



# Notice to Mariners

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## Surveyed Depths – Harwich Harbour – Update 5

Mariners are advised of the latest hydrographic surveys showing depths in Harwich Harbour.

The controlling depth for deep draught vessels navigating within the harbour area should currently be taken as **15.4m** below chart datum, plus height of tide.

Significant depths below chart datum (not including inside berth boxes) are:

- 15.4m - spot soundings between the Babergh Buoy and Shotley Spit Buoy
- 15.0m - spot soundings between the Shotley Spit Buoy and Gisle Buoy
- 15.4m - spot soundings between the Gisle Buoy and North West Beach Buoy

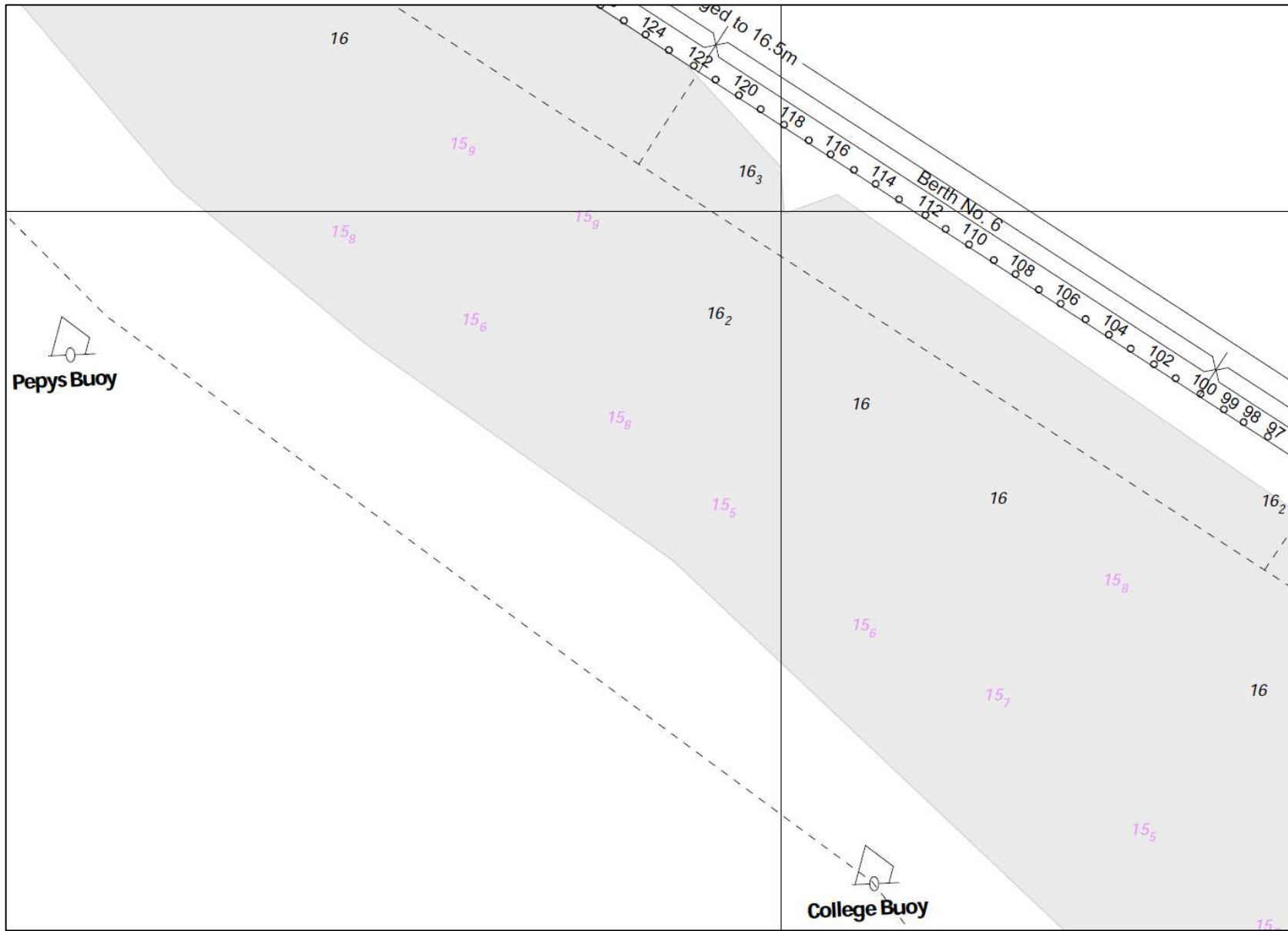
See survey chart extracts below for further information. Please note the grey shaded areas are for internal use purposes only and are not contour lines.

Contact Harwich VTS or Haven Pilots for further information regarding tidal windows.

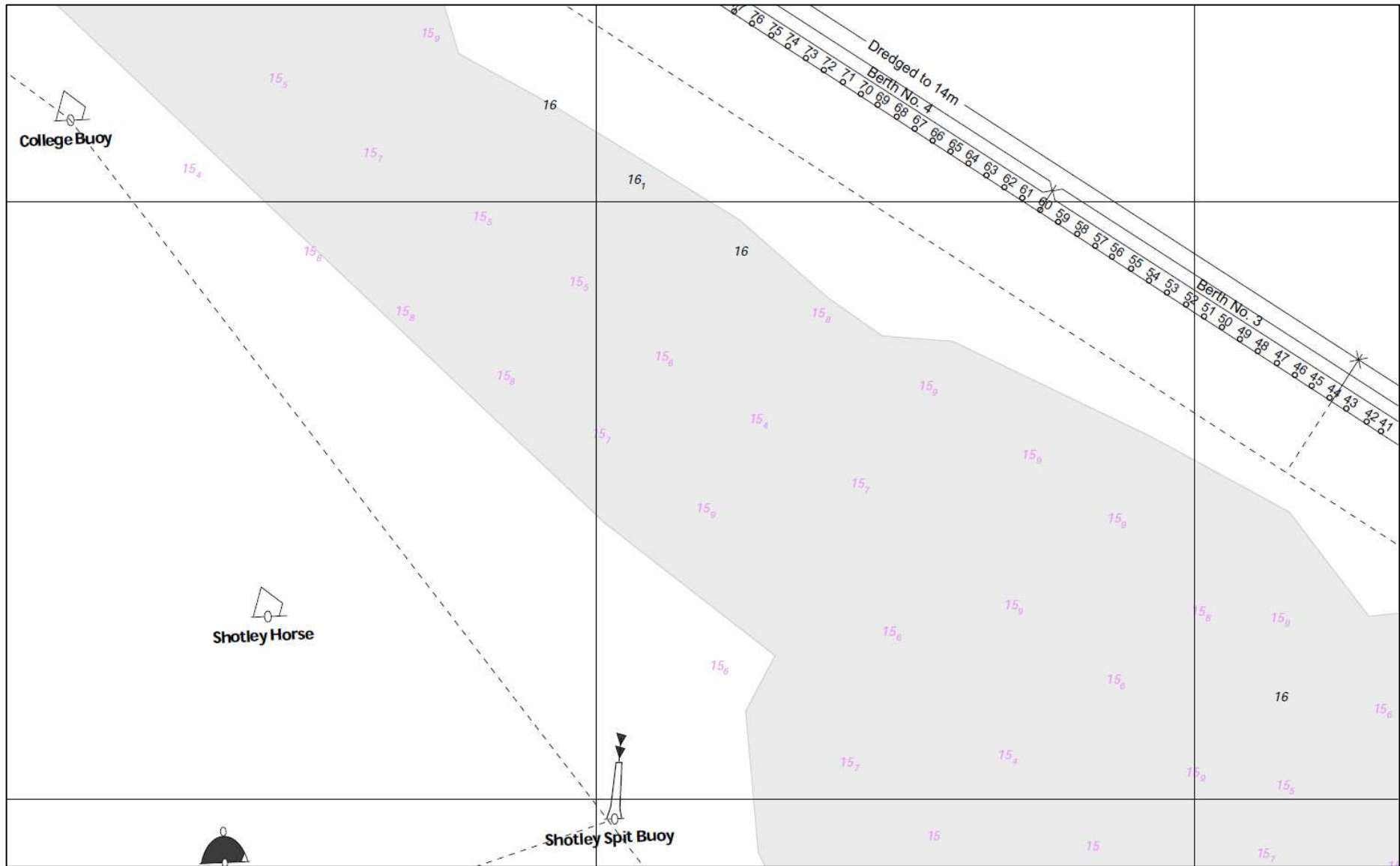
This notice replaces local notice to mariners No. 25 of 2025, which is now withdrawn.

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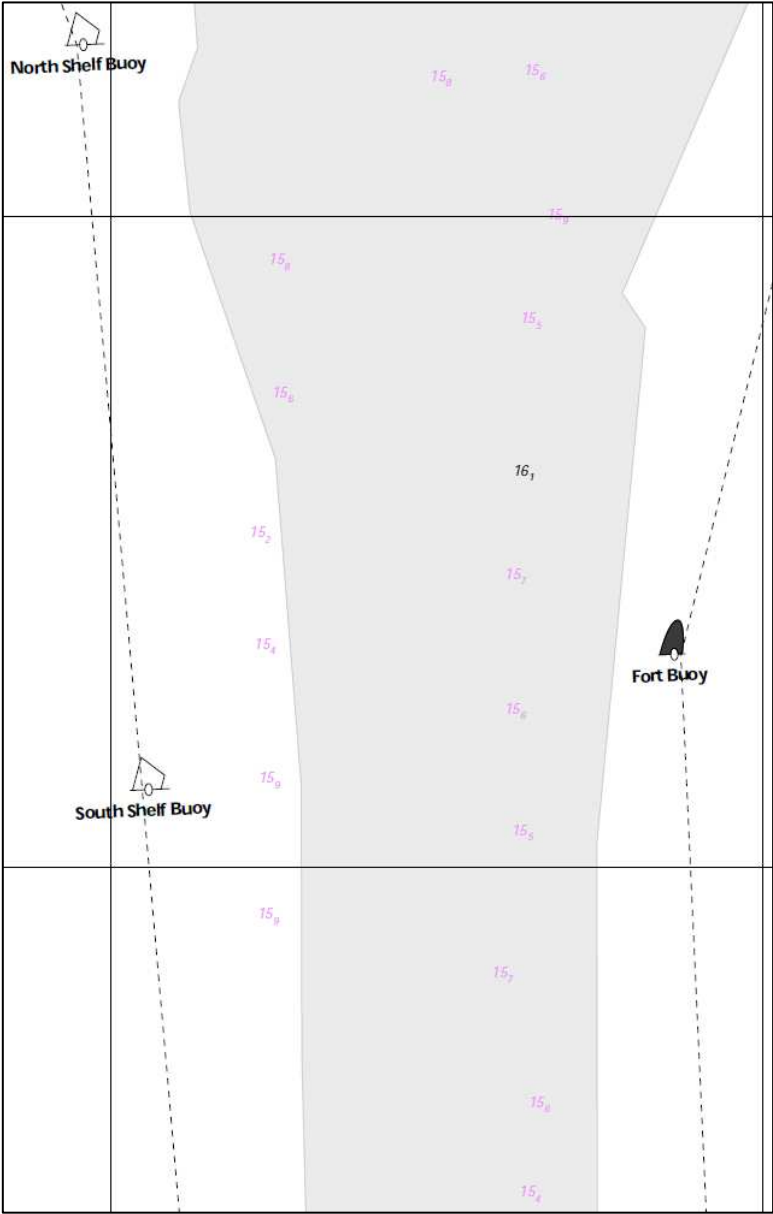
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