				Major light, minor light light, lighthouse	*	Lt Lt Ho	♦• ★•
2	■ PLATFORM (lighted)		•	Lighted offshore platform	•		
;	o (lighted)	A BY	1	Lighted beacon tower	i di By	⊅ Bn Tr	
		P P	\	Lighted beacon	A E	AB Bn	
,	o Art	R	•	Articulated light Buoyant beacon, resilient beacon	□ ★R	⊅ Bn	
6		*		Light vessel; Lightship Normally manned light-vessel	<i>5</i>		*
,		-		Unmanned light-vessel; light float			8 _{FLOAT}
3	4			LANBY, superbuoy as navigational aid			

Lig	ht Charact	ers							
Ligh	nt Characters	on Light Buoys	→ Q						
	Abbreviation		Class of light	Illustration Period shown					
	International	National	J	T GIOG SHOW!					
10.1	F	F	Fixed		F				
	Occulting (to	Occulting (total duration of light longer than total duration of darkness)							
	Ос	Oc	Single-occulting		Oc.				
10.2	Oc(2) Example	Oc (2)	Group-occulting		Oc (2)				
	Oc(2+3) Example	Oc(2+3)	Composite group-occulting		Oc(2+3)				
	Isophase (du	ration of light and dark	kness equal)		,				
10.3	Iso	Iso	Isophase		Iso or or or				
	Flashing (tota	al duration of light sho	rter than total duration of darknes	ss)					
	FI	FI	Single-flashing	A A A	FI				
10.4	FI(3) Example	FI (3)	Group-flashing		رس کی Ll (3)				
	FI(2+1) Example	FI (2+1)	Composite group-flashing		FI (2+1)				
10.5	LFI	LFI	Long-flashing (flash 2s or longer)		دررري F EI				
	Quick (repetition rate of 50 to 79 – usually either 50 or 60 – flashes per minute)								
	Q	Q	Continuous quick		Munimum O				
10.6	Q(3) Example	Q(3)	Group quick						
	IQ	IQ	Interrupted quick		IO IO				

	Abbreviation		Cla	nee of light	Illustration	Paria	d ahaum Lawa			
	Internation	International National		- Ula	Class of light Illustration Period shown					
	Very qui	ck (repe	etition	rate of 80 to	159 – usuali	y either 100 or 120 -	- flashes per min)			
	VQ		V	Q	Continuou	Continuous very quick		*********	Manananilli VO	
10.7	VQ(3) Example		٧	'Q (3)	Group ver	Group very quick		444	444 444	
	IVQ		Ŋ	VQ	Interrupte	d very quick	111111111111	11111111	****	
	Ultra quic	ck (repe	tition	rate of 160 o	r more – usu	ally 240 to 300 - fla	shes per min)			
10.0	UQ		U	Q	Continuou	us ultra quick	шиновинациинации	accessories de la contraction de la co	initanananananananananananananananananan	
10.8	IUQ		IL	JQ	Interrupte	d ultra quick	mannanaanhannaa amusamaanaa			
10.9	Mo (A) Example	Mo (A) Morse Code		ode	-					
10.10	FFI		F	FI	Fixed and	f flashing				FFI
10.11	AI.WR		Al	IWR	Alternatir	ng	R W	R W	R W	AIWR
Cold	ors of L	ights								
11.1	W			w		White (only on sector- and alternating lights)			Colors of lights s	
11.2	R			R		Red			on standard ci	iai is
11.3	G			G		Green				
11.4	Bu			Bu		Blue			on multicolored c	harts
11.5	Vi			Vi	Violet			•	Y Y	• •
11.6	Υ			Υ	Yellow				00 5-10-1	and at
11.7	Y	Or		Y	Or	Orange			on multicolored cl sector lights	naris at
11.8	Υ	Am		Y	Am	Amber				

Pe	Period							
12	90s	Period in seconds		90s				
Ele	Elevation							
Plar	ne of Reference for	Heights → H		Tidal Levels → H				
13	12m 36ft		Elevation of light given in meters or feet	12m				
Rai	nge							
Note	: Charted ranges are no	ominal ranges given in I	Nautical miles					
	15M	15M	Light with single range	15M				
14	10M	15/10M	Light with two different ranges NOS: only lesser of two ranges is charted	15/10M				
	7M	15-7M	Light with three or more ranges NOS: only least of three ranges is charted	15-7M				
Dis	Disposition							
15		(hor)	horizontally disposed	(hor)				
10		(vert)	vertically disposed	(vert)				

Exa	Example of a full Light Description								
	•	Name P FI (3) WRG 15s 21ft 11M FI (3) WRG 15s 21m 15-11M-NIMA		Name FI(3)WRG.15s 21m 15-11M					
	FI(3)	Class of light: group flashing repeating a group of three flashes	FI(3)	Class of light: group flashing repeating a group of three flashes					
16	WRG	Colors: white, red, green, exhibiting the different colors in defined sectors	WRG	Colors: white, red, green, exhibiting the different colors in defined sectors					
10	158	Period: the time taken to exhibit one full sequence of 3 flashes and eclipses: 15 seconds	15s	Period: the time taken to exhibit one full sequence of 3 flashes and eclipses: 15 seconds					
	21ft } 21m}	Elevation of focal plane above datum: 21 feet or 21 meters	21m	Elevation of focal plane above datum: 21 meters					
	11M 15-11M	Nominal range NIMA: white 15M, green 11M, red between 15 and 11M.	15-11M	Nominal range: while 15 M, green 11 M, red between 15 and 11 M					

Lig	Lights Marking Fairways						
Lea	ading Lights and Lights in Line	9					
20.1	Lts in line 270°	Leading lights with leading line (firm line is fairway) and arcs of visibility Bearing given in degrees and tenths of a degree	Name Oc.3s 8m 12M Name Oc.6s 24m 15M				
20.2		Leading lights ‡: any two objects in line Bearing given in degrees and minutes	Oc. As 12M Oc. R & Oc ≠ 269°18'				
20.3	F Bu,	Leading lights on small-scale charts	Ldg Oc.R & F.R *				
21		Lights in line, marking the sides of a channel	270° 2 FI.R				
22		Rear or upper light	Rear Lt or Upper Lt				
23		Front or lower light	Front Lt or Lower Lt				
Dire	ection Lights						
30.1	OBAREN AND AND AND AND AND AND AND AND AND AN	Direction light with narrow sector and course to be followed, flanked by darkness or unintensified light	FI(2) 5s 10m 11M				
30.2		Direction light with course to be followed, uncharted sector is flanked by darkness or unintensified light	Oc. 12s 6M Dir 255.5° FI(2) 5s 11M				
30.3		Direction light with narrow fairway sector flanked by sectors of different character	Oc.W.4s Dir WRG. AIWR				
31		Moiré effect light (day and night) Arrows show when course alteration needed	▲ o. Dir				
Note	: Quoted bearings are always from seawa	ard.	'				

Sec	Sector Lights						
40		Sector light on standard charts	FI.WRG 4s 21m				
41.1		Sector lights on standard charts, the white sector limits marking the sides of the fairway	Oc.WRG. 10-6M' Oc.W Oc.G				
41.2		Sector lights on multicoloured charts, the white sector limits marking the sides of the fairway	Oc.WRG. 10-6M Oc.R Oc.R Oc.W Oc.G				
42	RED	Main light visible all-round with red subsidiary light seen over danger	F.R.55m 12M				
43	OBSC	All-round light with obscured sector	FI.5s 41m 30M				
44		Light with arc of visibility deliberately restricted	Iso.WRG				
45		Light with faint sector	Q.14m 5M				
46		Light with intensified sector	Oc.R.8s 7M A Intens A. Oc.R.8s				

Ligi	ights with limited Times of Exhibition							
50	Occas	FR (occas)	Lights exhibited only when specially needed (for fishing vessels, ferries) and some private lights	r.R. (occas)				
51		F Bu 9m 6M • (F by day)	Daytime light (charted only where the character shown by day differs from that shown at night)	FI.10s 40m 27M ★ (F.37m 11M Day)				
52			Fog light (exhibited only in fog, or character changes in fog)	Name ☆ Q.WRG.5m 10-3M FI.5S (in fog)				
53			Unwatched (unmanned) light with no standby or emergency arrangements	∳ FI.5s (U)				
54			Temporary	(temp)				
55			Extinguished	(exting)				
Spe	ecial Lights							
Flare	e Stack (at Sea)	→ L	Flare Stack (on Land) $ ightarrow$ E	Signa	l Stations → T			
60	. AERO	AERO AI WG 7½s 108m 13M	Aero light	차 Aero Al.Fl.WG.7.5s 11M	↑ ★ AERO			
61.1		AERO FR 77m 11M	Air obstruction light of high intensity	Aero F.R.313m 11M ** RADIO MAST (353)				
61.2		⊙ TR (R Lts)	Air obstruction lights of low intensity	(89) Å. (R Lts)				
62		Fog Det Lt	Fog detector light	Fog Det Lt				
63		₩	Floodlight, floodlighting of a structure	(Illuminated)				
64			Strip light					
65	Priv	FR (priv)	Private light other than one exhibited occasionally	* F.R.(priv)	★ ● Priv maintd			

Sup	Supplementary National Symbols						
а	Ċ		Riprap surrounding light				
b			Short-Long Flashing		S-L FI		
С			Group - Short Flashing		NA MA Ag		
d			Fixed and Group Flashing		F Gp FI		