

MSI in NAVAREA III

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1. Background

The NAVAREA III Region covers the Mediterranean Sea from the meridian 005° 45'W, and the Black Sea, including Azov Sea.

Since May 2020 the NAVAREA III navigational warnings are broadcast on SafetyNET II.

Since last March, this NAVAREA III coordinator centre has been broadcasting in training mode through the IRIDIUM service, using the SAFETYCAST platform.

Broadcasting times IMARSAT

- 1200, 2400 UTC, on receipt of information.
- SafetyNET II Satellite Service.

Broadcasting times IRIDIUM

- 1200, 2400 UTC, on receipt of information.
- SafetyCAST Satellite Service.

Operational Points of Contact for National Co-ordinators within the NAVAREA III:

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FRANCE	Cellule Information nautique CECMED/PREMAR MED	+33 0422420804	+33 422421893	cecmed-opscot- infonaut.contact.fct@intradef.gouv.fr Web: cecmed.opscot@premar- mediterranee.gouv.fr
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MALTA	Malta Transport Centre	+356 2122 2203	+356 2125 0365	info.tm@transport.gov.mt rccmalta@gov.mt Web: www.transport.gov.mt
SLOVENIA	Slovenian Maritime Administration(SMA)	+386 5 663 21 00 +386 5 663 21 02 +386 5 663 21 10	+386 5 6632102	ursp.box@gov.si koper.mrcc@gov.si primoz.bajec1@gov.si Web: www.up.gov.si
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TURKEY	Office of the Navigation, Hydrography and Oceanography(ONHO)	+90 216 3222580	+90 216 3310525	info@shodb.gov.tr teletext@shodb.gov.tr Web: www.shodb.gov.tr
BULGARIA	Bulgarian Navy Hydrographic Service(BNHS)	+359 52 552 036	+359 52 552 036	hs_varna@abv.bg Web: marad.bg

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UKRAINE	State Hydrographic Service of Ukraine	+38(044)292 41 20	+38 044 292 41 20	navtex@ukr.net Web: www.hydrography.com.ua
RUSSIA	Department of Navigation and Oceanography(DNO)	+7 812 717 5900	+7 812 717 5900	unio_navarea@mil.ru Web: structure.mil.ru/structure/forces/hydrographic/info/notices.htm
GEORGIA	State Hydrographic Service Of Georgia	+995 (0493)27 49 98 +995(0493)22 17 72 +995(0493)27 84 03 +995(0493)27 84 05	+995 (0493)27 49 98 +995(0493)22 17 72 +995(0493)27 84 03 +995(0493)27 84 05	info@hydrography.ge Web: www.hydrography.ge
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SYRIA	General Directorate of Syrian Ports	+963 41 473333, +963 41 472593, +963 41 473876	+963 41 475805	info@gdp.gov.sy
LEBANON	Lebanese Navy Hydrographic Service	+9611983470	+9611983460	shmal.navy@army.gov.lb ministry@transportation.gov.lb Web: www.transportation.gov.lb
ISRAEL	Administration of Shipping and Ports	+972 4 8632080	+972 4 8632118	techni@mot.gov.il Web: www.mot.gov.il
EGYPT	Egyptian Authority for Maritime Safety(EAMS)	00 34 802681 00 34 833698	00 34875633	eams@eams.gov.eg Web: www.eams.gov.eg
LIBYA	Libyan Ports and Maritime Transport Authority	+218 21 489 1356	+218 21 489 1356	smepm@lma.ly m.tabaaa@tripoliseaport.ly Hassan_zawia@ltnet.net h.i.zawia@gptc.ly
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ALGERIA	Naval Forces Hydrographic Office	+213 23 95 12 04	+213 23 95 11 32	shfn@mdn.dz Web: www.mdn.dz
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2. Comments

SafetyNet and SafetyNET II messages broadcast since the last MBSHC22:

YEAR	NAVAREA III WARNINGS
2020	1739
2021	906
2022	118

3. NAVTEX Coverage:

COUNTRY	NAVTEX STATIONS	TELEPHONE	FAX	E-MAIL	STATUS
FRANCE	La Garde [W] [S]	+33 4 94 61 71 10	+33 4 84 27 11 49	lagarde@mrc CFR.eu	No operational
ITALY	La Maddalena (Sardegna) [R][I] Mondolfo [U] [E] Sellia Marina [V] [W] Piombino [N] (490KHZ)	+390 659083226	+390 65922737 +390 59084793	navtex@mit.gov.it	operational
MALTA	Malta [O] [T]	+356 22 494202	+356 21809860	rccmalta@gov.mt	operational
CROATIA	Split [Q] Hvar[F](490 KHZ)	+385 21 389190	+385 21 389185	office@hhi.hr	operational
GREECE	Irakleio Kritis [H] [Q] [S]	+302 10 6060120	+302 10 6002599	navtex@hnhs.gr	operational
	Kerkyra [K] [P]	+302 10 6002599	+302 10 6002599	navtex@hnhs.gr	operational
	Limnos [L] [R]	+302 10 6002599	+302 10 6002599	navtex@hnhs.gr	operational
BULGARIA	Varna [J]	+359 52 687973	+359 52 687984	varnaradio@bgports.bg	operational
ROMANIA	Constanta [L] (490 KHZ)	+40 241 737102	+40 241 737103	arrivalro@radionav.ro	operational
UKRAINE	Berdiansk [G] [U]	+380 65 6149317	+380 65 612436	Kerch_hydro@ukr.net	operational
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CYPRUS	Cyprus [M]	+357 22 702286	+357 22 702392	Cyprus.radio@jrcc.org.cy	operational
SYRIA	Lattakia [K] (490KHZ)	+963 41 473876 +963 41 473333 +963 41 472593	+963 41 475805	ghefarb@gmail.com danco@net.sy	operational
ISRAEL	Haifa [P]	+972 4 8632145 +972 4 8632073 +972 4 8632075	+972 4 8699017 +972 4 8590919	rcc@motgov.il	operational
EGYPT	Alexandria [N]	+203 4801226 +203 4809500 +203 4810202	+203 4810201	maritime@eams.gov.eg eams@eams.gov.eg	operational
TUNISIA	Kelibia [T]	+216 72510267 +216 72510193	+216 72510777	sho@defense.tn	operational
ALGERIA	Bordj- El Kiffan [B] [K]	+213 21 203184 +213 21 203193	fax: +213 21 203193	mrcalgiers@mdn.dz	operational
SPAIN	La Nao [X] [M]	+34 963 679 302	+34 963 679 403	valencia@sasemar.es	operational
	Tarifa [G] [T]	+34 956 684 740	+34 956 680 606	tarifa@sasemar.es	operational

4. Operational Issues:

Since May 2021, this NAVAREA III Coordinator broadcast the NAVAREA III warnings on SafetyNET II.

Since last March, this NAVAREA III coordinator centre has been broadcasting in training mode through the IRIDIUM service, using the SAFETYCAST platform.

The IHM publishes, every week, the bulletin "Avisos a los Navegantes" (Notices to Mariners) in hard copy and also in web site. The address of the web site is as follows:

http://www.armada.mde.es/ArmadaPortal/page/Portal/ArmadaEspañola/ciencia_ihm_1/prefLang_es/02_ProductosServicios

The bulletin contains the NAVAREA III warnings originated during the previous week of the date of issue, both in Spanish and English.

The text of NAVAREA III warnings in force with more than 42 days old, can be found in the NAVAREA website, whose address follows in paragraph 9. The bulletin also contains all NAVAREA II warnings in force in English.

5. Capacity Building

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6. Other Activities:

Participation in other IHO or IMO Working Groups, Regional Hydrographic Commissions, regional conferences over past year:

2021

- Intersessional meeting of Communications Working Group (ISWG-COM), VTC, 07-13 April.
- Navigation, Communications, Search and Rescue Sub Committee (NCSR 8), VTC, 19-23 April.
- Document Review Working Group (DRWG19), VTC, 26-29 April.

2022

- 20th meeting of the WWNWS-SC Document Review Working Group (DRWG20) 21 – 24 March 2022 by VTC.

7. NAVAREA Website:

The Web site is updated every working day at 1200 Z, and the following day after weekends and holidays. The Web site displays the date and time of the last update.

<http://www.armada.mde.es/ArmadaPortal/page/Portal/ArmadaEspañola/cienciaihm1/prefLang-es/02ProductosServicios--02NAVAREAS>

8. NAVAREA Contact Information

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9. Actions requested

Note the information provided

10. Synopsis

The number of NAVAREA III warnings for the last two years continue decreasing as this report makes it clear.

Most of them about 75% of the messages are from the Aegean Sea, the Eastern Mediterranean and Black Seas.

La Garde NAVTEX station has been no operational since the beginning of 2020, consequently the Italian NAVTEX Service (Center) resends the messages from the La Garde NAVTEX service to the NAVAREA III Coordinator for broadcast as NAVAREA III warnings through SafetyNET II.

All Member States are encouraged to use only NAVAREA warning for Safety to Navigation purposes as stated on IMO Res A.706 (17).