



## 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.

#### **MENAS is an ISO 9001:2008 Certified Service**

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

Tel: ++973 17828541 Fax: ++973 17727765 Email [info@menas.com.bh](mailto:info@menas.com.bh)

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](http://menas.org) Users are requested to provide suggestions for Service enhancements, navigational hazard feedback and complaints through [menas.org](http://menas.org)

**[www.menas.org](http://www.menas.org)**

## **Section I - Summary of Current MENAS Notices to Mariners**

The following MENAS Notices are in force at 00:00 UTC 1<sup>st</sup> February 2015.

### ❖ **Northern Gulf**

Nil

### ❖ **Central Gulf**

### ❖ **Southern Gulf**

02/2014 Das, Zirku, Zakkum, Umm Shaif, Mina Zayed areas - as laid positions of submarine cables

04/2014 Changes to Borouge Channel

05/2014 New buoy at Ruwais Port

06/2014 New Gasco Channel

07/2014 New buoy at Ruwais Port

### ❖ **Strait of Hormuz**

Nil

### ❖ **Gulf of Oman**

Nil

### ❖ **Arabian Gulf**

02/2015 Combined Maritime Forces (CMF) Special Warning

### ❖ **General**

01/2015 MENAS Navigational Warning Notices - General Description

**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.

01/2015      MENAS Navigational Warning Notices - General Description  
02/2015      Combined Maritime Forces (CMF) Special Warning

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## **Section III - Cancelled MENAS Notices to Mariners**

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

01/2014      MENAS Navigational Warning Notices - General Description  
03/2014      Qatar Offshore Geophysical Survey



## 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
IS Field	AL WAJBA	25° 30.4' N	052° 22.2' E	QP
IS Field	MARINIA	25° 29.6' N	052° 22.9' E	QP
North Field	ZIKREET	26° 37.8' N	051° 59.1' E	Ras Gas
North Field	AL JASSRA	26° 43.5' N	051° 55.0' E	
North Field	NOBLE JIMMY PUCKETT	26° 28.9' N	052° 01.4' E	
North Field	DIXIE PATRIOT	26° 19.2' N	052° 14.4' E	
Karkara Field	DELTA EXPLORER	25° 06.6' N	052° 33.9' E	
Bul Hanine	AL ZUBARAH	25° 35.8' N	052° 33.7' E	QP
Bul Hanine	AL DOHA	25° 25.8' N	052° 41.4' E	QP
North Field	ROWAN CALIFORNIA	26° 35.1' N	051° 55.4' E	
North Field	QATAR 2022	26° 40.2' N	052° 00.4' E	
Bul Hanine	COSL SUPERIOR	25° 24.3' N	052° 43.0' E	QP
IS Field	AL RAYYAN	25° 28.9' N	052° 21.7' E	QP
North Field	AL KHOR	26° 19.2' N	051° 56.3' E	
IS Field	MSHEIREB	25° 28.1' N	052° 23.4' E	QP
BH Field	DUKHAN	25° 23.5' N	052° 43.3' E	QP
North Field	DEEMA	26° 22.4' N	051° 56.5' E	



## **Section V – New Publications**

Refer latest UK Notices @ [www.ukho.gov.uk](http://www.ukho.gov.uk)

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

MENAS BAHRAIN via BAHRAIN RADIO (A9M)

SUMMARY FOR INFORMATION ONLY

Date: 01/02/15 0000Z - NAVTEX Navigational Warnings in force to date:-

SER. NO	NAV. NO.	BA NO.	RECEIVED DATE	S.O.P
1	008/2013	8	28th Mar 2013	T.F.N
2	023/2013	23	25th Jun. 2013	T.F.N
3	048/2013	48	21st Aug. 2013	T.F.N
4	049/2013	49	21st Aug. 2013	T.F.N
5	052/2013	52	22nd Aug 2013	T.F.N
6	065/2013	65	25 <sup>th</sup> Sep 2013	T.F.N
7	077/2013	77	31st Oct. 2013	T.F.N
8	011/2014	11	17th Feb. 2014	T.F.N
9	033/2014	33	26th May 2014	T.F.N
10	040/2014	40	2nd Jun 2014	T.F.N
11	041/2014	41	2 <sup>nd</sup> Jun 2014	T.F.N
12	058/2014	58	8 <sup>th</sup> Sep 2014	T.F.N
13	062/2014	62	22 <sup>nd</sup> SEP 2014	T.F.N
14	064/2014	64	2 <sup>nd</sup> Oct 2014	T.F.N
15	067/2014	67	13 <sup>th</sup> Oct 2014	T.F.N
16	069/2014	69	23 <sup>rd</sup> Oct 2014	T.F.N
17	071/2014	71	15th Dec 2014	T.F.N
18	072/2014	72	15 <sup>th</sup> Dec 2014	T.F.N
19	073/2014	73	31 <sup>st</sup> Dec 2014	T.F.N
20	001/2015	01	3rd Jan. 2015	T.F.N
21	003/2015	03	26th Jan. 2015	T.F.N

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### **Gulf Maritime Safety Information**

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

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