

Safe boating - Buoyage system



Port mark

Keep red 'can' shape on left when going upstream, right downstream. Flashing RED light (if lit).



Starboard mark

Keep green 'cone' shape on right when going upstream, left downstream. Flashing GREEN light (if lit).



Special mark

Keep yellow 'can' on left when going upstream, right downstream. Keep yellow 'cone' on right upstream, left downstream. Flashing YELLOW light (if lit).



Safe water mark

Indicates deep water. Flashing WHITE light (if lit).



Isolated mark

Pass any side but keep well clear. Flashing WHITE light in groups of 2 (if lit).



North cardinal mark

Pass on north side. WHITE light flashing continuously quickly.



South cardinal mark

Pass on south side. WHITE light 6 quick flashes and one long flash.



East cardinal mark

Pass on east side. WHITE light in groups of 3 quick flashes.



West cardinal mark

Pass on west side. WHITE light in groups of 9 quick flashes.