

Ship Observations Team

National Report for 2008

1. Country	United Kingdom
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2. Prepared by	Sarah North
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3. Contributing national marine organizations:

Insert as applicable – VOS / VOSClm / SOOP / ASAP – Include additional detail where appropriate e.g (data management).

Organization	MET OFFICE (UK)
Programmes #	VOS, ASAP, VOSClm
Website URL	www.metoffice.gov.uk

Organization	UK HYDROGRAPHIC OFFICE
Programmes #	SOOP – Note Although there is no formal SOOP Programme in the UK the Hydrographic Office acts as contact point for SOOP activities (contact details in Appendix 1)
Website URL	www.ukho.gov.uk

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4. **List of National Focal Points for SOT / VOS / VOSclim / SOOP / ASAP** (see Appendix 1):
5. **List of Port Meteorological Officers** (see Appendix 2):
6. **Programme Reports**

Appendix 1: List of National Focal Points for SOT / VOS / VOSClim / SOOP / ASAP

(insert Country)

Focal Point *	SOT	VOS	ASAP
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Appendix 2: List of Port Meteorological Officers

(United Kingdom)

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Name	Lalinda Namalarachchi	Steve Key	Colin B Attfield
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Comment	Responsible for all ports on the South West English and South Welsh coasts (including the ports of Southampton, Portsmouth, Falmouth, Plymouth, Avonmouth, Portbury, Cardiff, Swansea, Newport, Port Talbot, and Milford Haven)	Responsible for all ports on the south English coast including ports of Felixstowe, Gt Yarmouth, Lowestoft, Tilbury, and Thames Medway,. Occasional inspections also undertaken on North European coast (e.g. Dunkirk, Antwerp)	Responsible for the east and west coasts of northern England and ports on North Welsh Coast (including the ports of Hull, Immingham, Liverpool, Birkenhead, Barrow, Tees, Tyne etc.)
Port / Office	SCOTLAND (S)	SCOTLAND (N)	
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Comment	Responsible the Forth ports and SW coast of Scotland to the Solway Firth	Offshore Adviser (with Port Met Officer duties) - Responsible for ports on Scotland East coast from Invergordon to Dundee)	

