



# PORTLAND HARBOUR AUTHORITY LIMITED



## Local Notice to Mariners

No 11/2024(T)

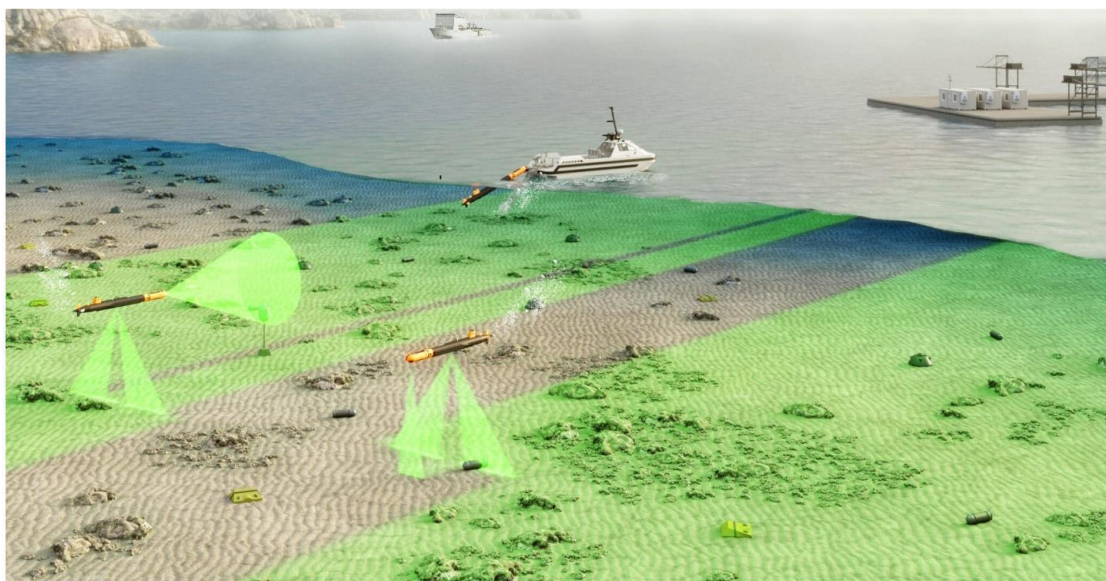
### **AUTONOMOUS UNDERWATER VEHICLE TRIALS No 1 (Extended)**

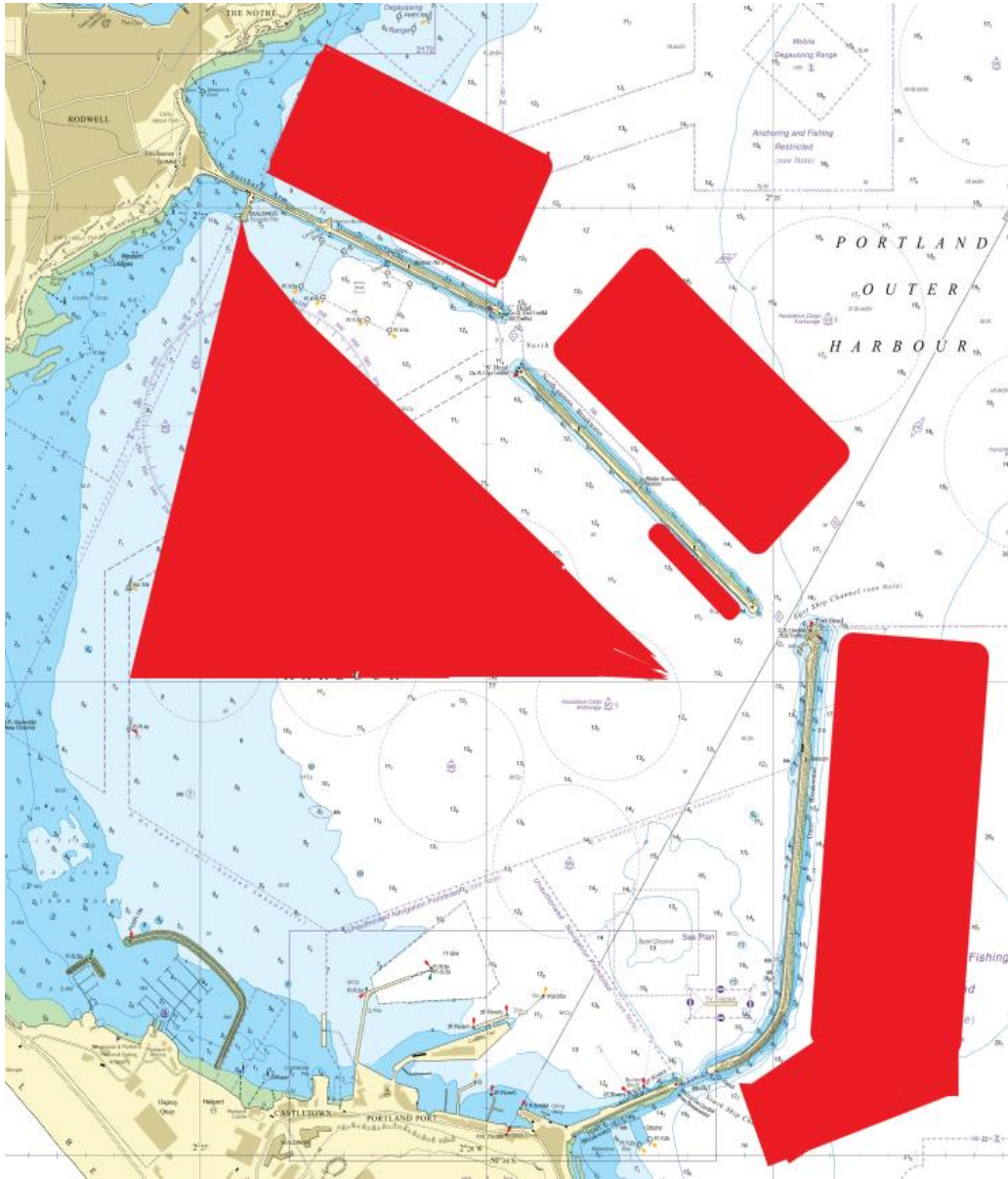
Trial Dates	8 <sup>th</sup> April 2024 – 30 <sup>th</sup> April 2024
Trial Times	Daylight Hours
Trial Location	Portland Inner Harbour Portland Outer Harbour
AUV Launching vessel	RNMB Hazard & Hussar
Support Vessels	Bingleaves and Newtons RHIB

ATLAS ELEKTRONIK UK (AEUK) will be conducting AUV Trials from 8<sup>th</sup> April 2024 – 30<sup>th</sup> April 2024. The AUV will be accompanied at all times by a trials support vessel displaying the appropriate day shapes.

At times the AUV will operate close to the wreck of the Countess of Erne.

See area of operations below.





Mariners are requested to give both vessels a wide berth during operations.

*This Notice is issued under the powers vested by the Portland Harbour Revision Order 1997.*

Captain M Shipley  
General Manager (Marine)  
04<sup>th</sup> April 2024

**Owners, Agents, Yacht Clubs and Recreational Sailing Organisations should ensure that the contents of this notice are made known to the Masters or persons in charge of their vessels or craft.**