

## Lights & Buoys

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| <b>Point Robert Lighthouse</b> | Flash every 15 seconds. 65m elevation<br>17 miles range (27Km)<br>Fog signal; 1 blast every 30 seconds. |
| <b>Blanchard Buoy</b>          | v.Qk.FI. (3) every 10 secs. Bell. East Cardinal.  |
| <b>Corbet Du Nez light</b>     | 4 flash White / Red. 15 secs. 14m elevation,<br>8 mile range. Red sector 230° - 057°                    |

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## STRIKING MARKS

**Update:** ALL Charted depths/heights herein are now per **Admiralty 808 shown in red** and differ from the old (Imperial) syllabus.

1. **Le Jolicot.** *Dries 1.9m*

Cross on the point Bélème (Brecqhou) seen through the Pertu.  
Top of the Grande Moie with the Pécheresse.  
(Pertu is the passage between La Grune and Sark Mainland.)

2. **Boue Cricquet.** 1.2m on

Pécheresse in line with Congrière.  
Côtîl du Bisson opening Banquet Point.

3. **Boue du Pignon.** 1.8m on

Moie de Toile with the Fountain of the Eperquerie.  
Banquet Point with Point Robert.

4. **La Grand Boue.** *Dries 0.8m*

Pécheresse in line with the two rocks on the North slope of La Grosse Grune.  
Chapelle aux Mauves opening Banquette Point.  
(note House opening to top of Cliff)

5. **Demie au Couteur.** Half Tide Rock Dries **4.5m**

The highest part of La Grande Moie opening the Land.  
Highest part of Creux Belié Point with the little Fountain.  
(Creux Belié Point is in the middle of Les Fontaines Bay, a long  
fronted sharp edged whitish rock well up from the water. The  
little Fountain is the black shaft behind it).

6. **Le Pavlaison.** *Dries 0.8m*

The Tower of the Fauconnière seen through the Pertu.  
Noire Pierre with the Grève Michelle.  
La Gorge with the top of Grand Moie.

7. **Demie au Broc.** Half Tide rock **Dries 4.9m**

The round Buron seen inside the Grande Moie.  
Bottom of La Gorge with the North end of the Petit Moie.

8. **La Canne.** *Dries 2.4m*

Founiais with Auguets. (Note there are rocks to the South).  
The two Pinions of the Grande Moie in line.  
(Auguets is the East high part of the Burons).

9. **Dodons.** *Dries 1.4m*

Noire Pierre with La Gorge.  
High head of Parquet with ivy patch north of Lighthouse.  
(Parquet is the Chimney rock at North East of Grand Moie).

10. **Boue Jacob.** *Awash*

Pierre du Goulet with La Conchée  
Noire Pierre with La Gorge.

8,9,10 there is dispute over the exact marks of the heads, but the syllabus is  
deemed accurate enough.

11. **Platte Boue.** *Awash*

Founiais with La Conchée.  
La Gorge with The Mer tower at Bec du Nez.

12. **Founiais.** *Dries 6.7m*

Pierre du Goulet with Le Foue du Lâche.  
La Gorge showing outside Grande Moie.

13. **Boue du Founiais.** *0.3m on*

La Conchée just showing inside Les Burons  
Pécheresse seen inside Grande Moie

14. **Boue au Chien.** *1.6m on*

Le Foue du Lâche seen through the Petit Goulet.  
Flag mast with the crack in Maseline.  
(the head is slightly off this mark)  
Bas Crevel with crack north of Dog Cave.  
(Bas Crevel – pointed rock near water south of Lighthouse)

15. **Grune du Nord.** *Dries 3.7m*

East part of L'Etac showing outside the Auguets.  
Pinion (Piquille) of Grande Moie with Moie Navet.  
(Moie Navet is the round green moie just north of the lighthouse)

16. **Boue de la Grune du Nord.** *1.5m on*

L'Etac with La Conchée.  
Pecheresse opening south of La Gorge.

17. **Le Petit Huart.** *4m on*

Creux du Banquette showing inside Grande Moie.  
Pierre des Burons with South side of Petit Derrible. (Below the 'V')  
(Creux du Banquette is a black cave-like rock near Point  
Banquette)

18. **Le Grand Huart.** *2.9m on*

Noire Pierre open of La Gorge.  
La Conchée with Creux au Rouge Terrier .  
(i.e. between Brenière and the land)  
(Creux au Rouge Terrier is the gap between Brenière and the  
land)

19. **Blanchard.** 1.4m on

La Conchée with Convache Chasm.  
Bec du Nez with La Gorge.

20. **Platte Grune.** 2.9m on

The Chimney of the Burons with the shelter of Creux Harbour.  
La Conchée with Moie Fano.  
(Moie Fano is green slope of lower cliff on left of Coupée Beach)

21. **Boue de la Craque.** 2.1m on

The Foue of Moie des Lâches well open to the 'V' of Derrible Point Crack in Derrible Bay with the Vicquet (square rock at Derrible point) (The crack is the long one south of the Square cave in Derrible Bay). East side of the *Taupinon* of the Bourons to the West side of the Chimney. (*Taupiniere*=small/mole hill)

22. **Grosse Gripe.** 1.8m on

Baleine with Tache-à-Copper.  
Conchée with Petit Goulet.  
(Tache-à-Copper -left side of Moie Fano beneath trees in Pot Bay)

23. **Balmée.** *Dries* 6.7m

The Foue of the Burons to the 'V' of Derrible Point.  
Baleine with Coupée Beach.

24. **Demie du Balmée.** *Dries* 3.4m

The Foue of the Burons to the 'V' of Derrible Point.  
Baleine with Mon Trésor.  
(Mon Trésor is grey wedge of rock north of Moie Fano)

25. **Les Vingt Clos:-**

a) **Boue d'Amont** 0.8 on

Conchée to Toupillon of Burons.  
Pigeon Cave N.E. of Baleine.

26. b) **Boue d'Aval** 0.4m on

La Conchée with Chimney of Burons.  
Little Sercul open inside L'Etac.

27. c) **The Vingt Clos** Dries 1.9m

Pierre du Burons just inside the Conchée.  
Pigeon Cave south of Baleine.

28. **Demie of Grand Canne.** Half Tide (4.7m)

Pierre du Cours with the yellow patch in Brenière Bay.  
The Foue of the Burons closed to Derrible.

29. **Boue aux Guernesais.** 5.1m on

Givaude showing on east side of Moie du Viet.  
Pierre du Cours with between the Brenière and the land.

30. **Boue Nègre of Grande Canne.** 3.7m on

Pierre du Cours with Creux au Nègre.  
Moie du Viet forming a 'V' with the Bretagne (to the North).

31. **Boue Tobie.** 2m on

Conchée showing inside Pierre du Cours.  
Petit Baveuse inside of Sercul (north).

32. **Boue Tirlipois.** Dries 1.1m

Pilcher Monument just open to the cliff.  
Northeast end of L'Etac closed outside of Moie de Viet.

33. **Les Hautes Boues.**

a) **Boue du Servois (S.W. Haute Boue)** 0.3m on

Northeast end of l'Etac inside of Grande Bretagne.  
Grande Baveuse with south side Port-és-Sais.

34. b) **Grande Haute Boue.** *Dries 1.9m*

Pointe du Nez (headland, not rocks) with low part of Pointe Bélème on Brecqhou.  
Petit Baveuse with the Bretagne.

35. c) **Boue du Nord-Ouest.** *Dries 1.5m*

Moie du Viet outside Peche Lucas.  
North side of Grande Grève beach with Pointe le Joue.  
(Yellow clay with slope at Pointe le Joue)

36. **Boue au Lieux.** *Awash*

Baveuse with Port-es-Saies Bay.  
Moie du Viet inside Moie de la Bretagne.

37. **Boue de la Baie.** *Awash.*

Hole in Grande Grève Chapelle with Point la Joue.  
East side of Pierre au Normand with crack in Moie du Gouliot.

38. **Le Petit Boue de la Baie.** *UnEx. Dries 0.3m*

East side of Pierre au Normand with crack in Moie du Gouliot.  
Le Noir rock open of Pointe la Joue.

39. **Boue du Pissot.** 3m on

Pierre au Normand with Cave Pêche Nathan.  
(Cave Pêche Nathan – slope of rock on right side of Petit Gouliot).  
Pissot just showing with cliff side.  
(Pissot – dark greenish slope of cliff in Port-és-Sais, always wet looking).

40. **Boue du la Rae.** 1.8m on

St. Martin's Point closed to Brecqhou.  
Les Autelets in the Gouliot.

41. **Boue du Gouliot.** 0.8m on

Creux de la Lâche seen through the Petit Gouliot.

High part of St. Martin's Point with Moie Batard.  
(Creux de la Lâche is bluff of cliff seen just on right of Pilcher's Monument.)

**42. Outer Boue Episseresse. 1.8m on**

Creux Fox with North side of Moie d'Etoile.  
Guillaumesse with Ringe du Platon.  
(Creux Fox is black cave in middle of bay north of Port du Moulin)  
(Moie d'Etoile is square rock in the same bay)  
(Ringe du Platon is Cliff Shaft near Bec du Nez).

**43. Middle Boue Episseresse. 4.6m on**

Guillaumesse with Peche Colin.  
Moie d'Etoile with the corner of cliff at the bottom of Port du Moulin path (South of Creux Fox).

**44. Inner Boue Episseresse. 1.2m on. Chart = 2.6m on but there is an unmarked higher head**

Guillaumesse with middle entrance of Boutique Cave to east.  
Moie d'Etoile with the corner of Cliff at the bottom of Port du Moulin path (South side).

When inside is mentioned this relates to the landward side of the mark.

## CLEARING MARKS

Sark Pilotage 11.23 TH,RL

- 1) **To clear all Boues North of Sark;**  
St. Martin's Point open to Bec du Nez until West of Burons is open to Point Robert.
- 2) **To clear between Moulinet and Jolicot, and inside Pecheresse;**  
West side of Grand Moie forming an **open 'V'** with Banquette Point until clearly passed Moulinez when the 'V' can be closed, until the north face of Noire Pierre is in line with the north face of Petite Moie.
- 3) **To clear La Grande Boue;**  
West side of the Burons open of Point Robert.
- 4) **To Clear dangers under the Lighthouse approaching Maseline from the North**  
Pierre du Goulet ('Pinnacle Rock') appearing just outside Maseline Jetty.
- 5) **To clear outside Huïtrierre;**  
See the East of Les Burons open to Point Robert.
- 6) **To Clear Pavlaison;**  
North – Fauconniere or Corbee du Nez open north of Pecheresse.  
West – Noire Pierre with Chapelle aux Mauves.
- 7) **To clear East of Burons;**  
Keep the Black Cave in the Maseline with the end of the Jetty until La Gorge open east of Grande Moie until L'Etac is open east of La Conchee.
- 8) **To clear Les Quartes des Burons;**  
Keep the Fountain open of Creux Pierheads.
- 9) **To clear all dangers south of Burons en route for Jersey;**  
Grande Moie seen between Les Burons and the land.
- 10) **To clear Grune du Nord;**  
North – La Gorge with Bec du Nez.  
**North - Bec du Nez just open NE of Petit Moie (per 808 chart)**  
West – East side of L'Etac with west side of Burons.
- 11) **To clear Founiais to West (Inside);**  
Keep Noire Pierre open West of Grande Moie.



- 12) **To clear Boue du Founiais;**  
Keep Noire Pierre open East of Grande Moie.
- 13) **To clear Huart eastwards;**  
La Conchée with Baleine.
- 14) **To clear Grosse Gripe;**  
West – La Conchée with east side of Burons.  
South – conspicuous White house (above Dixcart Bay) open south of Point Chateau. (N.B. passes close to Boue de la Craque)
- xx) **To clear between Conchee and the land**  
Taupinon of the Burons in line with the Chimney of the Burons
- 15) **To pass between Baleine and Balme;**  
Keep the chimney of the Burons on the land side of the 'V' of Derrible Point.
- 16) **To clear inside Avocat;**  
See daylight through the hole in Breniere Cave.
- 17) **To clear Breniere;**  
La Conchee open east of Balme.
- 18) **To clear the Vingt Clos;**  
North – Grande Bretagne closed with the land.  
East – West side of Burons well open east of Conchée.  
South – Grande Bretagne with north side of l'Etac.  
West – East side of Burons well open West of Conchée.
- xx) **To clear between L'Etaq and the Vingt Clos;**  
Baleine to the South Side of Dixcart Bay
- 19) **To clear Boue Tobie;**  
La Conchée east of Pierre du Cours.
- 20) **To clear west of Sercul;**  
Brecqhou Castle to Peche Lucas.  
Also to pass West of Tirlipoise keep Gouliot outside of Pêche Lucas.
- 21) **To clear Haute Boues;**  
West – Amphroque open west of Givaude.  
North – Point le Joue in line with south end of La Coupee.  
South – the Northeast of l'Etac open outside of Grande Bretagne.

- 22) **To clear North of Nesté;**  
Moie Mouton north of Moie Batard.
- 23) **To clear all dangers North of the Gouliot;**  
Keep Pêche Lucas in the Gouliot.
- 24) **To clear all dangers adjacent to the South of the Gouliot Passage;**  
Keep Bec du Nez in the centre of the Gouliot Passage.
- xx) **To clear Boue de Grun de Gulliot;**  
South-bound, Little Sark open East of Brechqou  
Northwards, St. Marin's Point open West of Brechqou

**Goulet Passage;** (Governed by Ordinance). All Commercial vessels from the north bound for Creux Harbour are obliged to pass east around the Burons, whilst vessels bound north from Creux Harbour may pass through the Goulet. At low water springs, there is 1.2m water in the Goulet Passage.

**Gouliot Passage:** at low water springs there is 2.6m water in the Gouliot.

### **Anchorage.**

**Greve de la Ville;** 9m – 12m Sand and mud.

**South of the Burons;** 20m – 23m Sand.

Moie Fanou with Derrible Point:  
Pinnacle Rock in line with east side of Grande Moie.

**Baleine Bay;** 9m – 12m Sand.

West side of Burons and Derrible Point in line.  
House in Dixcart Bay with Point Chateau.

**La Grande Greve;** 14m Sand

**Banquette Bay;** 16m – 18m Sand

Little Sark Mill seen through the Gouliot.  
Givaude with Moie Batard.

## North **WEST** of Noir Pierre; 22m - 27m Sand and Gravel

Pècheresse to Grosse Grune  
Noire Pierre to Point Robert.

### Tides around Sark

#### **At the Bec du Nez**

the tide runs to the North East at half flood for 2 hours  
and to the South West for 10 hours.

#### **At the Pècheresse**

The tide runs top the North West at half flood for 3 hours.  
At High water it runs South East for 3 hours.  
To half ebb it runs to the North West for a further 3 hours.  
At low water it then runs South East for 3 hours to half flood.  
i.e. : HW-3hrs SE ; ½ ebb-3hrs NW ; LW-3hrs SE ; ½ flood-3hrs NW

#### **Gouliot and Goulet**

Same as the Deroute but makes a little earlier.  
½ flood to ½ ebb – NE 6 hours ; ½ ebb to ½ flood – SW for 6 hours.

#### **Conchée**

At ½ ebb the tide runs SW for 3 hours and NE for 9hrs.

#### **Pierre du Cour**

At ½ ebb the tide runs SW for 4 hours and NE for 8 hours.

#### **Sercul**

At ½ ebb the tide runs top the SW for 3 hours and 9 hours to the SE, whilst  
to the north of the Sercul it runs towards Brecqhou.

NOTE ; There are counter currents inshore, caused by the volume of water hitting  
various points. These tides can run up to 3 kts.