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Press release: Panel of independent experts publish findings into crab deaths

The panel of independent experts set up to assess the cause of dead and dying crabs washed up on shores from October 2021 have published their findings

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Independent report: Assessment of

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An independent expert panel investigating possible causes of mass mortality event affecting crustacean species in the north-east of England in autumn 2021.

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