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#### A- General overview

i. Morphological structure of the Atlantic coastline (data)

1.1. Length of coastline in km	The length of coastline of Great Britain plus its principal islands is about 31,368 km	
	(http://www.cartography.org.uk/default.asp?contentID=749)	
1.2. Total area of the coastal zone in km² (within a range of 10 km from the coast).	214,406.7 KM <sup>2</sup>	
	(http://epp.eurostat.ec.europa.eu/portal/page/portal/maritime coastal regions/data/database)	
	does not specify 10 km	
1.3. No. of inhabited islands (if any).	132	

ii. Population and related social conditions for the Atlantic maritime areas (data)

2.1. Total country population (Eurostat).	58,789,213 (at 2001)	
2.2. No. inhabitants living in the Atlantic coastal area.	46,414,243 (2011) (http://epp.eurostat.ec.europa.eu/portal/page/portal/maritime coastal regions/data/database)	
2.3. Total employment of population aged 20-64 living in Atlantic area (last three years – Eurostat).	Employment rate, age group 15–64 (%) 2011: 69.5; 2012: 70.1; 2013: 70.8 (source: <a href="http://epp.eurostat.ec.europa.eu/statistics">http://epp.eurostat.ec.europa.eu/statistics</a> explained/index.php/Employment statistics)	
2.4. Female employment rate, persons aged 20-64 (figures for 15-64)	2003: 65.3; 2008; 65.8; 2013: 65.9  Source: Employment rates for selected population groups	
2.5. Older persons employment rate, persons aged 55-64	2003: 55.4; 2008: 58.0; 2013: 59.8 Source: Employment rates for selected population groups	
<ol> <li>Total unemployment of population aged 20-64 living in Atlantic area (last three years – Eurostat).</li> </ol>		
2.7. Youth unemployment rate, persons aged 15-24 (figures for 16-24)	767,000 (April to June 2014) source :  (http://www.parliament.uk/business/publications/research/briefing-papers/SN05871/youth-unemployment-statistics)	











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iii. Economic role of Atlantic maritime areas over the national total (data)

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3.1. Gross Domestic Product (GDP) per capita in the Atlantic coastal areas (in euros) (if available from the last three years).	
3.2. Gross Domestic Product (GDP) per capita in the country (in euros) (if available from the last three years).	2011 – 30,600 2012 – 30,200
	2013 – 30,600
	(http://epp.eurostat.ec.europa.eu/portal/page/portal/maritime coastal regions/data/database)
<ol> <li>Gross Value added (GVA) (in euros) in the last three years (if available) in the Atlantic coastal areas.</li> </ol>	
3.4. Gross Value added (GVA) (in euros) in the last three years (if available) in the country.	

#### iv. GVA – Details by NACE activities (data)

Sector	GVA of coastal regions	Share in the national GVA for the sector
	(billion EUR)	
Agriculture, Aquaculture and Fishing (A)		100
Manufacturing (C)		100
Construction (F)		100
Wholesale and retail trade; transport; accommodation and food service activities; information and communication (G-J)		100











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### v. Employment – Details by NACE activities (data)

Sector	Employment of coastal regions (thousand) Oct-Dec 2011 (for All Regions)	Share in the national employment for the sector  All in employment : 29,203,000
Agriculture, Aquaculture and Fishing (A)	354	
Manufacturing (C)	2863	
Construction (F)	2165	
Wholesale and retail trade; transport; accommodation and food service activities; information and communication (G-J)	8040 (Wholesale, retail & repair of motor vehicles, Transport & storage, Accommodation and food services, Information & communication	

Source: EMP13: Employment by industry (last updated February 2012) (Excel sheet 151Kb)









