

Joint Maritime Information Center

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Southern Corridor Widened

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Area of Concern:
Strait of Hormuz

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Regional Threat Level: **SUBSTANTIAL**

1. Transit of the Strait of Hormuz

JMIC is sharing information on the following page for the awareness of owners, operators, and Mariners. Specifically, it details procedures for transiting the Strait of Hormuz (SoH).

The maritime security threat level in the SoH has increased to **SUBSTANTIAL** following attacks on merchant vessels. Mariners are advised of the existence of mines and should expect naval presence as clearance operations continue. Mariners should also expect congestion through transit routes and VHF hailing from naval forces to support free flow.

Mariners are advised that the southern route has been expanded to accommodate simultaneous inbound and outbound traffic.

Transits along waypoints to the following routes have been safely used for passage:

-- INBOUND

WP# LAT, LONG (D/M/S)

1. 25°36'29.880"N, 056°26'20.400"E
2. 25°59'44.880"N, 056°34'39.000"E
3. 26°21'13.320"N, 056°34'50.880"E
4. 26°23'10.410"N, 056°34'11.550"E
5. 26°24'27.672"N, 056°32'56.142"E
6. 26°25'39.732"N, 056°29'07.698"E
7. 26°24'51.840"N, 056°21'20.880"E
8. 26°19'33.600"N, 056°13'20.640"E
9. 26°03'15.480"N, 055°59'32.640"E

-- OUTBOUND

WP# LAT, LONG (D/M/S)

1. 26°02'43.800"N, 056°00'44.640"E
2. 26°19'08.760"N, 056°14'12.120"E
3. 26°24'15.600"N, 056°21'33.240"E
4. 26°24'59.580"N, 056°29'48.480"E
5. 26°24'12.720"N, 056°32'27.000"E
6. 26°20'58.200"N, 056°33'40.320"E
7. 26°00'00.000"N, 056°33'00.000"E

The following coordinates bound a potential MINE DANGER AREA:

WP# LAT, LONG (D/M/S)

- 26°24'00.0036"N, 056°42'00.018"E
- 26°24'45.0108"N, 056°32'51.2376"E
- 26°25'56.6976"N, 056°28'47.1072"E
- 26°25'33.6144"N, 056°24'34.7508"E
- 26°25'15.798"N, 056°21 '25.1316"E
- 26°24'50.9256"N, 056°19'51.3084"E
- 26°23 '03.8292"N, 056°15'10.2168"E
- 26°20 '59.1756"N, 056°11'23.0784"E
- 26°25 '00.9012"N, 056°08'50.7552"E
- 26°41'00.006"N, 056°17'59.9856"E
- 26°41'00.0024"N, 056°42'00.0036"E

-- Mariners are strongly encouraged to maintain engagement with NCAGS and utilize established reporting and coordinating procedures.

-- Coordination with NCAGS is not mandatory. Ships may transit the southern route without coordination.

Action: Vessels are encouraged to communicate with NAVCENT NCAGS m-ba-navcent-ncags@us.navy.mil for information regarding safe transit routes.

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