

CHINA-BO HAI AND YELLOW SEA

BOHAI HAIXIA

DEPTHS IN METRES

SCALE 1:150 000 at lat 38°11'

Depths are in metres and are reduced to Chart Datum, which is approximately the level of Lowest Astronomical Tide.

Heights are in metres. Underlined figures are drying heights above Chart Datum. All other heights are above Mean High Water Springs.

Positions are referred to the WGS84 compatible datum, China Geodetic Coordinate System 2000 Datum.

Navigational marks: IALA Maritime Buoyage System - Region A (Red to port).

Projection: Mercator.

Sources: See Source Diagram. Later information has also been

included.

MARINE FARMS

Numerous marine farms exist within the area of this chart, not all of which are shown. They may be floating or fixed structures and are generally marked by buoys or beacons, which may be lit. Fishing within 100 metres or navigating within 20 metres is prohibited.

WRECKS AND OBSTRUCTIONS

Within the areas covered by larger scale charts, wrecks and obstructions are not shown inside the coastal 10 metre depth contour. For details of these wrecks and obstructions see the appropriate larger scale ADMIRALTY charts.

PIPELINES

Mariners are advised not to anchor or trawl in the vicinity of pipelines.

PASSAGE – BOHAI HAIXIA AND MIAODAO QUNDAO

Laotieshan Shuidao (38°30'N 121°12'E), Changshan Shuidao (38°01'N 120°45'E) and Miaodao Haixia (Dengzhou Shuidao) (37°52'N 120°40'E) are the only channels through Bohai Haixia where passage is permitted. Only vessels of 200gt or less are permitted to use Miaodao Haixia (Dengzhou Shuidao). For further details, see ADMIRALTY Sailing Directions. Attention is drawn to the comments on Laws and Regulations Appertaining to Navigation in The Mariner's Handbook and ADMIRALTY Sailing Directions.

AUTOMATIC IDENTIFICATION SYSTEMS

AIS transmitters on aids to navigation are not shown on this chart. V-AIS will be shown. For details, see ADMIRALTY List of Radio Signals.