

The Technicolour Nurdle Hunt Results!

A massive thank you to all our volunteers who took part in the Great Technicolour Nurdle Hunt! The results show the continued prevalence of nurdles across the UK coastline and give a snapshot of the different colours being found around the our beaches.



Hunt Stats:

- Over **85** nurdle hunts
- **4545** minutes of nurdling

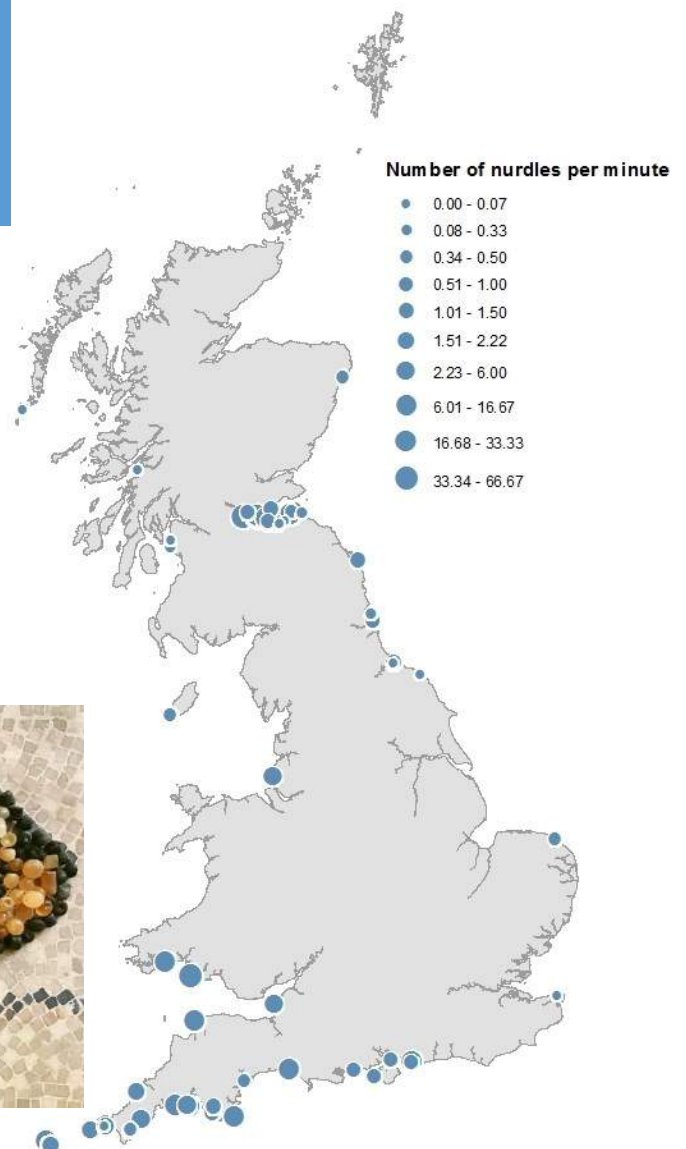
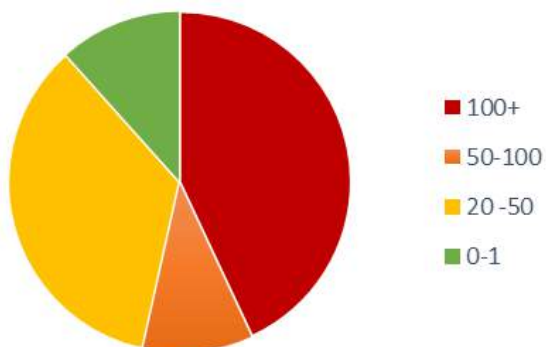
Nurdle stats:

- 93% of hunts found more than one nurdle
- 43% of hunts found over 100 nurdles
- Most nurdles collected in South Queensferry, Scotland . Over 450000 nurdles were collected (9.35kg) which equals 833 plastic bottles



Representatives from Fidra and MCS with Douglas Chapman MP

Graph showing proportion of nurdles found

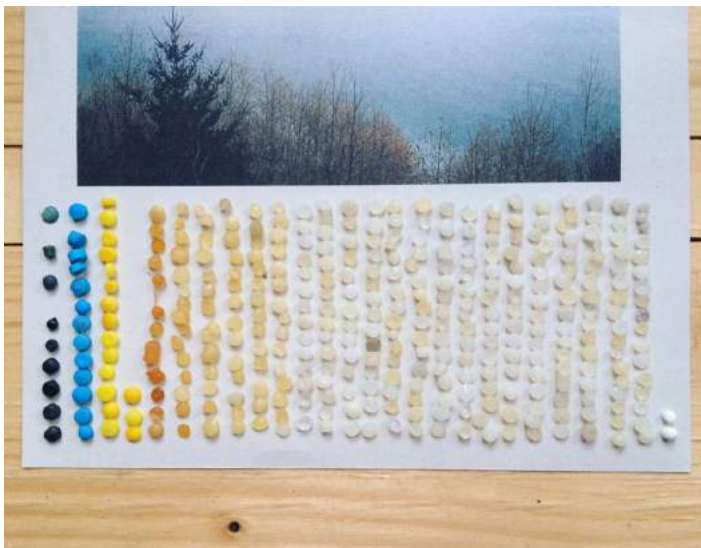
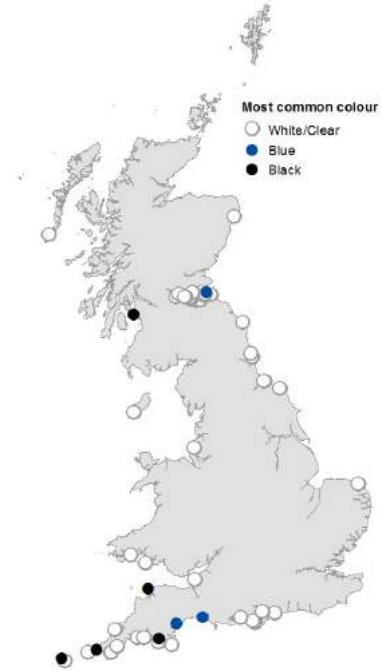


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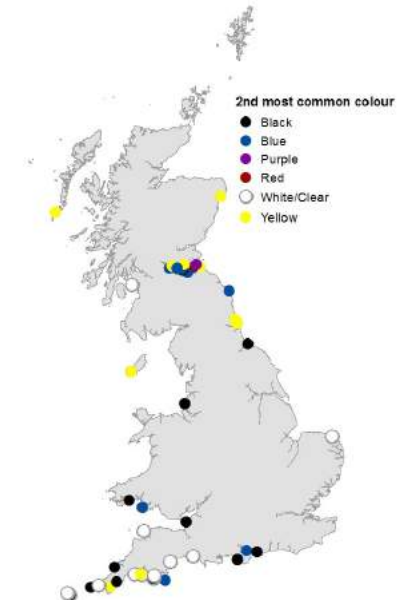
The Colours

- It is no surprise that the most common colour found is not technically a colour at all; white or clear nurdles were found right across the UK coastline. In fact, in 90% of the hunts carried out white/clear was the most common nurdle "colour."
- Although black was the second most common "colour" (yes we know it's a tone) and yellow the third, there were regional differences with black nurdles being more common in the South West and blue and yellow ones more common around the Firth of the Forth. Purple and orange nurdles were also more common in the South West.

Maps showing first second and third most common nurdle colours found during the nurdle hunt across the UK



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Maps showing regional differences in nurdle colours found between South West England and the Firth of the Forth

