegetable)		Floats / Buoys		Plastic fragments: 0-2.5cm	
Biobeads		Foam / sponge / insulation		Plastic fragments: 2.5-50cm	
Biofilm support media		Foamed polystyrene fragments: 0-2.5cm		Plastic fragments: >50cm	
Bottles / containers / drums: Other		Foamed polystyrene fragments: 2.5-50cm		Sheeting from mussel culture (Tahitians)	
Bottles / containers: cleaner		Foamed polystyrene fragments: >50cm		Shoes / sandals	
Bottles / containers: drinks		Food containers (inc fast food) - foamed polystyrene		Shotgun cartridges	
Bottles / containers: toiletries / cosmetics		Food containers (inc fast food) - plastic		Strapping bands	
Buckets		Gloves (e.g. washing up)		String & cord (diameter < 1cm) not from dolly ropes	
Caps / lids		Gloves (industrial/professional)		or unidentified	
Car parts		Hard hats		String / cord / rope: thickness 1cm+	
Cigarette lighters / tobacco pouches		Injection gun cartridge (e.g. sealant)		String & filaments exclusively from dolly ropes	
Cigarette stubs		Jerry cans		Tangled dolly rope	
Combs / hair brushes / sunglasses		Light / glow sticks (tubes with fluid)		Tangled nets/cord/rope/string without dolly rope or	
Crates		Lobster & fish tags		mixed with dolly rope	
Cups - foamed polystyrene		Lobster / crab pots & tops		Toys / party poppers / fireworks / dummies	
Cups - plastic		Nurdles		Other (please specify)	
Cutlery / trays / straws		Octopus pots			
Fertiliser / animal feed bags		Oil containers / drums: 0-50cm			
Fibreglass		Oil containers / drums: 50cm+			

2 Rubber	total
Balloons (inc string, valves, ribbons)	
Boots	
Tyres & engine belts	
Tyres used as fenders	
Other (please specify)	

3 Cloth	total
Clothing / shoes / towels	
Furnishings	
Sacking	
Shoes (leather)	
Other (please specify)	

4 Paper / cardboard	total
Bags	
Cardboard	
Cartons (purepak e.g. milk)	
Cartons (tetrapak e.g. juice)	
Cigarette packets	
Cups	
Newspapers / magazines	
Other (please specify)	

5 Wood (machined)	total
Corks	
Crab / lobster pots & tops	
Crates	
Fish boxes	
Lolly sticks / chip forks	
Paint brushes	
Pallets	
Other 0-50cm (please specify)	
Other 50cm+ (please specify)	

6 Metal	total
Aerosol / spray cans	
Appliances	
BBQs (disposable)	
Cans (drink)	
Cans (food)	
Caps / lids	
Fishing weights / hooks / lures	
Foil wrappers	
Lobster / crab pots & tops	
Oil drums	
Paint tins	
Scrap	
Wire / mesh / barbed wire	
Other 0-50cm (please specify)	
Other 50cm+ (please specify)	

7 Glass	total
Bottles	
Jars (inc fragments of jars)	
Light bulbs / tubes	
Other (please specify)	

8 Pottery / ceramics	total
Construction material (e.g. tiles)	
Octopus pots	
Other (please specify)	

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9 Sanitary	total
Condoms	
Cotton bud sticks - cardboard	
Cotton bud sticks - plastic	
Tampons & applicators	
Toilet fresheners	
Towels / panty liners / backing strips	
Wet wipes	
Other (please specify)	

10 Medical	total
Containers / tubes (inc. pill packets)	
Single use face mask - plastic	
Single use gloves - plastic	
Syringes & needles	
Other (please specify)	

11 Pollutants	total
Paraffin / wax pieces: 0-1cm	
Paraffin / wax pieces: 1-10cm	
Paraffin / wax pieces: 10cm +	
Other (please specify)	

Thanks so much for running a beach clean and litter survey. Your data helps us campaign for change and turn the tide on pollution.

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