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**Clandestine Threat Command SITREP 08:00**

Staff attending under OP Altair Level 1

\*\*\* The information below may be subject to change as operational events unfold \*\*\*

12:00 Report to follow

Silver Commander: Michael Thompson **Personal** 874

CTC Duty Manager: **Name** **Personal** 295

Operational Room Co-ordinator: **Name** **Personal** 213

**Local Weather Forecast (Met Report) as of 23/11/21:**

Date and time	Minimum Feels like Temp (C)	Small boat launching conditions at 00UTC			Likelihood of crossing attempts due to weather
		Western Beaches	Central Beaches	Northeast Beaches	
22UTC Tuesday, 23 November to 06UTC Wednesday, 24 November	2	Favourable	Marginal	Unfavourable	Likely

From 23/11/21, marginal crossing conditions are likely to persist through the afternoon and into the evening as a moderate north-northeast wind with a long fetch over the North Sea drives significant wave heights of 0.7-0.9M in the Channel. The wind is likely to quickly become light and in response the waves are likely to gradually ease as the night progresses. Due to easterly component of the wind, south of Cap Gris Nez favourable launch conditions are likely throughout the night. Patchy cloud is likely through the night, perhaps thick enough on the French side to produce some patches of light rain. From 2100 UTC, the gradual easing of the winds is likely to allow a gradual easing of wave heights. Favourable conditions are likely to spread further offshore in the south. From midnight, favourable conditions are likely to increasing spread across the south of the Channel as the wind becomes light and variable through most areas. A residual swell is likely to maintain marginal conditions in the north and unfavourable launch conditions from north facing beaches are likely to persist. As the wind becomes light there is an increasing risk of mist or fog developing in Kent and Sussex. This is unlikely to form over the sea. Windy.com is very similar throughout.

**BBC Weather for Dover:**

0800 **Thick cloud and light winds**

Humidity **100%**  
 Pressure **1025 mb**  
 Visibility **Good**

**4°**  
 Temperature feels like **2°**

**9%**  
 Low chance of precipitation

**7**  
 Light winds from the north north west

**BBC Weather for Calais:**

0900 **Thick cloud and light winds**

Humidity **99%**  
 Pressure **1025 mb**  
 Visibility **Moderate**

**5°**  
 Temperature feels like **5°**

**3%**  
 Low chance of precipitation

**3**  
 Light winds from the south south east

Maritime & Aerial Assets:

Maritime	Location [Tide Times]	Deployment Time	Deployment Strategy
VALIANT	Dover [Primary Responder]	Standby [DRORA in place/weather limitations]	REACTIVE (Offshore patrols)
HUNTER	Dover	Standby	REACTIVE (Offshore patrols)
HURRICANE	Ramsgate	0600hrs	REACTIVE (Offshore Patrols)
SAFEGUARD	Dover	0630hrs	REACTIVE (Inshore patrols)
JUN05	Dover	Available from 0700hrs [restricted hours]	REACTIVE (Inshore patrols)
JUN06	Dover	Available from 0700hrs [restricted hours]	REACTIVE (Inshore patrols)
ATHENA	Dover	Unavailable	REACTIVE (Inshore patrols)
ARTEMIS	Dover	0730hrs	REACTIVE (Inshore patrols)
Aerial	Location	Deployment Time	Deployment Strategy
MCGA Fixed Wing	Doncaster	Multiple Aircraft [Coverage 2200hrs – 0745hrs] On call thereafter	PROACTIVE (Surveillance)
TEKEVER AR3	Lydd	0530hrs – 1330hrs	PROACTIVE (Surveillance)
TEKEVER AR5	Lydd	Unavailable	PROACTIVE (Surveillance)
Shoreside	Location	Deployment Time	Deployment Strategy
MCC	Portsmouth	24/7	Command & Control
MCGA LO	Dover	Unavailable [Contact MCC]	Command & Control (Liaison)

AR5: On Rest Back online for Op DEVERAN Tomorrow 25th Nov.

AR3: ETD 0600UTC, looking to land early due to inbound rain ETA 1000-1200UTC.

**Live events (Ongoing and Closed):**

Date 24/11/2021	Events	Subjects	Notes
UK Confirmed Arrivals/Recovered on BF vessels	3	98	
French Confirmed Interceptions at Sea and Beach Detections	9	235+	
Ongoing/Unconfirmed	2	102+	
<b>Total No. of Reported Events (Confirmed/Unconfirmed)</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>372+</b>	
Total UK Confirmed for this Month (excluding above)	188	TBC	Once the final figure for events on 16/11/21 has been reconciled, the total number of arrivals for November to date will be confirmed. The total up to 15/11/21 was 3940.

**UK Confirmed Events (Ongoing and Closed):**

Event 1 M957	Total No.	Adult Male	Adult Female	Minor Male	Minor Female	No. Family	UASC Male	UASC Female	Nationality Count
	35								
No asset with event. Believed to already be in UK waters. Valiant called. Valiant attending. ETA 1 hr to location. Now a Mayday. <b>Vessel found and Valiant embarked a number of migrants.</b>									
Event 2 M958	Total No.	Adult Male	Adult Female	Minor Male	Minor Female	No. Family	UASC Male	UASC Female	Nationality Count
	31								
<b>NFD. Inflatable. Valiant has recovered migrants</b>									

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Event 3 M959	Total No.	Adult Male	Adult Female	Minor Male	Minor Female	No. Family	UASC Male	UASC Female	Nationality Count
	32								

999 call. Black vessel. Valiant has recovered migrants

### French Confirmed Events (Ongoing and Closed):

REF	No. boats	No. People	Initial information and updates (indicate updates using UPDATE after initial text and before new text)
D	1	30	With Flamant. Inflatable
L	1	40	Black vessel. Flamant with vessel.
M	1	TBC	With Flamant
Q	1	TBC	Dark Grey
CLOSED			
CCIC/21/3657	0	60	<b>Event occurred 23/11/21 – Reported 24/11/21</b> At 20:00 as part of the surveillance system set up by the SND to combat cross-Channel traffic, the UCL crew spotted migrants on the edge of the dunes on the beach at Malo-les-Bains. A reconnaissance was carried out and a large group of migrants was discovered using thermal vision equipment in the dunes. This was invested with the other crews of the agglomeration and approximately 60 migrants, all male and of Middle Eastern origin, were put to flight. 3 petrol cans were found nearby.
CCIC/21/3660	1	15	<b>Event occurred 23/11/21 – Reported 24/11/21</b> At 22:24, on the beach at Wissant, the gendarmes recovered 15 migrants who were returning with a boat at sea that was having difficulty starting the engine. The pompiers took charge of the individuals.
CCIC/21/3661	1	40	<b>Event occurred 23/11/21 – Reported 24/11/21</b> At 22:30 as part of the surveillance system set up by the SND to combat cross-Channel traffic, an officer from the Gravelines subdivision police rescue team on a surveillance point on the towpath at Loon-Plage noticed a group of 40 migrants making their way through the dunes towards the canal. He was guiding the UCL Lille crew, who managed to stop the RHIB-type boat of approximately 8 metres in length, equipped with its engine, from being launched. The equipment was quickly neutralised on the spot, as the migrants were 'vindictive', and the officials left the scene as no reinforcements were available.
CCIC/21/3662	1	20	At 02:15, police officers from the CSP Calais prevented a boat from leaving at the Salines beach in Sangatte. The 20 migrants fled, taking with them all the nautical equipment except for 2 life jackets, which were recovered by the police officers and handed over to the Calais police station.
CCIC/21/3663	1	30	At 03:30, police officers from the Calais CSP stopped a boat from leaving at 1096 route departmental in Sangatte. The 30 migrants fled, taking with them all the nautical equipment except for 6 paddles, which were recovered by the police and handed over to the Calais CSP.

**Unconfirmed/Duplications/Errors:**

REF	No. boats	No. People	Details
A			<del>Duplicate of F. CLOSED</del>
B			<del>Duplicate of C. CLOSED</del>
F			<del>Duplicate of A. CLOSED</del>
G			<del>No incident – CLOSED by MCGA</del>
H	1	40	Semi rigid, grey. Ongoing.
I			<del>Duplicate of C. CLOSED</del>
J			<del>Duplicate of L. CLOSED</del>
K	1	TBC	Call to Police. Ongoing.
O	1	32	<del>Duplicate of N. CLOSED</del>

**FR Confirmed Land and Material Finds:**

Date 24/11/2021	Events	Subjects	Notes
French Land and Material Finds today	3	43	<b>Events occurred 23/11/21 – Reported late 23/11/21, missed reporting deadline or this morning, 24/11/21.</b>
Total French Land and Material Finds for the past 7 Days Sunday 21/11/21 – Saturday 27/11/2021 (excluding above)	2	2	

REF	No. boats	No. People	Initial information and updates (indicate updates using UPDATE after initial text and before new text)
CCIC/21/3650	1	0	<b>Event occurred 23/11/21 – Reported late 23/11/21, missed reporting deadline.</b> At 0900, the staff of the DDSP 62 discovered an 8m inflatable at Slack Beach, in Wimereux.
CCIC/21/3658	1	2	<b>Event occurred 23/11/21 – Reported 24/11/21</b> At 20:40, while on a control mission at the Moères area on the edge of the A16 motorway in the municipality of Ghyvelde (59) in the Belgium-France direction, police officers from the USG Dunkerque of the DIDPAF Calais carried out a control of a Chrysler Grand Voyager vehicle registered in Germany, ridden by two individuals of German nationality. The vehicle contained: a Zodiac-type inflatable boat, an engine, a feeder tank and a blue lifejacket.
CCIC/21/3659	1	41	<b>Event occurred 23/11/21 – Reported 24/11/21</b>

			At 20:45, a crew from BMRZ 59 advised the SND that a Mercedes Sprinter van, whose driver had taken on 40 migrants, was heading towards Rue de l'aven in Loon-plage. A vehicle interception device (use of the DIVA) was then put in place but the driver refused to stop, causing the 2 left wheels to be punctured. The vehicle was abandoned in the middle of the roundabout at exit 54 of the A16 motorway at Loon-plage, and some of the migrants fled with the driver into the wooded areas along the motorway. The other migrants forming families, most of them wearing life jackets, were placed in a secure area and then returned to the Grande-Synthe camp by their own means.

**FR interdiction % totals for previous day:**

Date 23/11/2021			
Previous Day % French Preventions	0%	Monthly Total French % Preventions (All FR activity)	0%

*Caveat: These % represent live operational data which are liable to change subject to any late reporting*