



## Project Data Sheet



<b>Project</b>	River Derwent Disaster Emergency Dredging at Port of Workington
<b>Client</b>	Port of Workington
<b>Project</b>	<p>The extreme flood which hit Cockermouth and Workington in November 2009 realigned the river and estuary bed scouring out much material as it flowed towards the sea. As the discharge reached the basin of the Port of Workington, the flow velocities decreased and deposited scoured material and debris there.</p> <p>ADBP were requested by the Port to undertake a hydrographic survey to determine the magnitude of the problem and then to locate suitable dredging plant capable of dealing with the abnormal degree of infill and to obtain an emergency FEPA Disposal Licence to accommodate the removal of the material.</p> <p>ADBP chartered Westminster Dredging Company who mobilised the backhoe dredger <i>Manu Pekka</i> and the hopper barge <i>Cork Sand</i> who commenced dredging on Christmas Day.</p>
<b>Dates</b>	November 2009 to January 2010
<b>Capital Value</b>	£900,000