

Marine Planning Sector Constraints Maps

Quick Start Guide

The website will open on the catalogue page for the map. The catalogue page displays information about the map and a preview of the map's contents.

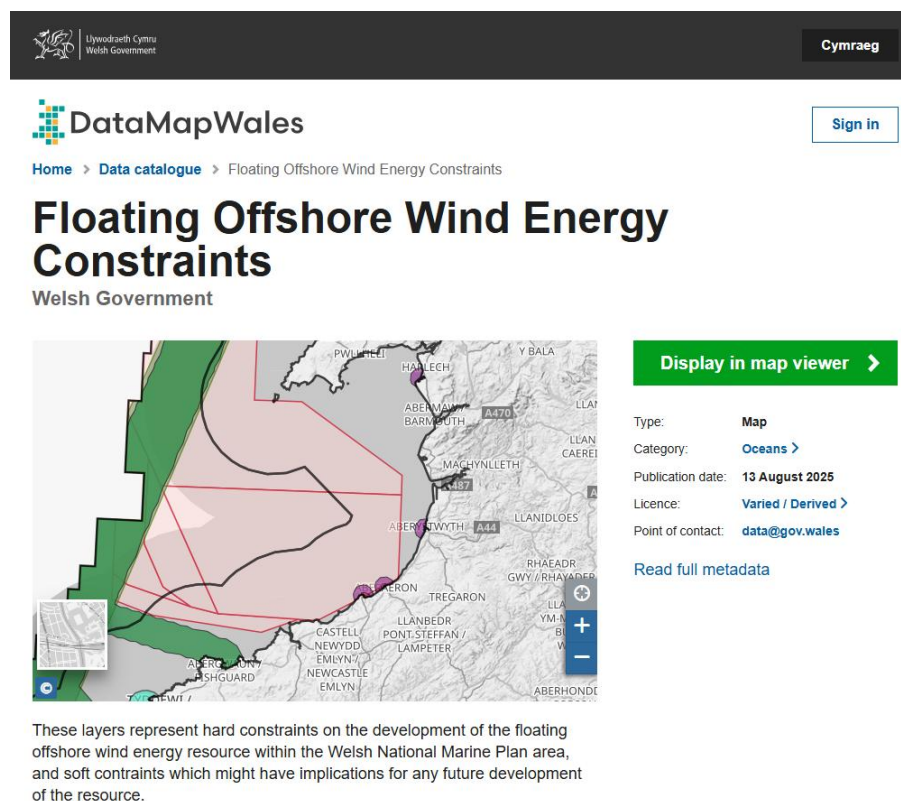


Figure 1: Screenshot of [Floating Offshore Wind Energy Constraints](#) catalogue page. Retrieved 27/08/2025.

Clicking on the “Display in map viewer” button will open the full map.

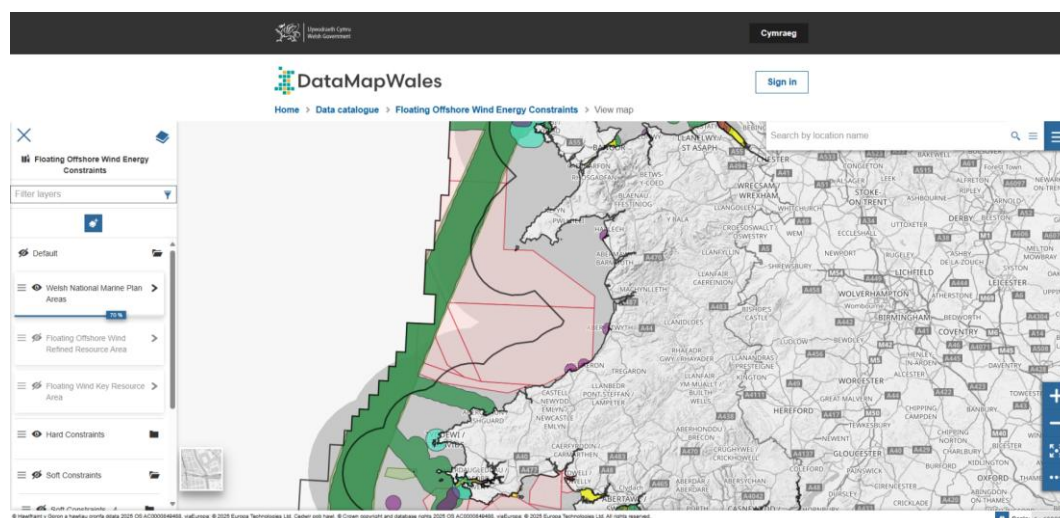


Figure 2: Screenshot of [Floating Offshore Wind Constraints Map View](#). Retrieved 27/08/2025.

Clicking on the “Switch to Full Screen” button on the bottom-right will expand the map to fill the screen.

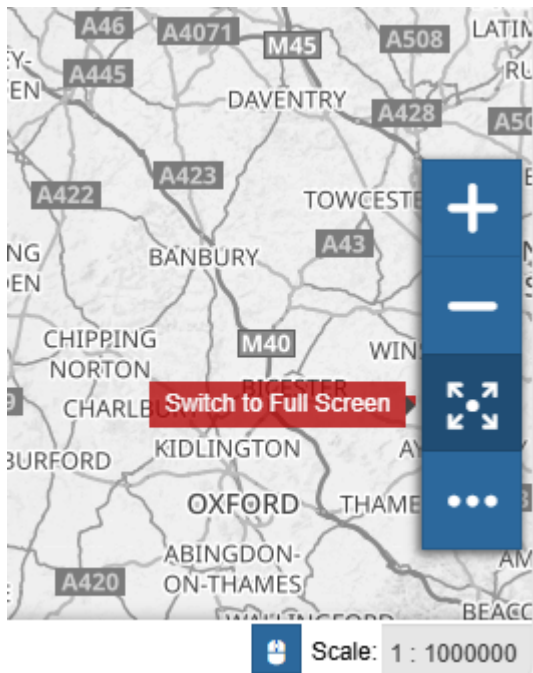


Figure 3: Screenshot of “Switch to Full Screen” button. Retrieved from [Floating Offshore Wind Constraints Map View](#) on 27/08/2025.

The “Toggle layer visibility” button, located to the left of each layer in the table of contents, controls whether a layer is visible on the map. For layer groups, the “Toggle group visibility” button can be used to control the visibility of all layers in the group.

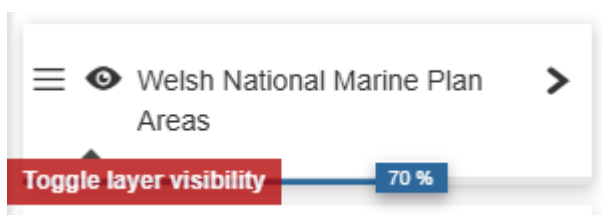


Figure 4: Screenshot of “Toggle layer visibility” button. Retrieved from [Floating Offshore Wind Constraints Map View](#) on 27/08/2025.

The “folder” icon, located to the right of a layer group in the table of contents, will open or close that group.

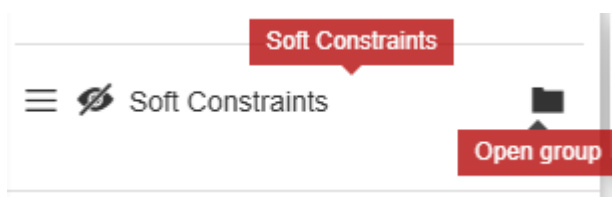


Figure 5: Screenshot of “Open group” button. Retrieved from [Floating Offshore Wind Constraints Map View](#) on 27/08/2025.

To view further information about a layer, click on the layer in the table of contents so that it is highlighted in blue. Then click on the “Go to layer catalogue page” button at the top of the table of contents.

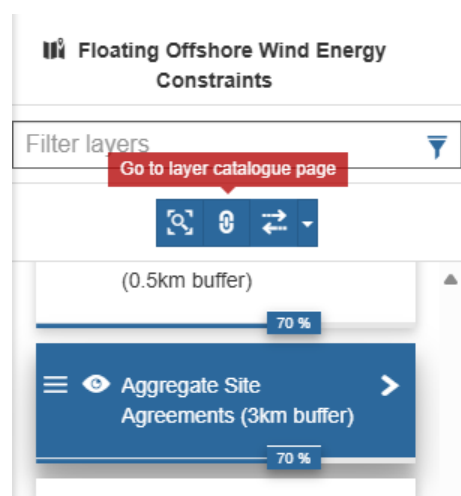


Figure 6: Screenshot of [Floating Offshore Wind Constraints Map View](#) table of contents, showing the selected layer “Aggregate Site Agreements (3km buffer)” highlighted in blue, and the “Go to layer catalogue page” button. Retrieved 27/08/2025.

This opens the DataMapWales catalogue page for that layer, which includes a description of the dataset, a link to the original data source, copyright information and the date the data was last modified.

Aggregate Site Agreements (3km buffer)
Welsh Government

[Display in map viewer](#)

Or display data on an existing map

Type: **Spatial data**
Category: [Oceans](#)
Date modified: **20 May 2025**
Licence: [Not Specified](#)
Point of contact: data@gov.wales
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This dataset represents all current marine aggregates site agreements in English, Welsh and Northern Irish waters. The two types of agreement are 'Production Agreement' and 'Exploration and Option Area'. The boundaries are a true reflection of what has been signed in the Agreements for Lease and Lease documents. Buffered by 3km.

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Figure 7: Screenshot of [Aggregate Site Agreements \(3km buffer\)](#) data catalogue page. Retrieved 27/08/2025.