

Persier

50°17.102 N 03°58.116 W

16/10/05, 10:40 – 14-15°C, 1-4m visibility

Sea weed

Brown (Phaeophyta)

None

Red (Rhodophyta)

None

Green (Chlorophyta)

Green seaweed – *Cladophora rupestris* **O**

Sponges

None

Hydroids

None

Anemones and corals

Devonshire cup coral – *Caryophyllia smithii* **C**

Soft corals

Dead men's fingers – *Alcyonium digitatum* **C/O**

Sea fans and sea pens

Pink sea fan – *Eunicella verrucosa* **C** (1 white fan)

Slender sea pen – *Virgularia mirabilis* **O**

Jellyfish

None

Worms

Segmented worm – *Chaetopterus variopedatus* **O**

Barnacles

None

Shrimps and prawns

None

Crabs and lobsters

Velvet swimming crab – *Necora puber* **R**

Common (spiny) spider crab – *Maja squinado* **O**

Edible crab – *Cancer pagurus* **O**

Molluscs

None

Gastropods and bivalves

None

Scallops

None

Nudibranchs

None

Cephalopods (squid, cuttlefish, octopus)

None

Bryozoans

Ross 'coral' – *Pentapora fascialis* R

Starfish and brittlestars

Spiny starfish – *Marthasterias glacialis* C

Common starfish – *Asterias rubens* R/O

Urchins

Edible sea urchin – *Echinus esculentus* C

Sea cucumbers

Cotton spinner – *Holothuria forskali* R/C

Sea squirts

Solitary ascidian – *Ascidia mentula* R

Fishes

Bib (pouting) – *Trisopterus luscus* C

Pollack – *Pollachius pollachius* C

Goldsinny – *Ctenolabrus rupestris* C/O

Ballan wrasse – *Labrus bergylta* R/C

Cuckoo wrasse – *Labrus bimaculatus* (*Labrus mixtus*) O

Conger eel – *Conger conger* R

Dragonet – *Callionymus lyra* O

Tompot blenny – *Parablennius gattorugine* R

Birds and mammals

None

Others

None

Main habitat type

- 1: Sand and gravel, wreckage (dominant)
- 2: Rocky reef, sand and gravel, wreckage
- 3: Sand and gravel, mud, wreckage (dominant)
- 4: Rocky reef, sand and gravel, wreckage

Seabed cover types

- 1: Short animal turf, sediment with life apparent, barren sediment
- 2: Short animal turf
- 3: Animal beds, barren sediment

Anything unusual or noteworthy?

- 1: Pink sea fans
- 3: Pink sea fans
- 4: Prolific fish life at periphery of vision (3m max)

Any litter or man-made objects?

- 1: No
- 3: None visible (apart from the wreck)
- 4: Noted O₂% discarded/lost label