

**PRESENTATION OF THE PORT OF SAINT-CAST**



**SAINT-CAST PORT D'ARMOR**

Coordinates : 48°38.4N – 002°14.4W

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## **Site Presentation**

With its 800 places on finger pontoons, a further 180 swinging moorings and an area reserved for fishing boats, Saint Cast Port d'Armor is the Department's response to the lack of pleasure craft spaces in North West Brittany, particularly in the Department of the Côtes d'Armor. The new marina is part of a long term scheme to develop the activities of the Saint-Cast-le-Guildo community.

The deep water port marina of Saint Cast is considered to be one of the best coastal port marinas between Cherbourg and Brest, and the C.C.I. will continue to build on its initial success through its ongoing development programme. The Marina Office is open from 09H00 to 12H00 and 14H00 to 18H00.

Numerous services are available, including English-speaking mooring officers available 7/7 from 08H00 to 21H00 during the season to greet incoming boats and guide them to their berths, fresh water and electricity supplies on the pontoons and collection points for lightly and heavily polluted water. A credit card operated refuelling berth provides a 24 hour service supplying diesel and SP95 petrol.

The new sanitary block is available 24/7 and includes 17 toilet cubicles, 18 well-appointed shower facilities with wet and dry areas and ensuite handbasins. Separate washbasin facilities, including hairdryer and electric razor plug points are available for a quick wash and brush-up. All are fitted with thermostatic taps.

The facility has non-slip tile flooring, underfloor heating, and hot water provided by solar panels. It also has washing machine/dryer facilities and a dishwashing area.

WIFI is available free of charge in the Marina Office.

Grocery orders can be delivered direct to the marina via the Marina Office.

A delightful beachfront promenade now connects the marina to the town.

A careening facility, including a 20T boat hoist, will be available in 2012.

The Saint Cast team is on hand to welcome you and to assist you with all your requirements during your call in the port. They can provide you with all the information you need to enjoy your time with us and enable you to profit from the many things to do and see in Saint Cast. Ideally situated between the towering cliffs of Cap Fréhel and the Corsair City of Saint Malo, the peninsula is a delightful mixture of fine sandy beaches, hidden coves and breathtaking countryside.

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## **Navigation**

### **Approach**

The port of Saint Cast is situated to the South East of Saint Cast Point, overlooked by a signal station and flanked by rocks 500 metres to the North East.

It is not advisable to pass between the Point and the Bourdinots Shelf, uncovered rocks (2 metres) situated  $\frac{3}{4}$  of a mile to the North East of the Point, and signalled to the North East by a Cardinal East buoy. It is preferable to leave the Shelf to the East before heading to the entrance of the channel to the port.

### **Access**

The access channel runs parallel to the extended breakwater. On rounding the head of the breakwater the port entrance is situated between the Bec Rond Rock (+5 metres) and the La Feuillade Rock.

To the East, a pontoon for fishing boats and three pontoons for large pleasure craft run perpendicular to the quay where the port is dredged to a depth of 2.25 metres below chart datum.

To the West, five pontoons, with a depth of 1.25 metres below chart datum, run parallel to the Vallets shore platform.

## **Access cont/.**

Pontoon breakwaters, linked to the shore by a footbridge, protect the port to the South West. A 5 metre high windbreak is also situated to the South West of the port. The port is accessible whatever the tide, with a depth of 2 metres below chart datum.

## **Distances**

Saint-Brieuc : 25 Miles

Saint-Malo : 10 Miles

Cap Fréhel : 4 Miles

Les Bourdinots : 1 Mile to the North East of the port

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## **Channel and entry lights** (*Information : Phares et Balises*)

- Port Breakwater Light : iso.white.green. (4s), Visible white 9M, green 6M

Position (WGS84) : 48°38.417N – 002°14.570W.

- Starboard Channel Buoy N°1 : Starboard buoy, green light flashing every 2.5s – visible 2M

Position (WGS84) : 48°38.271N – 002°14.570W.

- Port Channel Buoy N°2 : Port buoy, red light flashing every 2.5s – visible 2M

Position (WGS84) : 48°38.300N – 002°14.470W.

- Starboard Channel Buoy N°3 : Starboard buoy, green light flashing twice every 6s – visible 2M

Position (WGS84) : 48°38.235N – 002°14.687W.

- Port Channel Buoy N°4 : Port buoy, red light flashing twice every 6s – visible 2M

Position (WGS84) : 48°38.209N – 002°14.698W

- A Port Light is sited at the end of the new mole. It shows a green light flashing 3 times every 12 seconds – visible 4M

Position (WGS84) : 48 38,281 N - 002 14,700 W

- A Port Light, the « La FEUILLADE » Light, is now sited at the end of the breakwater pontoons, flashing 3 times every 12 seconds

Position (WGS84): 48 38,297 N - 002 14,557 W

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## **General Information**

Marina Opening Hours : Season : 7am to 9pm / Off season : 9am to midday – 2pm to 6pm

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## **Equipment**

Pontoons : 800 places on finger pontoons

Swinging moorings : 180 places (120 drying out and 60 afloat)

Visitors : 40 places on finger pontoons / 10 places afloat on swinging moorings

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## Services

Welcoming service afloat for incoming boats

Fresh water and electricity points on pontoons.

Sanitary block : 24h/24h access via Digicode, with 17 WC – 18 Showers – Dish washing facilities – Washing machines/dryers

Wifi in the Marina Office

Daily weather forecasts posted in the Marina Office throughout the year.

Fuel pontoon (diesel and SP95 petrol) accessible 24h/24h (credit card payment only).

Heavily and lightly polluted water disposal facilities.

Boat service to/from the swinging moorings available daily from July 1<sup>st</sup> to August 31<sup>st</sup>, 7am to 9pm.

Waste disposal points for sorted waste – Port waste disposal area

Launching slips – Trailer park, fee paying from July 1st to August 31st.

Overwintering afloat – Caretaking service afloat

Boat handling : Private cranes, 10t and 12t

Boat lifting dock with 20t boathoist and careening area in preparation (available from **2012**)

Mast stepping/destepping/lifting davit, 2.5t, in preparation (available **end 2011**)

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## Useful numbers

Maritime Authority Saint-Brieuc : +33(0)2 96 68 30 70

Maritime Authority Saint-Malo : +33(0)2 99 40 68 30

Customs Saint-Brieuc : +33(0)2 96 33 13 83

Customs Saint-Malo : +33(0)2 99 81 65 90

Signal Station Saint-Cast : +33(0)2 96 41 85 30

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SNSM St-Cast: +33(0)2 96 41 76 61

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Tourism Office : +33(0)2 96 41 81 52

Nautical Centre : +33(0)2 96 41 86 42

Saint-Cast Yacht Club : +33(0)2 96 41 71 71

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# Port Map

