



MIDDLE EAST NAVIGATION AIDS SERVICE MONTHLY SUMMARY OF NOTICES TO MARINERS

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Mariners are requested to inform the Middle East Navigation Aids Service, MENAS MARITIME OPERATIONS CENTRE, PO Box 66, Manama, Bahrain immediately on the discovery of new dangers, or suspected dangers to navigation and changes or defects in aids to navigation noticed in Sub-Navarea IX - Gulf and its Approaches.

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All MENAS service users are requested to pass on valid navigational hazard information to the MENAS MARITIME OPERATIONS CENTRE in Bahrain using communications methods:

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MENAS is committed to maritime safety in the region and MENAS support the standards of marine operations recommended by IMCA, the International Marine Contractors Association.

As part of our process of continual improvement of services to the maritime community, we are continually amending / updating our mailing lists. Please reply to this mail address should you require any additional email addresses added to the direct NAVTEX and/or Gulf Notices to Mariners circulation lists.

Please also find latest navigational situation information at menas.org Users are requested to provide suggestions for Service enhancements, navigational hazard feedback and complaints through menas.org

www.menas.org

Section I - Summary of Current MENAS Notices to Mariners

The following MENAS Notices are in force at 00:00 UTC 01st March 2019.

❖ **Northern Gulf**

- 15/2017 Khalij Al-Kuwait – Sunken Vessel
- 20/2018 Establishment of coastal station (Boubyan Fanar).
- 23/2018 Khawr al Kafka – New Light Buoy Established

❖ **Central Gulf**

- 11/2017 Sunken Vessel in Al Ruwais Port Qatar
- 16/2018 Drilling Rig Established offshore Qatar

❖ **Southern Gulf**

- 17/2018 Mandatory Installation and operation of (AIS)- RAK Ports (UAE)
- 18/2018 Dredging works at Ras Al Khaimah Port
- 21/2018 New Navigational Aids Established at Saqr Port Bulk Terminal
- 22/2018 Removal of Saqr Port project exclusion Zone
- 25/2018 UAE- Water Depths of Inner Channels of Jebel Dhanna Ruwais Port modified

❖ **Strait of Hormuz**

Nil

❖ **Gulf of Oman**

Nil

❖ **Arabian Gulf**

- 03/2015 U.S. Naval Forces Special Warning
- 04/2015 U.S. Naval Forces Special Warning

❖ **General**

- 01/2015 MENAS Navigational Warning Notices - General Description
- 26/2016 Red Sea and Gulf of Aden Region – U.S. Navy Forces Special Warning



General Note: UKHO informed directly with all hydrographic information

Section II - New MENAS Notices to Mariners

The following MENAS Notices to Mariners have been issued since the previous Monthly edition.

❖ **Northern Gulf**

03/2019 Kuwait – Establishment and Announcing of Mina Al-Zour

❖ **Central Gulf**

01/2019 Sunken Vessel in the vicinity of South Khor Buoy

04/2019 Completion of Offshore Marine Construction Work at Bahrain LNG Terminal

❖ **Southern Gulf**

Nil

Section III - Cancelled MENAS Notices to Mariners

The following MENAS Notices to Mariners have been cancelled since the previous Monthly edition.

❖ **Northern Gulf**

02/2019 Kuwait – Establishment and Announcing of Mina Al Zawr

❖ **Central Gulf**

Nil

❖ **Southern Gulf**

24/2018 UAE – Two Cardinal buoys at Saqr Port Withdrawn



Section IV - Oil Rig Positions (Gulf Rig List)

The exact positions of permanent fixed Platforms are not given in major oilfields as they are shown on charts. The following is a list of known MODUs:

Oilfield	Unit	Latitude	Longitude	Company
NFA	AL ZUBARAH	26° 33.13'N	051° 56.02'E	QP
Bul Hanine	HALUL	25° 24.52'N	052° 43.48'E	QP
Bul Hanine	DUKHAN	25° 25.12'N	052° 43.69'E	QP
Idd El Sharqi	ALWAJBA	25° 30.03'N	052° 23.78'E	QP
Idd El Sharqi	MSHIEREB	25° 30.24'N	052° 22.21'E	QP
Idd El Sharqi	SEAFOX MARINIA	25° 29.57'N	052° 22.87'E	QP
Idd El Sharqi	KIKUYU 4303	25° 29.03'N	052° 21.39'E	QP
NFA	ZIKREET	26° 32.21'N	051° 56.79'E	QP
NF-11	AL KHOR	26° 00.93'N	051° 50.92'E	Qatar Shell GTL Limited
North Field	NOBLE HOUSTON COLBERT	26° 13.05'N	052° 08.31'E	QP
Total Field	EMERALD DRILLER	25° 55.14'N	052° 42.72'E	QP
North Field	ENSCO 110	26° 32.08'N	051° 58.26'E	QP
North Field	SEAFOX AHMED	26° 00.94'N	052° 41.78'E	QP
NF-15	LES HAT	25° 52.21'N	051° 59.17'E	Qatar Gas
QG_NF13	Noble Mick O'Brien	26° 00.04'N	052° 13.13'E	Qatar Gas
NFB-WHP3	AL JASSRA	26° 27.22'N	052° 04.35'E	Qatar Gas
QG_NF14	WEST TUCANA	25° 48.72'N	052° 04.20'E	Qatar Gas
RGA WH-4	RG-05	26° 38.65'N	052° 02.04'E	Qatar Gas
Al Shaheen Field	RASGAS 'A' Complex	26° 37.06'N	051° 59.00'E	Qatar Gas
North Field	RASGAS 'A' WH-2	26° 40.00'N	052° 01.40'E	Qatar Gas
Al Shaheen Field	RASGAS 'A' WH-3	26° 36.90'N	052° 02.60'E	Qatar Gas
Al Shaheen Field	RASGAS 'A' WH-4	26° 38.40'N	052° 01.60'E	Qatar Gas
Al Shaheen Field	RASGAS 'A' WH-5	26° 35.30'N	052° 06.70'E	Qatar Gas
North Field	RASGAS 'A' WH-6	26° 30.40'N	052° 12.10'E	Qatar Gas
North Field	RASGAS 'A' WH-7	26° 31.70'N	052° 06.80'E	Qatar Gas
North Field	RASGAS 'A' WH-8	26° 27.70'N	052° 15.40'E	Qatar Gas
North Field	RASGAS 'A' WH-9	26° 42.00'N	051° 57.70'E	Qatar Gas
North Field	RASGAS 'A' WH-10	26° 27.70'N	052° 09.50'E	Qatar Gas
North Field	RASGAS 'A' WH-11	26° 25.80'N	052° 12.50'E	Qatar Gas
North Field	BARZAN-1	26° 35.00'N	051° 51.80'E	Qatar Gas
North Field	BARZAN-2	26° 26.60'N	051° 54.10'E	Qatar Gas
North Field	BARZAN-3	26° 22.30'N	051° 56.40'E	Qatar Gas

Section V – New Publications

Refer latest UKHO Notices @ www.ukho.gov.uk



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Section VI – MENAS NAVTEX Summary of ‘in-force’ Warnings

MENAS BAHRAIN via BAHRAIN RADIO (A9M)

SUMMARY FOR INFORMATION ONLY

Date: 01/03/19 0000Z - NAVTEX Navigational Warnings in force to date:

SER. NO	NAV. NO.	BA NO.	RECEIVED DATE	S.O.P
1	070/2016	70	24-JUL-16	T.F.N
2	097/2016	97	13-Oct-16	T.F.N
3	114/2016	114	28-Nov-16	T.F.N
4	095/2017	95	21-Jun-17	T.F.N
5	106/2017	106	30-Jul-17	T.F.N
6	142/2017	142	25-Oct-17	T.F.N
7	077/2018	77	25-Jun-18	T.F.N
8	104/2018	104	05-Aug-18	T.F.N
9	129/2018	129	04-Oct-18	T.F.N
11	143/2018	143	04-Nov-18	T.F.N
12	170/2018	170	22-Dec-18	T.F.N
13	173/2018	173	30-Dec-18	T.F.N
14	005/2019	005	08-Jan-19	T.F.N
15	007/2019	007	11-Jan-19	T.F.N
16	015/2019	015	28-Jan-19	T.F.N
17	017/2019	017	30-Jan-19	T.F.N
18	021/2019	021	06-Feb-19	T.F.N
19	024/2019	024	13-Feb-19	T.F.N
20	029/2019	029	15-Feb-19	T.F.N
21	031/2019	031	16-Feb-19	T.F.N
22	034/2019	034	19-Feb-19	T.F.N
23	038/2019	038	23-Feb-19	T.F.N
24	039/2019	039	27-Feb-19	T.F.N
25	040/2019	040	28-Feb-19	T.F.N

Gulf Maritime Safety Information

MENAS Monthly Summary of Notices to Mariners can be downloaded from the MENAS website:

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