

# **WORLDWIDE MARINE RADIOFACSIMILE BROADCAST SCHEDULES**

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# INTRODUCTION

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Appendix C contains information on a PC software program known as AMVER/SEAS which greatly assists in coding and transmitting meteorological observations and AMVER position reports.

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<http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/home.htm>

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# ABOUT THIS PUBLICATION

The schedules contained in this publication were obtained from official and unofficial sources. The information herein may neither be complete or accurate. Wherever possible, the schedules are dated with the latest change available. The National Weather Service would like to thank everyone who provided assistance.

For ease of use, all stations are listed by WMO region, in alphabetical order, by country and location. All times listed herein are Universal Coordinated Time (UTC), unless otherwise indicated.

Unless otherwise stated, assigned frequencies are shown, for carrier frequency subtract 1.9 kHz. Typically dedicated radiofax receivers use assigned frequencies, while receivers or transceivers, connected to external recorders or PC's, are operated in the upper sideband (USB) mode using carrier frequencies.

For information on weather broadcasts worldwide, also refer to NGA Publication 117, the Canadian Coast Guard Radio Aids to Navigation (Canada Only) and the British Admiralty List of Signals, which are updated through Notices to Mariners. Information on these and other marine weather publications may be found in Appendix D. These publications are HIGHLY recommended.

This document also includes information on how to obtain National Weather Service text forecasts, graphic forecasts, and marine observations via the Internet and e-mail (FTPMAIL). Mariners are highly encouraged to explore these options.

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AFRICA



# CAPE NAVAL, SOUTH AFRICA

CALL SIGNS	FREQUENCIES	TIMES	EMISSION	POWER
ZSJ	4014 kHz	16Z-06Z (when available)	F3C	10 KW
ZSJ	7508 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	10 KW
ZSJ	13538 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	10 KW
ZSJ	18238 kHz	06Z-16Z (when available)	F3C	10 KW

TIME	CONTENTS OF TRANSMISSION	RPM/IOC	VALID TIME	MAP AREA
0430	SCHEDULE	120/576		
0500	SURFACE ANALYSIS(SHIPPING)	120/576	0000	ASXX
0630	AIR PROGNOSES (PREVIOUS DAY'S RUN)	120/576	1200	FUXX
0730	SURFACE PROGNOSES (PREVIOUS DAY'S RUN)	120/576	1200	FSXX
0800	ANTARCTIC ICE LIMITS (OCTOBER TO MARCH)	120/576		AIAA
0915	RTTY WEATHER BULLETINS FOR COASTAL WATERS AND HIGHSEAS	RTTY (170 Hz shift, 75 Baud)		
1030	SURFACE ANALYSIS(SHIPPING)	120/576	0600	ASXX
1100	SURFACE PROGNOSES	120/576	0000	FSXX
1530	SURFACE ANALYSIS(SHIPPING)	120/576	1200	ASXX
1700	RTTY WEATHER BULLETINS FOR COASTAL WATERS AND HIGHSEAS	RTTY (170 Hz shift, 75 baud)		
2230	SURFACE ANALYSIS(SHIPPING)	120/576	1800	ASXX

## MAP AREAS:

ASXX	1:20,000 Lambert	00S20W	00S70E	60S50W	60S90E
FUXX	1:20,000 Mercator	05S15W	05S60E	60S15W	60S60E
FSXX	1:20,000 Mercator	05S15W	05S60E	60S15W	60S60E
AIAA	30E to 30W Antarctic coast to edge of ice pack except NIC West				

(INFORMATION DATED 2009) <http://old.weathersa.co.za/Marine/FrequencyShipFCBroadcast.jsp>



ASIA



# TOKYO, JAPAN

CALL SIGNS	FREQUENCIES	TIMES	EMISSION	POWER
JMH	3622.5 KHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	5 KW
JMH2	7795 KHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	5 KW
JMH4	13988.5 KHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	5 KW

  

TIME	CONTENTS OF TRANSMISSION	RPM/IOC	VALID TIME	MAP AREA
0000/1200	RETRANSMISSION OF 2200/0750 (1)	120/576		
0020/-----	96HR SURFACE PRESSURE, PRECIP PROGS	120/576	1200	C
0040/-----	120HR SURFACE PRESSURE, PRECIP PROGS	120/576	1200	C
-----/1220	12/24/48/72HR OCEAN WAVE PROG	120/576	0000	
-----/1240	24 HR 500HPA TEMPERATURE AND 700HPA DEWPOINT DEPRESSION PROG	120/576	0000	
	24HR 850HPA TEMPERATURE WIND AND 700HPA VERTICAL P-VELOCITY PROG			
-----/1251	36 HR 500HPA TEMPERATURE AND 700HPA DEWPOINT DEPRESSION PROG	120/576	0000	
	36HR 850HPA TEMPERATURE WIND AND 700HPA VERTICAL P-VELOCITY PROG			
0103/1303	TEST CHART	120/576		
0110/1310	METEOROLOGICAL SATELLITE PICTURE (MSAT)	120/576	00/12	C'
0130/1330	RETRANSMISSION OF 1019/0730	120/576		
0150/1350	TROPICAL CYCLONE FORECAST(1)	120/576	00/12	C'
0210/-----	SEA SURFACE CURRENT, WATER TEMPERATURE AT 100M DEPTH (2)	120/576		
0229/-----	RADIO PREDICTION (3)	120/576		
-----/1420	RETRANSMISSION OF 0210 (2)			
0240/1440	SURFACE ANALYSIS	120/576	00/12	C'
0300/-----	SEA SURFACE WATER TEMPERATURE (2)	120/576		
0320/1520	THE FIRST RETRANSMISSION OF 0240/1440	120/576		
0340/-----	BROADCAST SCHEDULE and MANUAL AMENDMENTS	120/576		
0400/1540	TROPICAL CYCLONE FORECAST (6)	120/576		
-----/1600	RETRANSMISSION OF 0300 (2)	120/576		
0421/1620	OCEAN WAVE ANALYSIS	120/576	00/12	C''
0440/-----	COASTAL WAVE ANALYSIS	120/576	0000	X
0459/1640	500HPA HEIGHT, TEMPERATURE	120/576	00/12	C
0518/1700	850HPA HEIGHT, TEMPERATURE, DEW POINT DEPRESSION	120/576	00/12	C
-----/1719	COASTAL WAVE ANALYSIS	120/576	1200	X
0537/1739	24HR 500HPA HEIGHT, VORTICITY PROGNOSIS	120/576	00/12	
	24 HR SURFACE PRESSURE, PRECIPITATION PROGNOSIS			
0548/-----	24HR SURFACE PRESSURE, WIND, FOG, ICING, SEA ICE PROG	120/576	0000	C'
0610/1750	RETRANSMISSION OF 0150/1350 (1)	120/576		
0630/-----	48/72 HR SURFACE PRESSURE, PRECIPITATION PROGNOSIS	120/576	00/00	
-----/1810	36HR 500HPA HEIGHT, VORTICITY PROGNOSIS	120/576	1200	
	36HR SURFACE PRESSURE, PRECIPITATION PROGNOSIS			
-----/1821	24 HR 500HPA TEMPERATURE AND 700HPA DEWPOINT DEPRESSION PROG	120/576	1200	
	24HR 850HPA TEMPERATURE WIND AND 700HPA VERTICAL P-VELOCITY PROG			
-----/1832	36 HR 500HPA TEMPERATURE AND 700HPA DEWPOINT DEPRESSION PROG	120/576	1200	
	36HR 850HPA TEMPERATURE WIND AND 700HPA VERTICAL P-VELOCITY PROG			
-----/1850	12/24/48/72HR OCEAN WAVE PROG	120/576	1200	
0651/-----	24HR WAVE PROG (NORTH PACIFIC)	120/576	0000	C''
0710/1910	METEOROLOGICAL SATELLITE PICTURE (MSAT)	120/576	06/18	C'
0730/-----	24HR COASTAL WAVE PROG	120/576	0000	X
-----/1930	24HR SURFACE PRESSURE, WIND, FOG, ICING, SEA ICE PROG	120/576	1200	C'
0750/1950	TROPICAL CYCLONE FORECAST (1)	120/576	06/18	C'
-----/2010	24HR COASTAL WAVE PROG (1)	120/576	1200	X
0809/-----	36HR 500HPA HEIGHT, VORTICITY PROGNOSIS	120/576	0000	
	36HR SURFACE PRESSURE, PRECIPITATION PROGNOSIS			
0820/-----	48HR SURFACE PRESSURE, WIND, FOG, ICING, SEA ICE PROG	120/576	0000	C'
0840/2040	SURFACE ANALYSIS	120/576	06/18	C'
-----/2100	48HR SURFACE PRESSURE, WIND, FOG, ICING, SEA ICE PROG	120/576	1200	C
0900/-----	TROPICAL CYCLONE FORECAST (6)	120/576		
0920/2120	THE FIRST RETRANSMISSION OF 0840/2040	120/576		
0940/-----	RETRANSMISSION OF 0630/1950	120/576		
-----/2140	TROPICAL CYCLONE FORECAST(6)	120/576	1800	C'
1000/-----	RETRANSMISSION OF 0820	120/576		

# TOKYO, JAPAN

TIME	CONTENTS OF TRANSMISSION	RPM/IOC	VALID	MAP
-----/2200	48/72HR SURFACE PRESSURE, PRECIPITATION PROGNOSIS	120/576	1200	
1019/-----	SEA ICE CONDITION ANAL(4), 48HR & 168 HR PROGS(5)	120/576	LATEST	L/L'
-----/2220	RETRANSMISSION OF 1719	120/576		
1040/2240	RETRANSMISSION OF 0548/1950	120/576		
1100/2300	RETRANSMISSION OF 0421/1930	120/576		
1119/2320	RETRANSMISSION OF 0440/2010	120/576		
1140/2340	RETRANSMISSION OF 0651/2100	120/576		

- NOTES: (1) IN CASE OF TROPICAL CYCLONE  
 (2) EVERY TUESDAY AND FRIDAY  
 (3) ON THE 20TH AND 21ST.  
 (4) EVERY TUESDAY AND FRIDAY (SEASONAL) RETRANSMISSION: AT 0130 ON THE NEXT DAY  
 (5) EVERY WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY (SEASONAL). RETRANSMISSION: AT 0130 ON THE NEXT DAY  
 (6) IF A TROPICAL CYCLONE IS EXPECTED IN 4 DAYS

A. For the purpose of maintaining the JMH broadcasting system, the test chart will be transmitted during the period from 01:55 to 02:35 UTC on 3, 4, 6, 10 and 11 Dec 2008 as well as 4 and 5 Feb 2009.

B. If WTAS07 is broadcast, each test will be cancelled. If additional tests are necessary, the notification will be distributed as MANAM in advance.

MANAM 13th Feb.2009

JMA changes the transmitting station of JMH broadcasting from Ibaraki(36.10N 139.51E) to Kagoshima(31.19N 130.31E) at 4/Mar/2009 13:21 (JST).

MAP AREAS:

C - 1:20,000,000	27N 062E, 51N 152W, 05S 106E, 02N 160E
C' - 1:20,000,000	39N 066E, 39N 146W, 01S 113E, 01S 167E
C'' - 1:20,000,000	38N 067E, 39N 148W, 01S 112E, 01S 167E
L - 1:10,000,000	SEA OF OKHOTSK, NORTHERN SEA OF JAPAN, BO HAI, AND ADJACENT WATERS OF THE NORTH PACIFIC.
L' - 1:05,000,000	49N 140E 49N 151E, 41N 140E 40N 149E
X - 1: 6,000,000	46N 107E, 43N 160E, 18N 118E, 17N 147E

(INFORMATION DATED 15 Jun 2010) <http://www.jma-net.go.jp/common/177jmh/JMH-ENG.pdf>

# PEVEK, CHUKOTKA PENINSULA

CALL SIGNS	FREQUENCIES 148 kHz	TIMES ALL BROADCAST TIMES	EMISSION F3C	POWER
TIME	CONTENTS OF TRANSMISSION		RPM/IOC	VALID TIME MAP AREA
0530-0730	ICE		90/576	
1130-1330	ICE		90/576	
1430-1630	ICE		90/576	

(INFORMATION DATED 11/97)

# TAIPEI, REPUBLIC OF CHINA

CALL SIGN	FREQUENCIES	TIMES	EMISSION	POWER
BMF	4616	KHz	F3C	10 KW
	8140	KHz	F3C	10 KW
	13900	KHz	F3C	10 KW
	18560	KHz	F3C	10 KW

  

TIME	CONTENTS OF TRANSMISSION	RPM/IOC	VALID TIME	MAP AREA
0040/-----	BROADCAST SCHEDULE	120/576		
0110/1300	TYPHOON WARNINGS* (ENGLISH & CHINESE)	120/576	00/12	
0120/1320	GMS SATELLITE IMAGE	120/576	00/12	
0305/1505	FISHERY WEATHER FORECAST (IN CHINESE)	120/576	00/12	
0330/1530	SURFACE ANALYSIS WITH PLOTTED DATA	120/576	00/12	
0350/-----	24HR SURFACE PROG	120/576	0000	
0410/1600	TYPHOON WARNING* (ENGLISH & CHINESE)	120/576	03/15	
0430/1620	500HPA HEIGHT ANALYSIS WITH PLOTTED DATA	120/576	00/12	
0440/1630	SURFACE PRESSURE ANALYSIS	120/576	00/12	
	RFS 500HPA HEIGHT ANALYSIS			
0450/1640	RFS SURFACE PRESSURE PROGNOSIS 12 HOUR	120/576	00/12	
	RFS 500HPA HEIGHT PROGNOSIS 12 HOUR			
0500/1650	RFS SURFACE PRESSURE PROGNOSIS 24 HOUR	120/576	00/12	
	RFS 500HPA HEIGHT PROGNOSIS 24 HOUR			
0510/1700	RFS SURFACE PRESSURE PROGNOSIS 36 HOUR	120/576	00/12	
	RFS 500HPA HEIGHT PROGNOSIS 36 HOUR			
0520/1710	RFS SURFACE PRESSURE PROGNOSIS 48 HOUR	120/576	00/12	
	RFS 500HPA HEIGHT PROGNOSIS 48 HOUR			
0530/1720	RFS SURFACE PRESSURE PROGNOSIS 72 HOUR	120/576	00/12	
	RFS 500HPA HEIGHT PROGNOSIS 72 HOUR			
0700/1900	TYPHOON WARNINGS* (ENGLISH & CHINESE)	120/576	06/18	
0720/1920	GMS SATELLITE IMAGE	120/576	06/18	
-----/2050	GFS 500HPA HEIGHT PROGNOSIS 96 HOUR	120/576	1200	
0905/2105	FISHERY WEATHER FORECAST (IN CHINESE)	120/576	06/18	
0930/2130	SURFACE ANALYSIS WITH PLOTTED DATA	120/576	06/18	
-----/2150	GFS 500HPA HEIGHT PROGNOSIS 120 HOUR	120/576	1200	
1000/2200	TYPHOON WARNINGS* (ENGLISH & CHINESE)	120/576	09/21	

MAP AREA: 48N 060E, 48N 172W, EQ 099E, EQ 154E  
 \* IN CASE OF TYPHOON WARNING

(SCHEDULE EFFECTIVE MAY 01, 2009)  
 (INFORMATION DATED MAY 01, 2009)

# SEOUL, REPUBLIC OF KOREA

CALL SIGN	FREQUENCIES	TIMES	EMISSION	POWER
HLL2	3585 KHz	1200-0000 UTC	F3C	3 KW
HLL2	5857.5 KHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	3 KW
HLL2	7433.5 KHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	3 KW
HLL2	9165 KHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	3 KW
HLL2	13570 KHz	0000-1200 UTC	F3C	3 KW

TIME	CONTENTS OF TRANSMISSION	RPM/IOC	VALID TIME	MAP AREA
0000/1200	SPECIAL WEATHER REPORT	120/576		
0033/1233	SEA-SHORE WEATHER OBSERVATION REPORT	120/576		
0047/1247	FISHERY WEATHER OBSERVATION REPORT	120/576		
0100/-----	MANAM	120/576		
0133/-----	LIGHTHOUSE WEATHER OBSERVATION REPORT	120/576		B
0147/1347	SURFACE ANALYSIS FAR EAST	120/576		
0200/1400	WARNING TYPHOON REPORT	120/576		
0214/-----	GENERAL WEATHER CONDITIONS REPORT	120/576		
-----/1500	SPECIAL WEATHER REPORT	120/576		
-----/1530	SST OBSERVATION CHART OF NEAR KOREAN PENINSULA AREA	120/576		
0314/1547	LIGHTHOUSE SIGN WEATHER OBSERVATION REPORT	120/576		
0333/-----	LIGHTHOUSE WEATHER OBSERVATION REPORT	120/576		
0400/1600	SURFACE ANALYSIS FAR ASIA	120/576		
0447/1647	SURFACE ANALYSIS FAR EAST	120/576		B
0500/1700	500hPa UPPER AIR WEATHER CHART	120/576		A
0513/1713	650hPa UPPER AIR WEATHER CHART	120/576		A
0526/1726	700hPa UPPER AIR WEATHER CHART	120/576		A
0539/1739	300hPa UPPER AIR WEATHER CHART	120/576		A
0600/1800	SPECIAL WEATHER REPORT	120/576		
0633/-----	LIGHTHOUSE WEATHER OBSERVATION REPORT	120/576		
-----/1833	SEA-SHORE WEATHER OBSERVATION REPORT	120/576		
0647/1847	FISHERY WEATHER OBSERVATION REPORT	120/576		
0700/1900	12HR WAVE HEIGHT & SEA SURFACE WIND FORECAST	120/576		C
0714/1914	24HR WAVE HEIGHT & SEA SURFACE WIND FORECAST	120/576		C
0728/1928	36HR WAVE HEIGHT & SEA SURFACE WIND FORECAST	120/576		C
0747/1947	SURFACE ANALYSIS FAR EAST	120/576		
0800/2000	WARNING TYPHOON REPORT	120/576		
0814/2014	GENERAL WEATHER CONDITIONS REPORT	120/576		
0828/-----	SST OBSERVATION CHART OF NEAR KOREAN PENINSULA AREA	120/576		
0846/2046	MAIN SEASHORE WEATHER FORECAST FOR SHIP ROUTE	120/576		
0900/2100	SEA FORECAST	120/576		
0914/2114	LIGHTHOUSE SIGN WEATHER OBSERVATION REPORT	120/576		
0933/2133	LIGHTHOUSE WEATHER OBSERVATION REPORT	120/576		
0947/2147	WEEKLY SEA WEATHER FORECAST	120/576		
-----/2233	LIGHTHOUSE WEATHER OBSERVATION REPORT	120/576		
1047/2247	SURFACE ANALYSIS FAR EAST	120/576		B

- NOTES:
1. IN CASE OF TYPHOON.
  2. NOVEMBER TO APRIL.
  3. MAY TO SEPTEMBER
  4. ALTERNATING BLACK AND WHITE SIGNALS WITH FREQUENCY OF 300 Hz WILL BE TRANSMITTED FOR 10 SECONDS PRIOR TO THE PHASING SIGNAL.
  5. PHASING SIGNALS WILL BE TRANSMITTED FOR 30 SECONDS PRIOR TO TRANSMISSION OF EACH CHART.
  6. STOP SIGNALS WILL BE TRANSMITTED FOR 15 SECONDS AFTER EACH TRANSMISSION.
  7. "TSUNAMI WARNING" IS TRANSMITTED WITHOUT DELAY

MAP AREA: A – Lambert Conformal Conic 01.1N, 084.0E, 39.7N 41.9E, 06.5N 156.8E, 55.1N 199.4E  
 B – Lambert Conformal Conic 16.3N, 100.7E, 49.5 N 82.6E, 17.8N 145.5E, 52.4N 160.4E  
 C – Lambert Conformal Conic 20-50N, 115-150E

(INFORMATION DATED Jan 01, 2009) Many of these reports may be in Korean

# BANGKOK, THAILAND

<b>CALL SIGNS</b>	<b>FREQUENCIES</b>	<b>TIMES</b>	<b>EMISSION</b>	<b>POWER</b>
HSW64	7395.0 kHz *		F3C	3 KW

TIME	CONTENTS OF TRANSMISSION	RPM/IOC	VALID TIME	MAP AREA
0050/-----	TEST CHART	120/576		
0100/0700	FORECAST FOR SHIPPING (IN ENGLISH)	120/576	00/06	A
0120/-----	SURFACE PRESSURE	120/576	1200	A
0140/-----	SURFACE ANALYSIS	120/576	1800	A
0200/-----	BROADCAST SCHEDULE	120/576		
0300/0720	24 HR SURFACE PROG	120/576	12/12	A
0320/0740	48 HR SURFACE PROG	120/576	12/12	A
0340/0800	72 HR SURFACE PROG	120/576	12/12	A
-----/0820	24 HR 850 MB WIND/TEMP PROG	120/576	1200	A
0400/1000	FORECAST FOR SHIPPING (IN ENGLISH)	120/576	03/09	A
0420/-----	24 HR 850 MB WIND/TEMP PROG	120/576	1200	A
0500/1020	SURFACE ANALYSIS	120/576	00/06	A
0520/-----	850 MB ANALYSIS	120/576	0000	A
0540/-----	700 MB ANALYSIS	120/576	0000	A
0600/-----	500 MB ANALYSIS	120/576	0000	A
-----/1300	FORECAST FOR SHIPPING (IN ENGLISH)	120/576	1200	A
-----/1700	FORECAST FOR SHIPPING (IN ENGLISH)	120/576	1700	A
-----/1720	SURFACE ANALYSIS	120/576	1200	
-----/2300	FORECAST FOR SHIPPING (IN ENGLISH)	120/576	1700	A
-----/2320	SURFACE ANALYSIS	120/576	1800	A

MAP AREA: A - 1:20,000,000 50N 045E, 50N 160E, 30S 045E, 30S 160E

\* May refer to carrier frequency, for center frequency add 1.9 kHz

(INFORMATION DATED JAN 2009)

# KYODO NEWS AGENCY, JAPAN/SINGAPORE

CALL SIGNS	FREQUENCIES	TIMES	EMISSION	POWER
JJC	4316 KHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	5 KW
JJC	8467.5 KHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	10 KW
JJC	12745.5 KHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	15 KW
JJC	16971 KHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	15 KW
JJC	17069.6 KHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	15 KW
JJC	22542 KHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	15 KW
9VF/252	16035 KHz	0740-1010, 1415-1815	F3C	10 KW
9VF/252	17430 KHz	0740-1010, 1415-1815	F3C	10 KW

TIME	CONTENTS OF TRANSMISSION	RPM/IOC	VALID TIME	MAP AREA
0145	Sports Ed 2(R), (Seasonal during Sumo or High School baseball series)	60/576		
0200	MON: NX for 1 week	120/576		
0200	TUE-SUN: NX (R), Epidemic Information(R)(SUN only), Ocean Information(N)(4th, 14th, and 24th, 3rd, 13th, 23rd if a MON)	120/576 60/576		
0245	Morning Ed(R), Sports Ed 1(R), NX(R)	60/576		
0430	WX Chart	120/576	0000	
0430	Ocean Information(n)(4th, 14th, and 24th)	120/576		
0540	TUE&FRI: Satellite Fishery Information	60/576		
0540	SAT&SUN: Ocean Graphic Information	60/576		
0540	SUN&MON: Sea Surface Current Prog	60/576		
0610	TUE-SAT: English Ed (R)	120/576		
0635	MON-SAT: FAX DAYORI 4(N), (except 2nd & 4th MON and every WED and FRI)	60/576		
0650	SUN:WX Chart, Fishing Information (3 times per month)	60/576	0300	
0650	MON-SAT: WX Chart	60/576	0300	
0705	Background Stories(N), Life(N)(except MON)	60/576		
0745	SUN: Sunday Ed(N), FAX DAYORI 1,2,3 (N) Sumo match (begins 0930 SAT as well)	60/576 60/576		
0745	MON-SAT: Evening Ed(N), Kaiun-Suisan News(N) (Except SAT), Epidemic Information(N)(SAT only), FAX DAYORI 1(N), Sumo match (Seasonal)(N), FAX DAYORI 2(N)(except TUE&SAT)	60/576 60/576 60/576		
0745	NATIONAL HOLIDAYS: Morning Ed(R), Sports Ed 1 (R), FAX DAYORI 1(N), Sumo match (Seasonal)(N)FAX DAYORI 2(N)	60/576 60/576		
1100	NX (N), Sumo match (Seasonal)(R)	60/576		
1130	MON-FRI: English Ed (N)	60/576		
1335	Background Stories(R), Life(R)(except MON)	60/576		
1415	MON-FRI: Kaiun-Suisan News(R)	60/576		
1445	Sports Ed 2(N), (Seasonal during Sumo or High School baseball series)	60/576		
1500	Morning Ed(N), Sports Ed 1(N), NX(R)	60/576		
1645	MON: Sunday Ed(R)	60/576		
1645	TUE-SUN: Evening Ed(R)	60/576		
1810	TUE-SAT: English Ed (R)	60/576		
1930	MON: Evening Ed(R), NX(R), FAX DAYORI 2,1,3 (R)	60/576		
1930	TUE-SUN: Evening Ed(R), NX(R), FAX DAYORI 2,1,4 (no 4 on THU,SAT and TUE following 2nd & 4th MON Also no 2 on WED and SUN)(R)	60/576		
2030	DAY AFTER NATIONAL HOLIDAYS: NX(R), FAX DAYORI 2,1,4 (R)	60/576		
2215	MON and DAY AFTER NATIONAL HOLIDAYS: Morning Ed(R),Sports Ed 1,2(R),NX(R),FAX DAYORI 1-3(R)(3 Mon only)	60/576 60/576	2100	
2215	WX Chart TUE-SUN: Morning Ed(R), Sports Ed 1,2(R), NX(R), Kaiun-Suisan News(R) (Except SUN), Epidemic Info (SUN only) FAX DAYORI 1,2 (R)(no 2 on SUN and WED) WX Chart	60/576 60/576 60/576 60/576	2100	

NX: Navigational Warning, N: New, R: Repeat

Some of these transmissions may be encrypted

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# NORTHWOOD, UNITED KINGDOM (PERSIAN GULF) – not currently active –

CALL SIGNS	FREQUENCIES	TIMES	EMISSION	POWER
GYA	6834 KHz	1800-0800 UTC	F3C	10 KW
GYA	12390 KHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	10 KW
GYA	18261 KHz	0800-1800 UTC	F3C	10 KW

  

TIME	CONTENTS OF TRANSMISSION	RPM/IOC	VALID TIME	MAP AREA
0106/1306	SCHEDULE	120/576		
0118/1318	QSL REPORT			
0142/-----	SYMBOLOLOGY			
0306/1506	SURFACE ANALYSIS	120/576	00/12	
0354/1554	STREAMLINE ANALYSIS	120/576	00/12	
0406/1606	SURFACE ANALYSIS	120/576	00/12	
0418/1618	700 hPA WBPT/PPTN +24	120/576	00/12	
0430/1630	AIR TEMP/DEW POINT +24	120/576	00/12	
0442/1642	SURFACE PROG T+24	120/576	00/12	
0454/1654	GULF TAFS	120/576	03/15	
0506/1706	SURFACE ANALYSIS	120/576	00/12	
0518/1718	SURFACE PROG T+24	120/576	00/12	
0530/1730	SURFACE PROG T+48	120/576	00/12	
0542/1742	GULF TAFS	120/576	06/18	
0606/1818	SURFACE ANALYSIS	120/576	0000	
0618/1830	SURFACE PROG T+24	120/576	00/12	
0654/1854	GULF TAFS	120/576	06/18	
0706/1906	SPARE TAFS	120/576		
0718/1918	SIGNIFICANT WINDS PROG T+24	120/576	00/12	
0730/1930	SURFACE PROG T+48	120/576	00/12	
0742/1942	SURFACE PROG T+72	120/576	00/12	
0754/1954	SURFACE PROG T+96	120/576	00/12	
-----/2006	SURFACE PROG T+120	120/576	1200	
0818/2018	THICKNESS/GEOPONTENTIAL HEIGHT ANALYSIS	120/576	00/12	
0830/2030	SURFACE SIGNIFINT WINDS T+48	120/576	00/12	
0842/2042	SURFACE SIGNIFINT WINDS T+72	120/576	00/12	
0854/2054	SURFACE SIGNIFINT WINDS T+96	120/576	00/12	
0906/-----	SURFACE ANALYSIS	120/576	0600	
-----/2106	THICKNESS/GEOPONTENTIAL HEIGHT ANALYSIS	120/576	1200	
0930/2130	THICKNESS/GEOPONTENTIAL HEIGHT T+24	120/576	00/12	
0942/2142	850 hPA WINDS T+24	120/576	00/12	
0954/2154	700 hPA WINDS T+24	120/576	00/12	
1006/2206	SEA SURFACE TEMP	120/576	00/12	
1018/-----	SURFACE PROG T+24	120/576	0600	
1042/2242	700 hPA WBPT/PPTN T+24	120/576	06/18	
1054/2254	AIR TEMP/DEW POINT +24	120/576	06/18	
1130/2330	SEA AND SWELL PROGNOSIS T+24	120/576	06/18	

ALL MAPS 40°30'N.15°30'E 40°30'N.80°E 03°N.15°30'E 3°N.80°E  
 WBPT WET BULB POTENTIAL TEMPERATURE  
 PPTN PRECIPITATION

(INFORMATION DATED OCT 24 2007) (Reported as being held in abeyance as of late 2010)



SOUTH  
AMERICA



# RIO DE JANEIRO, BRAZIL

CALL SIGNS	FREQUENCIES	TIMES	EMISSION	POWER
PWZ-33	12665 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	1 KW
PWZ-33	16978 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	1 KW

TIME	CONTENTS OF TRANSMISSION	RPM/IOC	VALID TIME	MAP AREA
0745/1630	TEST CHART	120/576		
0750/1635	SURFACE ANALYSIS (Hpa)	120/576	00/12	A
0810/1655	WAVES SIG HEIGHT (m) AND DIR PROG 12/00Z+36HR	120/576	00/12	B
0830/1715	WIND AT 10 m (KTS) PROG 12/00Z +36 HR	120/576	00/12	C
0850/1735	SEA SURFACE TEMPERATURE	120/576	12/00	D

MAP AREA: A: 1:101,200,000 20N 090W, 20N 000E, 70 S 090W, 70S 000E  
 B: 1:58,500,000 20N 090W, 20N 020E, 70S 090W, 70S 020E  
 C: 1:58,500,000 20N 090W, 20N 020E, 70S 090W, 70S 020E  
 D: 1:32,700,000 15N 072W, 15N 018W, 50S 072W, 50S 018E

(INFORMATION DATED 28 Oct 2008) <http://www.mar.mil.br/dhn/chm/meteo/info/transmissoes/apend3ing.htm>

# VALPARAISO PLAYA ANCHA, CHILE (CBV) PUNTA ARENAS MAGALLANES, CHILE (CBM)

CALL SIGNS	FREQUENCIES	TIMES	EMISSION	POWER
CBV	4228.0 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	1 KW
CBV	8677.0 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	1 KW
CBV	17146.4 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	1 KW
CBM	4322.0 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	1 KW
CBM	8696.0 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	1 KW

TIME	CONTENTS OF TRANSMISSION (CBV)	RPM/IOC	VALID TIME	MAP AREA
1100	TEST CHART CBV CBM SCHEDULES	120/576		
1115	12HR SURFACE FORECAST	120/576	0000	A
1130	SATELLITE IMAGE	120/576	0900	A
1630	24 HR SURFACE FORECAST	120/576	1200	A
1645	SATELLITE IMAGE	120/576	1500	A
1915	SIGNIFICANT WAVE MAP FORECAST	120/576	1200	A
1930	SATELLITE IMAGE	120/576	1800	A
2200	36 HR SURFACE FORECAST	120/576	0000	A
2215	ANTARCTIC ICE LIMITS	120/576	WEEK	B
2230	WINDS BARB ISOTACHS FORECAST	120/576	1200	A
2310	48 HR SURFACE FORECAST	120/576	1200	A
2325	SATELLITE IMAGE	120/576	2100	A

TIME	CONTENTS OF TRANSMISSION (CBM)	RPM/IOC	VALID TIME	MAP AREA
1550	TEST CHART CBV CBM SCHEDULES	120/576		
1605	12HR SURFACE FORECAST	120/576	0000	A
1620	SATELLITE IMAGE	120/576	1200	A
1730	24 HR SURFACE FORECAST	120/576	1200	A
1745	SATELLITE IMAGE	120/576	1500	A
2005	SIGNIFICANT WAVE MAP FORECAST	120/576	1200	A
2020	SATELLITE IMAGE	120/576	1800	A
2240	36 HR SURFACE FORECAST	120/576	0000	A
2255	ANTARCTIC ICE LIMITS	120/576	WEEK	B
2310	WINDS BARB ISOTACHS FORECAST	120/576	1200	A
0350	48 HR SURFACE FORECAST	120/576	1200	A
0405	SATELLITE IMAGE	120/576	2400	A

MAP AREA: A: 10S-120W, 10S-50W, 80S-130W, 80S-30W  
 MAP AREA: B: 50S-90W, 50S-30W, 85S-90W, 85S-30W

(INFORMATION DATED Sep 23, 2010)  
[http://meteoarmada.directemar.cl/prontus\\_meteo/site/artic/20100817/pags/20100817162223.html](http://meteoarmada.directemar.cl/prontus_meteo/site/artic/20100817/pags/20100817162223.html)



NORTH  
AMERICA



# HALIFAX, NOVA SCOTIA, CANADA – not currently active

CALL SIGN	FREQUENCIES	TIMES	EMISSION	POWER
CFH	122.5 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	10 KW
	4271 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	6 KW
	6496.4 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	6 KW
	10536 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	6 KW
	13510 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	6 KW

TIME	CONTENTS OF TRANSMISSION	RPM/IOC TIME	VALID AREA	MAP
0001/-----	Ice Chart #1 (see note): Latest)	120/576	LATEST	
-----/1201	3-DAY PROG	120/576	1200	G
0101/-----	SATELLITE PHOTO INFRARED	120/576	0000	
-----/1222	4-DAY PROG	120/576	1200	G
-----/1301	5-DAY PROG	120/576	1200	G
0201/1401	12/00Z SIGNIFICANT WEATHER DEPICTION	120/576	12/00	A
0301/1501	500MB ANALYSIS	120/576	00/12	B
0322/1522	SURFACE ANALYSIS	120/576	00/12	F
-----/1601	850MB ANALYSIS	120/576	1200	B
0401/1622	36HR 500MB FORECAST	120/576	12/00	H
0422/1701	24HR SURFACE PROG	120/576	00/12	A
0501/-----	850 MB FORECAST WINDS	120/576	18&00	C
0601/1801	36HR SURFACE PROG	120/576	12/00	A
-----/1822	850MB FORECAST WINDS	120/576	06&12	C
0701/1901	18/06Z SIGNIFICANT WEATHER DEPICTION	120/576	18/06	A
0801/2001	24/36HR SIGNIFICANT WAVE PROGNOSIS	120/576	0&12/12&0	A
0901/2101	SURFACE ANALYSIS	120/576	06/18	F
1001/-----	SST: NOVA SCOTIA - MON NEWFOUNDLAND - TUE/FRI	120/576	LATEST	E/D
1001/-----	OFA: NOVA SCOTIA - WED/SAT NEWFOUNDLAND - SUN/THU	120/576	LATEST	E/D
-----/2201	SST: NOVA SCOTIA - TUE/THU/FRI NEWFOUNDLAND - WED/SAT	120/576	LATEST	E/D
-----/2201	OFA: NOVA SCOTIA - SUN NEWFOUNDLAND - MON	120/576	LATEST	E/D
1022/-----	SATELLITE PHOTO INFRARED	120/576	0900	
-----/2222	NEWFOUNDLAND ICE CHART	120/576	LATEST	
1101/-----	CFH BROADCAST SCHEDULE	120/576		
-----/2301	GULF OF ST LAWRENCE ICE CHART (SEASONAL)	120/576	LATEST	

## NOTES:

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The geographical area of coverage for the ice charts varies according to season. The typical areas are: Gulf of St. Lawrence, East Newfoundland waters, Labrador Coast, Hudson Strait, Davis Strait and Baffin Bay. The Canadian Ice Service prepares all ice charts.

MAP AREAS: A. 56N 87W, 56N 24W, 34N 38W, 34N 73W E. 50N 75W, 50N 48W, 34N 48W, 34N 75W  
 B. 76N 16W, 30N 20W, 23N 11W, 08N 69W F. 52N 98W, 58N 24W, 30N 39W, 28N 78W  
 C. 52N 80W, 65N 15W, 30N 60W, 34N 17W G. 52N 98W, 56N 24W, 30N 39W, 28N 78W  
 D. 60N 68W, 60N 33W, 43N 33W, 43N 68W H. 30N 107W, 15N 67W, 34N 24W, 79N 60W  
 I. 54N 100W, 58N 22W, 30N 39W, 28N 78W

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## IQALUIT, N.W.T., CANADA

CALL SIGN	FREQUENCIES	TIMES	EMISSION	POWER
VFF	3253.0 kHz	2100 – 2330 UTC	J3C	5 KW
VFF	7710.0 kHz	0010 – 0900 UTC	J3C	5 KW
TIME	CONTENTS OF TRANSMISSION	RPM/IOC	VALID TIME	MAP AREA
0100/1000	Marine Surface Analysis (Arctic) Marine Wind Prognosis (Arctic)(experimental product) Regional Marine Wind Prognosis (on request)	120/576		
0200/1100	Ice analysis Hudson Bay south, Hudson Bay north, Hudson Strait, Foxye Basin, Labrador Coast, Davis Strait, Baffin Bay	120/576		
0600/2100	Marine Surface Analysis (Arctic) Marine wind prognosis (Arctic) (experimental product) Regional Marine Wind Prognosis (on request)	120/576		
0700/2200	Ice Analysis Hudson Bay south, Hudson Bay north, Hudson Strait, Foxye Basin, Labrador Coast, Davis Strait, Baffin Bay.	120/576		

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## RESOLUTE, N.W.T., CANADA

CALL SIGN	FREQUENCIES	TIMES	EMISSION	POWER
VFR	3253.0 kHz	0010 – 0900 UTC	J3C	5 KW
VFR	7710.0 kHz	2100 – 2330 UTC	J3C	5 KW
TIME	CONTENTS OF TRANSMISSION	RPM/IOC	VALID TIME	MAP AREA
0100/1000	Marine Surface Analysis (Arctic) Marine wind prognosis (Arctic) ( experimental product) Regional Marine Wind Prognosis (on request)	120/576		
0200/1100	Ice analysis Baffin Bay, Approaches to Resolute, Resolute-Byam, Eureka Sound, McClure Strait, Parry Channel and Queen Maude.	120/576		
0600/2100	Marine Surface Analysis (Arctic) Marine wind prognosis (Arctic) (experimental product) Regional Marine Wind Prognosis (on request)	120/576		
0700/2200	Ice analysis Baffin Bay, Approaches to Resolute, Resolute-Byam, Eureka Sound, McClure Strait, Parry Channel and Queen Maude.	120/576		

Operating only from approximately mid-June until late-November

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## SYDNEY - NOVA SCOTIA, CANADA

CALL SIGN	FREQUENCIES	TIMES	EMISSION	POWER
VCO	4416 kHz	1121-1741	J3C	
VCO	6915.1 kHz	2200-2331	J3C	

  

TIME	CONTENTS OF TRANSMISSION	RPM/IOC	VALID TIME	MAP AREA
1121	ICE ANALYSIS GULF OF ST. LAWRENCE	120/576		
1142	ICE ANALYSIS EAST OR SOUTHEAST NEWFOUNDLAND WATERS	120/576		
1741	ICE ANALYSIS ICEBERG LIMIT	120/576		
2200	ICE ANALYSIS GULF OF ST. LAWRENCE	120/576		
2331	ICE ANALYSIS EAST OR SOUTHEAST NEWFOUNDLAND WATERS	120/576		

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## INUVIK, CANADA

CALL SIGN	FREQUENCIES	TIMES	EMISSION	POWER
VFA	8457.8 kHz		J3C	1 KW

  

TIME	CONTENTS OF TRANSMISSION	RPM/IOC	VALID TIME	MAP AREA
0200	Marine Wind Prognosis (Availability of charts may vary depending on shipping Ice Analysis (mid July to October 15) Amundsen Gulf, Queen Maud and McClure Strait. Ice Analysis Beaufort Sea/Alaskan Coast	120/576	1200	
1630	Marine Surface Analysis (Availability of charts may vary depending on shipping Ice Analysis (mid July to October 15) Amundsen Gulf, Queen Maud and McClure Strait. Ice Analysis Beaufort Sea/Alaskan Coast	120/576	1200	

Note: Also available on request

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# KODIAK, ALASKA, U.S.A.

CALL SIGN NOJ	FREQUENCIES	TIMES	EMISSION	POWER
	2054 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	4 KW
	4298 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	4 KW
	8459 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	4 KW
	12412.5 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	4 KW

CARRIER FREQUENCY IS 1.9 kHz BELOW THE ASSIGNED FREQUENCY

TIME	CONTENTS OF TRANSMISSION	RPM/IOC	VALID TIME	MAP AREA
0340/1540	TEST PATTERN	120/576		
0343/1543	SEA ICE ANALYSIS/REBROADCAST 5-DAY SEA ICE FORECAST	120/576	LATEST	6
0403/1603	SURFACE ANALYSIS	120/576	00/12	2
0427/1627	REBROADCAST 24HR SURFACE F'CAST 2227/1027	120/576	12/00	3
0437/1637	REBROADCAST 48HR SURFACE F'CAST 2237/1037	120/576	1200	1
0447/1647	REBROADCAST 96HR SURFACE F'CAST 2348	120/576	LATEST	
0456/1656	SEA STATE ANALYSIS/REBROADCAST	120/576	00/00	1
0506/1706	GOES IR SATELLITE IMAGE	120/576	00/12	5
0517/1717	500 MB ANALYSIS	120/576	00/12	1
0527/1727	SYMBOLS AND CONTRACTIONS/SCHEDULE	120/576		
0548/1748	REQUEST FOR COMMENTS/PRODUCT NOTICE	120/576		
0558/1758	24HR 500 MB FORECAST	120/576	00/12	1
0950/2150	TEST PATTERN	120/576		
0953/2153	SURFACE ANALYSIS	120/576	06/18	2
1017/2217	24HR WIND/WAVE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	3
1027/2227	24HR SURFACE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	3
1037/2237	48HR SURFACE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	1
1047/2247	48HR WIND/WAVE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	1
1057/2257	5-DAY SEA ICE FORECAST/REBROADCAST SEA ICE ANALYSIS	120/576	LATEST	6
1117/2317	GOES IR SATELLITE IMAGE	120/576	06/18	5
1128/2328	48HR WAVE PERIOD, SWELL DIRECTION	120/576	00/12	1
1138/2338	48HR 500 MB FORECAST	120/576	00/12	1
1148/-----	SEA SURFACE TEMPERATURE ANALYSIS	120/576	LATEST	4
1159/-----	COOK INLET SEA ICE FORECAST	120/576	LATEST	7
-----/2348	96HR SURFACE FORECAST	120/576	1200	1
-----/2358	96HR WIND/WAVE FORECAST	120/576	1200	1
-----/0008	96HR WAVE PERIOD, SWELL DIRECTION	120/576	1200	1
-----/0018	96HR 500 MB FORECAST	120/576	1200	1

MAP AREAS: 1. 20N - 70N, 115W - 135E 2. 40N - 70N, 125W - 150E  
 3. 40N - 70N, 115W - 170E 4. 40N - 60N, 125W - 160E  
 5. 05N - 60N, 110W - 160W 6. ICE COVERED AK WATERS  
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# PT. REYES, CALIFORNIA, U.S.A.

CALL SIGN	FREQUENCIES	TIMES (UTC)	EMISSION	POWER
NMC	4346 kHz	0140-1608	F3C	4 KW
	8682 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	4 KW
	12786 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	4 KW
	17151.2 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	4 KW
	22527 kHz	1840-2356	F3C	4 KW

TIME	CONTENTS OF TRANSMISSION	RPM/IOC	VALID TIME	MAP AREA
0140/1400	TEST PATTERN	120/576		
0143/1403	NE PACIFIC GOES IR SATELLITE IMAGE	120/576	00/12	6
0154/1414	PACIFIC GOES IR SATELLITE IMAGE	120/576	00/12	5
0205/1425	TROPICAL SEA STATE ANALYSIS	120/576	00/12	4
0215/1435	TROPICAL 48HR SURFACE FORECAST	120/576	12/00	4
0225/-----	TROPICAL 48HR WIND/WAVE FORECAST	120/576	1200	4
0235/-----	TROPICAL 72HR WIND/WAVE FORECAST	120/576	1200	4
0245/1445	500MB ANALYSIS	120/576	00/12	1
0255/1455	SEA STATE ANALYSIS, WIND/WAVE ANALYSIS	120/576	00/12	1/8
0305/1505	PRELIM SURFACE ANALYSIS (PART 1 NE PAC)	120/576	00/12	2
0318/1518	PRELIM SURFACE ANALYSIS (PART 2 NW PAC)	120/576	00/12	3
0331/1531	FINAL SURFACE ANALYSIS(PART 1 NE PAC)	120/576	00/12	2
0344/1544	FINAL SURFACE ANALYSIS(PART 2 NW PAC)	120/576	00/12	3
0357/1557	CYCLONE DANGER AREA* or HIGH WIND/WAVES	120/576	03/15	10
0408/1608	TROPICAL SURFACE ANALYSIS	120/576	00/12	4
0655/1840	TEST PATTERN			
0657/-----	2033Z REBROADCAST (96HR 500MB)	120/576	1200	1
0707/-----	2043Z REBROADCAST (96HR SURFACE)	120/576	1200	1
0717/-----	2053Z REBROADCAST (96HR WIND/WAVE)	120/576	1200	1
0727/-----	2103Z REBROADCAST (96HR WAVE PERIOD)	120/576	1200	1
-----/1842	SST ANALYSIS	120/576	LATEST	9
-----/1852	SST ANALYSIS	120/576	LATEST	6
0737/1902	TROPICAL GOES IR SATELLITE IMAGE	120/576	06/18	7
0748/1913	WIND/WAVE ANALYSIS	120/576	06/18	8
0758/1923	24HR 500MB FORECAST	120/576	00/12	1
0808/1933	24HR SURFACE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	8
0818/1943	24HR WIND/WAVE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	8
0828/1953	48HR 500MB FORECAST	120/576	00/12	1
0838/2003	48HR SURFACE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	1
0848/2013	48HR WIND/WAVE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	1
0858/2023	48HR WAVE PERIOD/SWELL DIRECTION	120/576	00/12	1
-----/2033	96HR 500MB FORECAST	120/576	1200	1
-----/2043	96HR SURFACE FORECAST	120/576	1200	1
-----/2053	96HR WIND/WAVE FORECAST	120/576	1200	1
-----/2103	96HR WAVE PERIOD/SWELL DIRECTION	120/576	1200	1
0908/2113	PACIFIC GOES IR SATELLITE IMAGE	120/576	06/18	5
0919/2124	SURFACE ANALYSIS (PART 1 NE PACIFIC)	120/576	06/18	2
0932/2137	SURFACE ANALYSIS (PART 2 NW PACIFIC)	120/576	06/18	3
0945/2150	TROPICAL SURFACE ANALYSIS	120/576	06/18	4
0959/2204	TROPICAL 24HR WIND/WAVE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	4
1009/2214	CYCLONE DANGER AREA* or HIGH WIND/WAVES	120/576	09/21	10
1120/2320	TEST PATTERN	120/576		
1124/2324	BROADCAST SCHEDULE (PART 1)	120/576		
1135/2335	BROADCAST SCHEDULE (PART 2)	120/576		
1146/-----	REQUEST FOR COMMENTS	120/576		
1157/-----	PRODUCT NOTICE BULLETIN	120/576		
1208-----	TROPICAL 48HR WIND/WAVE FORECAST	120/576	0000	4
1218/-----	TROPICAL 72HR WIND/WAVE FORECAST	120/576	0000	4
1228/2346	TROPICAL 48HR WAVE PERIOD/SWELL DIR	120/576	00/12	4
-----/2356	TROPICAL 72HR WAVE PERIOD/SWELL DIR	120/576	0000	4

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# PT. REYES, CALIFORNIA, U.S.A.

MAP AREAS: 1. 20N - 70N, 115W - 135E                      2. 20N - 70N, 115W - 175W  
3. 20N - 70N, 175W - 135E                      4. 20S - 30N, EAST OF 145W  
5. 05N - 55N, EAST OF 180W                      6. 23N - 60N, EAST OF 150W  
7. 05N - 32N, EAST OF 130W                      8. 18N - 62N, EAST OF 157W  
9. 40N - 53N, EAST OF 136W                      10. 0N - 40N, 80W - 180W

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# NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA, U.S.A.

CALL SIGN	FREQUENCIES	TIMES (UTC)	EMISSION	POWER
NMG	4317.9 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	4 KW
	8503.9 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	4 KW
	12789.9 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	4 KW
	17146.4 kHz	1200-2045	F3C	4 KW

TIME	CONTENTS OF TRANSMISSION	RPM/IOC	VALID TIME	MAP AREA
0000/1200	TEST PATTERN	120/576		
0005/1205	U.S./TROPICAL SURFACE ANALYSIS (W HALF)	120/576	18/06	1
0020/1220	TROPICAL SURFACE ANALYSIS (E HALF)	120/576	18/06	2
0035/1235	(REBROADCAST OF 1835/0635)	120/576	12/00	3
0045/1245	(REBROADCAST OF 1845/0645)	120/576	12/00	3
0055/1255	(REBROADCAST OF 1855/0655)	120/576	12/00	3
0105/1305	(REBROADCAST OF 1905/0705)	120/576	12/00	3
0115/1315	(REBROADCAST OF 1915/0715)	120/576	12/00	3
0125/1325	(REBROADCAST OF 1925/0725)	120/576	12/00	3
0135/1335	CYCLONE DANGER AREA* or 48 HR HIGH WIND/WAVES	120/576	21/09	6
0150/-----	(REBROADCAST OF 0825)	120/576	0000	3
-----/1350	36 HR WIND/WAVE FORECAST	120/576	1200	3
0200/1400	GOES IR TROPICAL SATELLITE IMAGE	120/576	00/12	4
0215/1415	00 HR SEA STATE ANALYSIS	120/576	00/12	3
0225/1425	REQUEST FOR COMMENTS/PRODUCT NOTICE	120/576		
0245/1445	HIGH SEAS FORECAST (IN ENGLISH)	120/576	22/10	5
0600/1800	TEST PATTERN	120/576		
0605/1805	U.S./TROPICAL SURFACE ANALYSIS (W HALF)	120/576	00/12	1
0620/1820	TROPICAL SURFACE ANALYSIS (E HALF)	120/576	00/12	2
0635/1835	24 HR WIND/WAVE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	3
0645/1845	48 HR WIND/WAVE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	3
0655/1855	72 HR WIND/WAVE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	3
0705/1905	24 HR SURFACE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	3
0715/1915	48 HR SURFACE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	3
0725/1925	72 HR SURFACE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	3
0735/1935	CYCLONE DANGER AREA* or 48HR HIGH WIND/WAVES	120/576	03/15	6
0750/1950	48 HR WAVE PERIOD/SWELL DIRECTION	120/576	00/12	3
0800/2000	GOES IR TROPICAL SATELLITE IMAGE	120/576	07/18	4
0815/2015	(REBROADCAST OF 0215/1415)	120/576	00/12	3
0825/-----	72 HR WAVE PERIOD/SWELL DIRECTION	120/576	0000	3
0835/-----	(REBROADCAST OF 1350)	120/576	1200	
-----/2025	BROADCAST SCHEDULE	120/576		
0845/2045	HIGH SEAS FORECAST (IN ENGLISH)	120/576	04/16	5

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- MAP AREAS:
1. 5S - 50N, 55W - 125W
  2. 5S - 50N, 0W - 70W
  3. 0N - 31N, 35W - 100W
  4. 12S - 44N, 28W - 112W
  5. 7N - 31N, 35W - 98W (AREA COVERED BY TEXT FORECAST)
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# BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS, U.S.A.

CALL SIGN	FREQUENCIES	TIMES	EMISSION	POWER
NMF	4235 kHz	0230z-1028z	F3C	4 KW
	6340.5 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	4 KW
	9110 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	4 KW
	12750 kHz	1400z-2228z	F3C	4 KW

  

TIME	CONTENTS OF TRANSMISSION	RPM/IOC	VALID TIME	MAP AREA
0230/1400	TEST PATTERN	120/576		
-----/1405	BROADCAST SCHEDULE (PART 1)	120/576		
-----/1420	BROADCAST SCHEDULE (PART 2)	120/576		
-----/1433	REQUEST FOR COMMENTS	120/576		
-----/1443	PRODUCT NOTICE BULLETIN	120/576		
0233/1453	PRELIMINARY SURFACE ANALYSIS	120/576	00/12	1
0243/-----	BROADCAST SCHEDULE (PART 1)	120/576		
0254/-----	BROADCAST SCHEDULE (PART 2)	120/576		
0305/-----	REQUEST FOR COMMENTS	120/576		
-----/1503	SATELLITE IMAGE	120/576	1200	5
0315/1515	WIND/WAVE ANALYSIS	120/576	00/12	8
0325/1525	SURFACE ANALYSIS (PART 1 NE ATLANTIC)	120/576	00/12	2
0338/1538	SURFACE ANALYSIS (PART 2 NW ATLANTIC)	120/576	00/12	3
0351/-----	SATELLITE IMAGE	120/576	0000	5
-----/1600	ICE CHARTS	120/576	LATEST	
-----/1720	TEST PATTERN	120/576		
0402/1723	(REBROADCAST OF 0325/1525)	120/576	00/12	2
0415/1736	(REBROADCAST OF 0338/1538)	120/576	00/12	3
0428/1749	500MB ANALYSIS	120/576	00/12	4
-----/1759	SEA STATE ANALYSIS	120/576	1200	4
0438/1810	ICE CHARTS	120/576	LATEST	
0452/1824	CYCLONE DANGER AREA* or 48HR HIGH WIND/WAVES	120/576	03/15	7
0745/1900	TEST PATTERN	120/576		
0755/-----	PRELIMINARY SURFACE ANALYSIS	120/576	0600	1
0805/1905	24HR SURFACE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	8
0815/1915	24HR WIND/WAVE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	8
0825/1925	24HR 500MB FORECAST	120/576	00/12	4
0835/1935	36HR 500MB FORECAST	120/576	12/00	4
0845/1945	48HR 500MB FORECAST	120/576	00/12	4
0855/1955	48HR SURFACE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	4
0905/2005	48HR WIND/WAVE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	4
0915/2015	48HR WAVE PERIOD FORECAST	120/576	00/12	4
-----/2025	PRELIMINARY SURFACE ANALYSIS	120/576	1800	1
-----/2035	96 HR 500MB FORECAST	120/576	1200	4
-----/2045	96 HR SURFACE FORECAST	120/576	1200	4
-----/2055	96 HR WIND/WAVE FORECAST	120/576	1200	4
-----/2105	96 HR WAVE PERIOD FORECAST	120/576	1200	4
-----/2115	(REBROADCAST OF 2045)	120/576	1200	4
0925/2125	SURFACE ANALYSIS (PART 1 NE ATLANTIC)	120/576	06/18	2
0938/2138	SURFACE ANALYSIS (PART 2 NW ATLANTIC)	120/576	06/18	3
0951/2151	SATELLITE IMAGE	120/576	06/18	6
1002/2202	(REBROADCAST OF 0925/2125)	120/576	06/18	2
1015/2215	(REBROADCAST OF 0938/2138)	120/576	06/18	3
1028/2228	CYCLONE DANGER AREA* or 48HR HIGH WIND/WAVES	120/576	09/21	7

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MAP AREAS 1. 28N-52N, 45W-85W    2. 18N-65N, 10E-45W  
 3. 18N-65N, 40W-95W    4. 18N-65N, 10E-95W  
 5. 20N-55N, 55W-95W    6. EQ-60N, 40W-130W  
 7. 05N-60N, 0W-100W    8. 22N-51N, 40W-98W

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# CHARLEVILLE, AUSTRALIA

CALL SIGNS	FREQUENCIES	TIMES	EMISSION	POWER
VMC	2628 kHz	0900-1900	F3C	1 KW
VMC	5100 kHz	All Broadcast Times	F3C	1 KW
VMC	11030 kHz	All Broadcast Times	F3C	1 KW
VMC	13920 kHz	All Broadcast Times	F3C	1 KW
VMC	20469 kHz	1900-0900	F3C	1 KW

# WILUNA, AUSTRALIA

CALL SIGN	FREQUENCIES	TIMES	EMISSION	POWER
VMW	5755 kHz	1100-2100	F3C	1 KW
VMW	7535 kHz	All Broadcast Times	F3C	1 KW
VMW	10555 kHz	All Broadcast Times	F3C	1 KW
VMW	15615 kHz	All Broadcast Times	F3C	1 KW
VMW	18060 kHz	2100-1100	F3C	1 KW

TIME	CONTENTS OF TRANSMISSION	RPM/IOC	VALID TIME	MAP AREA
-----/1200	Australian MSLP Prog (H+36)	120/576	1200	AUST
0015/1215	VMC/VMW Schedule Page 1 of 2	120/576		
0030/1230	VMC/VMW Schedule Page 2 of 2	120/576		
0045/-----	VMC/VMW Information Notice	120/576		
0100/-----	IPS Recommended Frequencies for VMC (Charleville))	120/576		
0130/-----	IPS RECOMMENDED FREQUENCIES FOR VMW	120/576		
-----/1245	Indian Ocean MSLP Prog (H+36)	120/576	1200	IO
-----/1315	South Pacific Ocean Total Waves (H+48)	120/576	0000	SWP
-----/1330	Indian Ocean Total Waves (H+48)	120/576	0000	IO
-----/1345	Pacific Ocean Sea Surface Temps (Weekly)	120/576	LATEST	SWP
-----/1400	Indian Ocean Sea Surface Temps (Weekly)	120/576	LATEST	IO
0200/-----	Australian MSLP Prog (H+36)	120/576	0000	AUST
-----/1415	Casey Eastern and Western High Seas (H+48)	120/576	0000	
0245/1430	Australian MSLP Anal (Manual)	120/576	00/12	AUST
0300/1500	Australian 500 hPa Anal	120/576	00/12	AUST
0315/-----	Voice Broadcast Information for VMW (Wiluna)	120/576		
-----/1515	Australian MSLP Prog (H+36)	120/576	1200	AUST
0400/-----	Australian 500 hPa (H+24) Prog	120/576	0000	AUST
0430/1530	Australian MSLP 4-day forecast, Days 1 and 2	120/576		
0445/1545	Australian MSLP 4-day forecast, Days 3 and 4	120/576		
-----/1600	Australian 500 hPa (H+24) Prog	120/576	1200	AUST
-----/1630	IPS Recommended Frequencies for VMC (Charleville)	120/576		
-----/1700	IPS Recommended Frequencies for VMW (Wiluna)	120/576		
0600/1800	Asian (Part A) Gradient Level Wind Anal (Manual)	120/576	00/12	A
0623/1823	Asian (Part B) Gradient Level Wind Anal (Manual)	120/576	00/12	B
0645/-----	Asian MSLP Anal (Manual)	120/576	0000	C
0730/1915	Indian Ocean MSLP Anal (Manual)	120/576	00/12	IO
0745/1930	Australian Wind Waves Ht(m) Prog	120/576	00/12	AUST
0800/1945	Australian Swell Waves Ht(m) Prog (H+24)	120/576	00/12	AUST
0830/-----	South Pacific Ocean MSLP Anal	120/576	0000	SWP
0845/-----	Australian MSLP Anal (Manual)	120/576	0600	AUST
0900/-----	Australian MSLP Prog (H+36) (Repeat)	120/576	0000	AUST
0915/-----	Australian MSLP 4-day forecast, Days 1 and 2 (Repeat)	120/576		
0930/-----	Australian MSLP 4-day forecast, Days 3 and 4 (Repeat)	120/576		
-----/2000	South Pacific Ocean MSLP Anal (Manual)	120/576	1200	SWP
-----/2015	Casey Eastern and Western High Seas (H+24)	120/576	1200	
-----/2030	Australian MSLP Anal (Manual)	120/576	1800	AUST
1015/-----	Casey Eastern and Western High Seas (H+24)	120/576	0000	
-----/2215	Casey Eastern and Western High Seas (H+36)	120/576	1200	
1030/2230	S.H. 500 hPa Prog (H+48)	120/576	00/12	SH
1045/2245	S.H. MSLP Prog (H+48)	120/576	00/12	SH
1100/-----	Casey Eastern and Western High Seas (H+36)	120/576	0000	
1115/2300	S.H. 500 hPa Anal	120/576	00/12	SH
-----/2315	Casey Eastern and Western High Seas (H+48)	120/576	1200	
1130/-----	Asian Sea Surface Temp Anal (Weekly)	120/576	LATEST	E
-----/2330	Australian MSLP Prog (H+36)	120/576	0000	AUST
-----/2345	Indian Ocean MSLP Prog (H+48)	120/576	1200	IO
1145/-----	VMC/VMW Information Notice	120/576		

# CHARLEVILLE & WILUNA, AUSTRALIA

TIME	CONTENTS OF TRANSMISSION	RPM/IOC	VALID TIME	MAP AREA
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0345	Australian MSLP Anal (Manual) Valid 0000
0500	Australian MSLP 4-day Forecast, Days 1 and 2
0515	Australian MSLP 4-day Forecast, Days 3 and 4
0000	Indian Ocean MSLP Anal (Manual) Valid 1200

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AUST:	LAMBERT	10S - 50S, 090E - 170E
B:		30N - 35S, 070E - 130E
C:		30N - 35S, 070E - 180
E:		40N - 40S, 70E - 180
IO	POLAR	10S - 90S, 0 - 090E - 180
CASEY	MERCATOR	50S - 70S, 080E - 160E
SH	POLAR	20S - 90S, all longitudes
PSST	MERCATOR	20N - 50S, 140E - 180 - 100W
SWP	POLAR	20S - 90S, 150E - 180 - 90W
IOSST	MERCATOR	20N - 50S, 30E - 150E

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# WELLINGTON, NEW ZEALAND

CALL SIGN	FREQUENCIES	TIMES	EMISSION	POWER
ZKLF	3247.4 kHz	0945-1700	F3C	5 KW
	5807 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	5 KW
	9459 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	5 KW
	13550.5 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	5 KW
	16340.1 kHz	2145-0500	F3C	5 KW

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 Add 15 minutes for 9459 kHz, 30 minutes for 13550.5 kHz and 45 minutes for 3247.4 and 16340.1 kHz

TIME	CONTENTS OF TRANSMISSION	RPM/IOC	VALID TIME	MAP AREA
0000/1200	SOUTHWEST PACIFIC 30HR SURFACE PROG (MSL)	120/576	00/12	SWP
0100/1300	SOUTHWEST PACIFIC 48HR SURFACE PROG (MSL)	120/576	00/12	SWP
0200/1400	SOUTHWEST PACIFIC 72HR SURFACE PROG (MSL)	120/576	00/12	SWP
0300/1500	TASMAN-NEW ZEALAND MSL ANALYSIS	120/576	00/12	TNZ
0400/1600	SOUTHWEST PACIFIC MSL ANALYSIS	120/576	00/12	SWP
0900/2100	TASMAN-NEW ZEALAND MSL ANALYSIS	120/576	06/18	TNZ
1000/2200	SOUTHWEST PACIFIC MSL ANALYSIS	120/576	06/18	SWP
1100/2300	TRANSMISSION SCHEDULE			

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# HONOLULU, HAWAII, U.S.A.

CALL SIGN	FREQUENCIES	TIMES (UTC)	EMISSION	POWER
KVM70	9982.5 KHz	0519-1556	F3C	4 KW
	11090 KHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	4 KW
	16135 KHz	1719-0356	F3C	4 KW

TIME	CONTENTS OF TRANSMISSION	RPM/IOC	VALID TIME	MAP AREA
0519/1719	TEST PATTERN	120/576		
0524/1724	SIGNIFICANT CLOUD FEATURES	120/576	03/15	D
0535/1735	CYCLONE DANGER AREA	120/576	03/15	E
0555/1755	STREAMLINE ANALYSIS	120/576	00/12	B
0615/1815	SURFACE ANALYSIS	120/570	00/12	C
0635/1835	EAST PACIFIC GOES IR SATELLITE IMAGE	120/576	06/18	G
0649/1849	SW PACIFIC GOES IR SATELLITE IMAGE	120/576	06/18	H
0701/1901	24HR SURFACE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	A
0714/1914	48HR SURFACE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	A
0727/1927	72HR SURFACE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	A
0740/1940	WIND/WAVE ANALYSIS	120/576	00/12	B
0753/1953	24HR WIND/WAVE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	B
0806/2006	24HR WIND/WAVE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	4
0816/2016	48HR SURFACE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	1
0826/2026	48HR WIND/WAVE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	1
0836/2036	48/96HR WAVE PERIOD, SWELL DIRECTION	120/576	00/12	1
0846/2046	rebroadcast/ 96HR SURFACE FORECAST	120/576	12/12	1
0856/2056	rebroadcast/ 96HR WIND/WAVE FORECAST	120/576	12/12	1
0906/2106	PACIFIC GOES IR SATELLITE IMAGE	120/576	06/18	5
0917/2117	SURFACE ANALYSIS (PART 1 NE PACIFIC)	120/576	06/18	2
0930/2130	SURFACE ANALYSIS (PART 2 NW PACIFIC)	120/576	06/18	3
0943/2143	TROPICAL GOES IR SATELLITE IMAGE	120/576	06/18	Y
0954/2154	TROPICAL SURFACE ANALYSIS	120/576	06/18	Z
1008/2208	24HR TROPICAL WIND/WAVE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	Z
1042/2242	CYCLONE DANGER AREA	120/570	09/21	E
1102/2302	48HR WIND/WAVE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	B
1115/2315	72HR WIND/WAVE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	B
1128/2328	SEA SURFACE TEMPS	120/576	LATEST	F
1141/2341	rebroadcast 24HR WIND/WAVE FORECASTS	120/576	00/12	B
1154/2354	STREAMLINE ANALYSIS	120/576	06/18	B
1214/0014	SURFACE ANALYSIS	120/576	06/18	C
1234/0034	EAST PACIFIC GOES IR SATELLITE IMAGE	120/576	12/00	G
1248/0048	SW PACIFIC GOES IR SATELLITE IMAGE	120/576	12/00	H
1300/0100	SCHEDULE PART I	120/576		
1320/0120	SCHEDULE PART II	120/576		
1340/0140	SYMBOLS OR PRODUCT NOTICE BULLETIN	120/576		
1400/0200	24HR TROPICAL SURFACE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	Z
1410/0210	48HR TROPICAL SURFACE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	Z
1420/0220	72HR TROPICAL SURFACE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	Z
1430/0230	48/72HR TROPICAL WAVE PERIOD, SWELL DIR	120/576	00/00	Z
1440/0240	TROPICAL SEA STATE ANALYSIS	120/576	12/00	Z
1450/0250	rebroadcast 24HR TROPICAL WIND/WAVE FORECASTS	120/576	00/12	Z
1500/0300	48HR TROPICAL WIND/WAVE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	Z
1510/0310	72HR TROPICAL WIND/WAVE FORECAST	120/576	00/12	Z
1520/0320	rebroadcast/SEA STATE ANALYSIS	120/576	00/00	1
1530/0330	SURFACE ANALYSIS(PART 1 NE PAC)	120/576	12/00	2
1543/0343	SURFACE ANALYSIS(PART 2 NW PAC)	120/576	12/00	3
1556/0356	TROPICAL SURFACE ANALYSIS	120/576	12/00	Z

MAP AREAS:

A. 30S - 50N, 110W - 130E	B. 30S - 30N, 110W - 130E	Honolulu Forecast Office
C. EQ - 50N, 110W - 130E	D. 30S - 50N, 110W - 160E	Honolulu Forecast Office
E. EQ - 40N, 80W - 170E	F. EQ - 55N, 110W - 160E	Honolulu Forecast Office
G. 05S - 55N, 110W - 155E	H. 40S - 05N, 130W - 165E	Honolulu Forecast Office
1. 20N - 70N, 115W - 135E	2. 20N - 70N, 115W - 175W	Ocean Prediction Center
3. 20N - 70N, 175W - 135E	4. 18N - 62N, EAST OF 157W	Ocean Prediction Center
5. 05N - 55N, EAST OF 180W		Ocean Prediction Center
Y. 05N - 32N, EAST OF 130W	Z. 20S - 30N, EAST OF 145W	National Hurricane Center

# HONOLULU, HAWAII, U.S.A.

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WIND SPEEDS ARE GIVEN BY WIND BARBS INDEPENDENT OF STREAMLINES.

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<a href="http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/home.htm">http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/home.htm</a>	NWS Marine Page
<a href="http://cell.weather.gov">cell.weather.gov</a> (WAP/WML browser required)	Cellphone page
<a href="http://mobile.weather.gov">mobile.weather.gov</a>	Mobile Page

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<http://weather.noaa.gov/pub/fax/hfhi.txt>

EUROPE



# ATHENS, GREECE

CALL SIGN	FREQUENCY	TIMES	EMISSION	POWER
SVJ4	4481 kHz		F3C	8 KW
SVJ4	8105 kHz		F3C	8 KW

  

TIME	CONTENTS OF TRANSMISSION	RPM/IOC	VALID TIME	MAP AREA
0845	SURFACE ANALYSIS	120/576	0600	A
0857	SURFACE PROG (H+24)	120/576	0600	A
0909	SURFACE PROG (H+48)	120/576	0600	A
0921	WAVE HEIGHT PROG (H+30)	120/576	1800	B
0933	WAVE HEIGHT PROG (H+36)	120/576	0000	B
0945	WAVE HEIGHT PROG (H+42)	120/576	0600	B
0957	WAVE HEIGHT PROG (H+48)	120/576	1200	B
1009	WAVE HEIGHT PROG (H+30)	120/576	1800	C
1021	WAVE HEIGHT PROG (H+36)	120/576	0000	C
1033	WAVE HEIGHT PROG (H+42)	120/576	0600	C
1044	WAVE HEIGHT PROG (H+48)	120/576	1200	C

MAP AREA: A - SOUTH EUROPE, MEDITERRANEAN SEA, BLACK SEA  
 B - MEDITERRANEAN  
 C - AEGEAN

(INFORMATION DATED (03/2007))

# MURMANSK, RUSSIA

CALL SIGN	FREQUENCIES	TIMES	EMISSION	POWER
RBW 41	5336 kHz		F3C	
	6445.5 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	
	7908.8 kHz	1900-0600	F3C	
RBW48	10130 kHz	0600-1900	F3C	

  

TIME	CONTENTS OF TRANSMISSION	RPM/IOC	VALID TIME	MAP AREA
0700	36HR SURFACE PROG	120/576	0000	A
0800	SEA STATE ANALYSIS	120/576	0600	C
1400	SURFACE TEMP ANALYSIS/ICEBERG POSITIONS	120/576	1200	B
1400	ANAL OF ICEBERG POSITIONS FOR PAST+24HR	120/576	1200	C
1430	24HR SEA STATE PROG	120/576	1200	C
1850	BROADCAST SCHEDULE	90/576		
2000	ICEBERG PROGNOSIS	120/576		

NOTES: (1) BASIC COVERAGE AREA IS FOR BARENTS SEA. MAP AREAS:

A	-1:05,000,000	67N 032W,	53N 047E,	72N 074E,	51N 004W
B	-1:03,000,000	79N 010E,	74N 010E,	79N 040E,	74N 040E
C	-1:05,000,000	78N 010E,	66N 010E,	78N 070E,	66N 070E

(INFORMATION DATED 11/97)

Update 03/2000 - Current operational frequencies report as being 6446 and 8444 kHz (nights) and 7907 kHz (days).

Update 03/2000 - Broadcast schedule may no longer be transmitted on-air.

Update 03/2002 - May only be transmitting on 6446 kHz.

# HAMBURG/PINNEBERG, GERMANY

CALL SIGNS	FREQUENCIES	TIMES	EMISSION	POWER
DDH3	3855 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	10 KW
DDK3	7880 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	20 KW
DDK6	13882.5 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	20 KW

TIME	CONTENTS OF TRANSMISSION	RPM/IOC	VALID TIME	MAP AREA
-----/1520	Ice conditions chart West Baltic Sea or special area	120/576	0900	
-----/1540	Ice conditions chart European Arctic Sea or special area	120/576	0900	
0430/1600	Surface weather chart	120/576	00/12	
0512/-----	h + 30 (GME ) surface pressure	120/576	1800	
0525/1800	surface pressure analysis, arrows showing the movement of pressure systems, significant weather, ice	120/576	00/12	
0546/1821	Information of tropical storms, North Atlantic (during the season )	120/576	03/15	
-----/1834	H+24 (GME) surface pressure	120/576	1200	
0559/-----	H + 12, H + 24 (GME) 500 hPa H + T, surface P	120/576	0000	
0612/-----	H + 12, H + 24 (GME) 850 hPa H + T, 700 hPa U	120/576	0000	
0625/-----	H + 36, H + 48 (GME) 500 hPa H + T, surface P	120/576	0000	
0638/-----	H + 36, H + 48 (GME) 850 hPa H + T, 700 hPa U	120/576	0000	
0651/-----	H + 60, H + 72 (GME) 500 hPa H + T, surface P	120/576	0000	
0704/-----	H + 60, H + 72 (GME) 850 hPa H + T, 700 hPa U	120/576	0000	
0717/-----	Repetition chart 0512 UTC	120/576	1800	
0730/1847	H+48 (GME) surface pressure	120/576	00/12	
0743/-----	Repetition chart 0525 UTC	120/576	0000	
0804/1900	H+84 (GME) surface pressure	120/576	00/12	
0817/-----	H+108 (GME) surface pressure	120/576	0000	
0830/1913	H+24 (GSM) Sea and swell, wind direction, direction of swell	120/576	00/12	
0842/1926	H+48 (GSM) Sea and swell, wind direction, direction of swell	120/576	00/12	
0854/1939	H+72 (GSM) Sea and swell, wind direction, direction of swell	120/576	00/12	
0906/-----	H+96 (GSM) Sea and swell, wind direction, direction of swell	120/576	0000	
0930/2100	Ice conditions chart Northwest Atlantic	120/576	00/12	
0945/-----	Sea surface temperature North Sea	120/576	0000	
1007/2115	Ice conditions chart West Baltic Sea	120/576	00/15	
1029/2136	H+48 wave prediction North Atlantic	120/576	00/12	
1050/2200	Surface weather chart	120/576	06/18	
1111/-----	Transmission schedule	120/576		
1132/-----	Test chart	120/576		
1145/-----	Repetition chart 1050 UTC	120/576	0600	
1205/-----	Repetition chart 0512 UTC	120/576	1800	
1220/-----	Repetition chart 0730 UTC	120/576	0000	

Notes: Abbreviations have the following meaning: GME Global model (31 layers, 60 km)  
H Contour lines (gpdam) MSL Mean sea level T Isotherms (° C) U Relative humidity (%)

(INFORMATION DATED (032010)

[http://www.dwd.de/bvbw/generator/DWDWWW/Content/Schiffahrt/Sendeplan/broadcast\\_fax\\_032010,templateId=raw,property=publicationFile.pdf/broadcast\\_fax\\_032010.pdf](http://www.dwd.de/bvbw/generator/DWDWWW/Content/Schiffahrt/Sendeplan/broadcast_fax_032010,templateId=raw,property=publicationFile.pdf/broadcast_fax_032010.pdf)

# NORTHWOOD, UNITED KINGDOM

CALL SIGNS	FREQUENCIES	TIMES	EMISSION	POWER
GYA	2618.5 kHz	2000-0600 UTC?	F3C	10 KW
GYA	4610 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	10 KW
GYA	8040 kHz	ALL BROADCAST TIMES	F3C	10 KW
GYA	11086.5 kHz	0600-2000 UTC?	F3C	10 KW

TIME	CONTENTS OF TRANSMISSION	TIME	CONTENTS OF TRANSMISSION
0012	18Z SURFACE FSXX RPT 2	1212	06Z SURFACE FSXX T+24 RPT 2
0024	18Z 850MB WBPT/PPTN T+24 RPT 1	1224	06Z 850MB WBPT / PPTN T+24 RPT 1
0036	18Z SST/DPT T+24 RPT 1	1236	06Z SST/DPT T+24 RPT 1
0100	MAIN SCHEDULE	1300	MAIN SCHEDULE
0112	SYMBOLGY	1312	
0124	QSL REPORT	1324	
0136	OCEAN FRONTS	1336	OCEAN FRONTS
0200	00Z SURFACE ASXX	1400	12Z SURFACE ASXX
0212		1412	WHITE SHIPPING NWAPPS
0224	WHITE SHIPPING UK	1424	WHITE SHIPPING IRISH SEA
0248	WHITE SHIPPING NWAPPS	1448	WHITE SHIPPING SWAPPS
0300	00Z SURFACE ASXX RPT1	1500	12Z SURFACE ASXX RPT 1
0312	WHITE SHIPPING SWAPPS	1512	00Z ANPS FSXX T+24
0324	WHITE SHIPPING IRISH SEA	1524	00Z ANPS FSXX T+120
0348	00Z 700MB WBPT/300MB GPH ASXX	1548	12Z 700MB WBPT/300MB GPH ASXX
0400	00Z SURFACE ASXX RPT 2	1600	12Z SURFACE ASXX RPT 2
0412	00Z 850MB WBPT/PPTN T+24	1612	12Z 850MB WBPT/PPTN T+24
0424	00Z SST/DPT T+24	1624	12Z SST/DPT T+24
0436	00Z SURFACE FSXX T+24	1636	12Z SURFACE FSXX T+24
0448	00Z SURFACE ASXX RPT 3	1648	12Z SURFACE ASXX RPT 3
0500	06Z SCEXAS TAFS	1700	18Z SCEXAS TAFS
0512	00Z SURFACE FSXX T+24 RPT 1	1712	12Z SURFACE FSXX T+24 RPT 1
0524	00Z SURFACE FSXX T+48	1724	12Z SURFACE FSXX T+48
0536	06Z NWEXAS TAFS	1736	18Z NWEXAS TAFS
0548	00Z 700MB WBPT/300MB GPH T+24	1748	12Z 700MB WBPT/300MB GPH T+24
0612	00Z SURFACE ASXX RPT 4	1812	12Z SURFACE ASXX RPT 4
0624	00Z SURFACE FSXX T+24 RPT 2	1824	12Z SURFACE FSXX T+24 RPT 2
0636	00Z SHIP ICE ACCRETION	1836	12Z SHIP ICE ACCRETION
0648	07Z SCEXAS TAFS	1848	19Z SCEXAS TAFS
0712	00Z THICKNESS / GPH ASXX	1912	12Z THICKNESS / GPH ASXX
0724	00Z SURFACE FSXX T+48 RPT 1	1924	12Z SURFACE FSXX T+48 RPT 1
0736	00Z SURFACE FSXX T+72	1936	12Z SURFACE FSXX T+72
0748	00Z SURFACE FSXX T+96	1948	12Z SURFACE FSXX T+96
0800	00Z SURFACE FSXX T+120	2000	12Z SURFACE FSXX T+120
0836	09Z NWEXAS TAFS	2036	21Z NWEXAS TAFS
0900	06Z SURFACE ASXX	2100	18Z SURFACE ASXX
0912	00Z THICKNESS / GPH ASXX RPT 1	2112	12Z THICKNESS / GPH ASXX RPT 1
0924	00Z THICKNESS / GPH FSXX T+24	2124	12Z THICKNESS / GPH FSXX T+24
0936	00Z 850MB SPOT WINDS T+24	2136	12Z 850MB SPOT WINDS T+24
1000	06Z SURFACE ASXX RPT 1	2200	18Z SURFACE ASXX RPT 1
1012	06Z SURFACE FSXX T+24	2212	18Z SURFACE FSXX T+24
1024	06Z REDUCED VIS T+24	2224	18Z REDUCED VIS T+24
1036	06Z 850MB WBPT / PPTN T+24	2236	18Z 850MB WBPT / PPTN T+24
1048	06Z SST/DPT T+24	2248	18Z SST/DPT T+24
1100	06Z SURFACE ASXX RPT 2	2300	18Z SURFACE ASXX RPT 2
1112	06Z SURFACE FSXX T+24 RPT 1	2312	06Z SURFACE FSXX T+24 RPT 1
1124	06Z SIGWVHT/DIR T+24	2324	18Z SIGWVHT/DIR T+24
1136	00Z THICKNESS / GPH FSXX T+24 RPT 2	2336	12Z THICKNESS / GPH FSXX T+24 RPT 2
1148	12Z NWEXAS TAFS	2348	00Z NWEXAS TAFS

All MAPS 54°N.82°W 26°N.45°W 54°N.51°E 28°N.12°E ??

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# APPENDICIES



# NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE MARINE PRODUCTS VIA INTERNET INCLUDING RADIOFAX

The Internet is not part of the National Weather Service's operational data stream and should never be relied upon as a means to obtain the latest forecast and warning data. Become familiar with and use other means such as NOAA Weather Radio to obtain the latest forecasts and warnings. Please read our **disclaimer** <http://www.nws.noaa.gov/disclaimer.php>.

Note: Any reference to a commercial product or service does not imply any endorsement by the National Weather Service as to function or suitability for your purpose or environment.

## Marine Text Forecasts and Products

The majority of National Weather Service (NWS) forecasts and warnings may be found under the **NWS webpage** <http://www.nws.noaa.gov/>. Of specific interest to mariners are the **NWS Marine Text Forecasts and Products** <http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/home.htm#text>. For convenience, High Seas, Offshore and Coastal marine forecasts are subdivided by sea area or zone and available via the Internet using our text interface or graphic interface. Individual NWS Forecast Offices and Centers producing marine forecasts provide links to their products as well as additional regionally focused information.

## Explanation of Codes Used in Various Marine Text Forecasts and Weather Broadcasts:

- [Valid Time Event Code](#)
- [Universal Geographic Code \(UGC\)](#)
- [MAFOR](#)
- [Ships Synoptic Code \(BBXX\)](#)
- [MARS](#)
- [MAROB](#)
- [NOAA Weather Radio SAME Codes](#)
- [XML, CAP, RSS](#)
- [General Text Specification for Weather Products](#)
- [How to read the Hurricane Forecast/Advisory \(TCM\), More](#)
- Others (coming...check back)

## Marine Graphic Forecasts and Products

Graphic marine forecasts are produced by NWS for broadcast via **radiofax** <http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/radiofax.htm> and also made available via the Internet at **Marine Radiofax Charts** <http://weather.noaa.gov/fax/marine.shtml>.

The National Weather Service also plans to make available marine forecast data in gridded and vector formats for display on electronic charts and use by other value-added applications. Graphics using these data are available via the Internet for most U.S. coastal areas. Also see **Computer Generated Model Guidance** below.

## Satellite and RADAR Imagery

Satellite imagery may be found on the **GOES webpage** <http://www.goes.noaa.gov/>, and is also available from **NASA** <http://rsd.gsfc.nasa.gov/goes/>. Ocean surface winds and other data derived from polar orbiting and geostationary satellites may be found on **NOAA's Marine Observing Systems Team Homepage** <http://manati.orbit.nesdis.noaa.gov/> and **NOAA's Coastwatch Homepage** <http://coastwatch.noaa.gov/>. Information and links to Sea Surface Temperature Charts and Gulf Stream charts may be found on our **FAQ** <http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/faq.htm> webpage. **NEXRAD Doppler Radar images** [http://radar.weather.gov/Conus/index\\_lite.php](http://radar.weather.gov/Conus/index_lite.php) are available on the Internet on the **NWS Homepage** <http://www.nws.noaa.gov/> and local **NWS Forecast Offices** [http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/marine\\_map.htm](http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/marine_map.htm) homepages. NEXRAD Doppler Radar images may also be found on local cable channels and the webpages of local media including TV stations, radio stations and newspapers as well as others.

## Ice Analysis, Forecasts and Iceberg Reports

Ice analyses, forecasts and iceberg reports are available from the **National Ice Center** <http://www.natice.noaa.gov/>, the **U.S. Coast Guard's International Ice Patrol** <http://www.uscg.mil/lantarea/iip/home.html>, and **local NWS marine forecast offices** [http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/marine\\_map.htm](http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/marine_map.htm) in areas such as **Alaska** <http://pafc.arh.noaa.gov/ice.php> where ice is a concern. Ice forecasts and observations are also made available as **radiofax** <http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/radiofax.htm>, **text products** <http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/home.htm#text> and computer generated model guidance.

## Computer Generated Model Guidance

Computer generated model guidance products used by marine forecasters is available from the **Ocean Modeling Branch** <http://polar.ncep.noaa.gov/>, **National Centers for Environmental Prediction** <http://www.ncep.noaa.gov/>, the **Environmental Modeling Center** <http://www.emc.ncep.noaa.gov/>, the "Operational Forecast System" Model Guidance from the National Ocean Service <http://tidesandcurrents.noaa.gov/models.html>, and the Great Lakes Coastal Forecasting System (GLCFS) <http://www.glerl.noaa.gov/res/glcfs/>.

NCEP model data in graphic and gridded binary (GRIB) form may be found on **NCEP's N.O.M.A.D.S. (NOAA Operational Model Archive Distribution System)** <http://www.nomad3.ncep.noaa.gov/>, NOMADS3, NOMADS5 and NOMADS6 web servers.

The **Weather Charts** <http://weather.noaa.gov/fax/graph.shtml> webpage contains charts, intended as guidance to forecasters, which can prove of value to mariners. Note: Several charts listed under "Weather Charts", which are no longer required to support NWS operations, may be terminated or made available at alternate sites. This should not include those which are broadcast by marine radiofacsimile.

Caution...these data have not been validated by marine forecasters and may be misleading. Mariners should use these data in conjunction with forecaster generated forecasts.

## Marine Climatological Information

User-friendly climatological information for marine coastal areas may be found in **Appendix T of the National Ocean Service's Coast Pilot's, volumes 1-9** <http://chartmaker.ncd.noaa.gov/nsd/coastpilot.htm>. These appendices, which were prepared by the **National Climatic Data Center** <http://lwf.ncdc.noaa.gov/oa/ncdc.html>, also contain other useful meteorological information such as conversion tables. Visit their webpage for further information.

The National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency now makes available some of its **Pilot Charts** <http://msi.nga.mil/NGAPortal/MSI.portal> on-line.

## Foreign Marine Forecasts

Links to **foreign meteorological services** [http://www.wmo.int/pages/members/index\\_en.html](http://www.wmo.int/pages/members/index_en.html), and foreign marine meteorological services are available courtesy of the **World Meteorological Organization (WMO)** [http://www.wmo.int/pages/index\\_en.html](http://www.wmo.int/pages/index_en.html).

The WMO has also introduced an experimental **GMDSS Webpage** <http://weather.gmdss.org/> which, as a first step, provides links to worldwide meteorological bulletins and warnings issued for the high seas via SafetyNet.

Also try **the Naval Oceanography Portal** <http://www.usno.navy.mil/> for data which is outside the area of U.S. marine forecast responsibility.

## WEBCAMS

The advent of the Internet has brought about a new type of observation system popular with beachgoers, surfers, and others - the WEBCAM which displays live images of current conditions. To find WEBCAMS for marine areas use your favorite Internet search engine to search for such key words as Beach Cams, Surf Cams, Coastal Cams, Ocean Cams, Port Cams and Cruise Cams. You may wish to refine your search by adding your geographic area to the search's key words.

## Buoy and Other Real-Time Observations

The latest coastal and offshore weather observations from NOAA fixed and drifting data buoys and Coastal-Marine Automated Network (C-MAN) stations may be found at the **National Data Buoy Center** <http://www.ndbc.noaa.gov/> webpage. Real time meteorological and oceanographic observations for several sites are also available from the **Physical Oceanographic Real-Time System (Ports)** <http://tidesandcurrents.noaa.gov/ports.htm/>. PORTS is a program of the U.S. **National Ocean Service** <http://oceanservice.noaa.gov/> that supports safe and cost-efficient navigation by providing ship masters and pilots with accurate real-time information required to avoid groundings and collisions. **Several National Ocean Service tide gages are also equipped with ancillary meteorological sensors** <http://tidesonline.nos.noaa.gov/geographic.html/>. Regionally focused observation data may also be found on the webpages of local **NWS Forecast Offices** [http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/marine\\_map.htm](http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/marine_map.htm). Some marine observations may also be found on our **NWS Marine Product Listing and Schedule** <http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/forecast.htm>. Historical and real-time beach temperature data is available from the **NODC Coastal Water Temperature Guide** <http://www.nodc.noaa.gov/dsdt/cwtq/>.

NOAA's Forecast Systems Laboratory (FSL) offers a **Display of Surface Data** [http://madis.noaa.gov/sfc\\_display/](http://madis.noaa.gov/sfc_display/) from several government, commercial and voluntarily operated mesonets as well as observations of those of the **Voluntary Observing Ship (VOS) Program** <http://www.vos.noaa.gov/> and data buoys. A variety of marine observations may also be viewed on the **National Ocean Service's nowCOAST Web Portal (BETA)** <http://co-ops.nos.noaa.gov/nowcoast.html/>.

For mariners with a low speed Internet connection..... The latest buoy or C-MAN data may be retrieved via the Internet as in the following example where 44017 refers to buoy #44017.

[http://www.ndbc.noaa.gov/mini\\_station\\_page.php?station=44017](http://www.ndbc.noaa.gov/mini_station_page.php?station=44017)

## Tide Predictions, Observations and Storm Surge Forecasts

Near real-time Water Level Observations, and Predicted Tide Information for the calendar year <http://tidesandcurrents.noaa.gov/>, are available from the **National Ocean Service** <http://oceanservice.noaa.gov/>. Read the **NOS Tides FAQ** <http://tidesandcurrents.noaa.gov/faq1.html/> for further information on obtaining NOS tides and tidal current data. Caution is urged in using tide data made available at University and other webpages. This information may not be based on current government data and be of unknown quality.

The National Weather Service's Cleveland Forecast Office makes available a series of **experimental Great Lakes Water Levels Graphs** <http://marine.wcleveland.noaa.gov/levels.html/>, using National Ocean Service data, intended to be low speed connection friendly for Internet access by vessels afloat.

Experimental, computer generated, **Extratropical Water Level Forecasts** <http://www.nws.noaa.gov/mdl/etsurge/> are available from the National Weather Service's **Meteorological Development Laboratory** <http://www.nws.noaa.gov/tdl/>. Status maps are provided to give the user a quick overview of a region. Forecasts of storm surge produced as a result of a tropical storm or hurricane are available from your **local NWS Forecast Office** <http://www.weather.gov/organization.php>.

The **"Operational Forecast System" Model Guidance from the National Ocean Service** <http://tidesandcurrents.noaa.gov/models.html/> have been created to provide the maritime community with improved short-term predictions of water levels. *Please be advised that these predictions are based on a hydrodynamic model and, as such, should be considered as computer-generated forecast guidance.*

## For Emergency Responders and Planners

**NOAA's Office of Response and Restoration, National Ocean Service** <http://response.restoration.noaa.gov/index.php>, offers a series of job aids and software to predict weather and ocean affects on the trajectory of hazardous materials such as oil spills. The information may be helpful for further applications as well.

## Historic Weather Forecasts, Satellite Images and Oceanographic Data

For historic weather forecasts, satellite images and oceanographic data, contact the National Climatic Data Center and National Oceanographic Data Center, found on our listing of **Phone Numbers and Addresses** <http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/phone.htm>.

## Voluntary Observations from Mariners

All NWS marine forecasts rely heavily on the **Voluntary Observing Ship (VOS)** <http://www.vos.noaa.gov/> program for obtaining meteorological observations. Ship observations may also be found on the **NOAA's Forecast Systems Laboratory (choose maritime)** [http://madis.noaa.gov/sfc\\_display/](http://madis.noaa.gov/sfc_display/), **CoolWX** <http://coolwx.com/buoydata/>, and **SailWX.info** <http://www.sailwx.info>, **Oceanweather** <http://www.oceanweather.com/data/index.html> webpages.

The National Weather Service has a number of other volunteer observation programs including the **SKYWARN**, **MAREP**, **MAROB**, **MARS**, **APRSWXNET/Citizen Weather Observer Program (CWOP)** and the **Cooperative Observer Program (COOP)** see <http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/voluntary.htm> which are of benefit to the marine community.

## Marine Webpages

The Internet contains a great number of webpages of interest to the mariner. Visit our **Links** <http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/mlinks.htm> page for a listing of recommended webpages pertaining to Marine Weather. The **U.S. Coast Guard Maritime Telecommunications Information webpage** <http://www.navcen.uscg.gov/?pageName=maritimeTelecomms> contains an excellent description of marine communication systems. There are also many other Internet sites of interest to the mariner. Use one the Internet search engines to search on topics such as "marine weather", "radiofax", "radiofacsimile", "weather buoys", "tides", etc. The **NOAA Library** <http://www.lib.noaa.gov/> provides an excellent listing of links to marine related webpages within NOAA and elsewhere.

## Marine Weather Publications On the Web

Many marine weather related government publications are available on the Web. Visit our **publications webpage** <http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/pub.htm> for several we recommend including our popular Marine Service Charts, the Weather Log Magazine, and our listing of Worldwide Marine Radiofacsimile Broadcast Schedules.

## Internet Access for Mariners

Internet at sea can be problematic unless you stay within cellular telephone range of shore. The maximum speed for cellular telephones is typically 14.4 Kbaud, however, a number of cellular service providers are now offering enhanced services with speeds in the range of 56 Kbaud - 144 Kbaud. Terrestrial wireless Internet services such as those provided by [GoAmerica](#), [TeleSea](#), and [Motient](#), are beginning to become available, however, these provide limited maritime coverage. These companies may employ "Marine WIFI" technology which is rapidly becoming popular at marinas and in favorite harbor areas. Satellite services including [Inmarsat](#), [Iridium](#), [Globalstar](#), [Thuraya](#), [Emsat](#), [ACeS](#), [tracNet/DirecPC](#), [Mobile Satellite Ventures](#), [BoatracS](#), [Orbcomm](#), [Digital Seas International](#), and [MTN](#) are available, however, costs are generally greater. Several companies offer e-mail services designed to optimize satellite connectivity including [MAILASAIL](#), [MarineNet](#), [OCENS](#), [Telaurus](#), [UUPLUS](#) and [XGate](#). Full Internet access is often available if you have a satellite terminal onboard, but presently unless you restrict your use to e-mail messages, costs can be high. A number of satellite services such as Inmarsat-C offer e-mail messaging services only and provide no access to the World Wide Web. Several transmission and data compression schemes are available and in development to make the Web more accessible to the mariner. There are also several public FTP-to-EMAIL and WWW-to-EMAIL servers available to allow Internet access for users who do not have direct or cost effective access to the World Wide Web but who are equipped with an e-mail system. See <http://www.faqs.org/faqs/internet-services/access-via-email/> for information. Low cost, worldwide, access to the World Wide Web via satellite should be available to the mariner in the next five to ten years.

If you have an HF marine radio, E-mail service is available from companies such as Sailmail, SeaMail, CruiseEmail, Global Marine Networks, MarineNet Wireless, Kielradio, Globe Wireless and Mobile Marine Radio (WLO)/Telaurus. E-mail can be accomplished at no cost using **amateur radio** <http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/ham.htm>.

The domain of the Internet is rapidly expanding to now include wireless devices such as so-called "Internet-Ready" digital cellular phones and Personal Data Assistants (PDAs). These offer great potential for making marine forecasts available to coastal mariners, who have limited other options available. The majority of these other options are by voice where there is always the possibility of misunderstanding.

A webpage for the most popular marine text forecasts compatible with many PDA's may be found at <http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/marinewxi.htm>.

Visit <http://www.nhc.noaa.gov/aboutwap.shtml> where you will find NHC/TPC's wireless web page. There you can find the link to obtain NHC/TPC's most popular hurricane products, offshore forecasts, and high seas forecasts.

A WAP webpage for compatible cellphones containing marine and public forecasts may be found at: [cell.weather.gov](http://cell.weather.gov) NOW WITH GREATLY ENHANCED MARINE LINKS (includes a capability to view the forecast for any zip/city and radar images).

A low bandwidth webpage containing marine and public forecasts intended for mobile devices may be found at: <http://mobile.weather.gov/> (includes a capability to view the forecast for any zip/city and radar images). Note....WAP/WML webpages require a WAP-capable cellphone or other WAP-capable device.

A number of Cellular service providers are beginning to offer value-added Internet-like services which provide access to NOAA tide data, marine forecasts, and other items of interest to the wireless customer. These require a digital phone with some of the more advanced features. See your Cellular service provider for details. There may be a nominal fee required for using these services.

## National Weather Service Products Available Via E-MAIL (FTPMAIL)

National Weather Service marine text forecasts, radiofax charts and buoy observations are available via e-mail. Further, FTPMAIL may be used to acquire any file on the tgftp.nws.noaa.gov FTP server. The FTPMAIL server is intended to allow Internet access for mariners and other users who do not have direct access to the World Wide Web but who are equipped with an e-mail system. Turnaround is generally in under one hour, however, performance may vary widely and receipt cannot be guaranteed. To get started in using the NWS FTPMAIL service, follow these simple directions to obtain the FTPMAIL "help" file (11 KBytes), or see <http://weather.noaa.gov/pub/fax/ftpmail.txt>.

Send an e-mail to: [ftpmail@ftpmail.nws.noaa.gov](mailto:ftpmail@ftpmail.nws.noaa.gov)

Subject line: Put anything you like

Body: help

An FAQ webpage describing several public and commercial FTP-to-EMAIL and WWW-to-EMAIL servers may be found at: [www.fags.org/fags/internet-services/access-via-email/](http://www.fags.org/fags/internet-services/access-via-email/)

A webpage describing several different e-mail "robots" similar in concept to FTPMAIL, including some with advanced features such as allowing retrieval of NWS marine GRIB files, simple webpages, and allowing products to be retrieved on a scheduled, recurring basis may be found at: <http://weather.noaa.gov/pub/fax/robots.txt>

## Internet Broadcasts

Marine weather data may also be obtained via the Internet using EMWIN <http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/emwin.htm>. As part of the **New NOAA Weather Wire Service** <http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/wxwire.htm>, **Computer Sciences Corporation** <http://dynis.fedcsc.com/contracts/other/nwws/default.htm> broadcasts the entire **Weather Wire product stream on the Internet as a commercial service** <http://dynis.fedcsc.com/contracts/other/nwws/options.htm>.

## Watches, Warnings and Advisories Using RSS and CAP XML Based Formats

The National Weather Service provides access to **watches, warnings and advisories for land areas** <http://www.weather.gov/alerts/>, and for **hurricane watches and warnings** <http://www.nhc.noaa.gov/aboutrss.shtml>, via **RSS** <http://www.weather.gov/alerts/#rss> and **CAP/XML** <http://www.weather.gov/alerts/#cap> to aid the automated dissemination of this information. Planning is in progress to extend this to marine warnings.

## Directories of NWS Marine Forecasts

For Website developers or other "power" users, many NWS marine text forecast products are available at the following URL's, indexed by WMO header or zone.

<http://weather.noaa.gov/pub/data/forecasts/marine/>

<ftp://tgftp.nws.noaa.gov/data/forecasts/marine/>

<http://weather.noaa.gov/pub/data/raw/>

<ftp://tgftp.nws.noaa.gov/data/raw/>

<http://www.ndbc.noaa.gov/data/Forecasts/>

<http://www.weather.gov/data/>

<http://www.srh.noaa.gov/data>

<http://www.weather.gov/view/validProds.php>

Many National Weather Service Weather Charts may be found in the following directories, indexed by WMO ID or other identifier.

<http://weather.noaa.gov/pub/fax/>

<ftp://tgftp.nws.noaa.gov/fax/>

## Change Notices

For details on changes to NWS products, visit the **Office of Climate, Water, and Weather Services Service Change Notifications** <http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/notif.htm>, the **Requirements and Change Management Status page** <http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/cm/status.html>, and **NWS Telecommunication Operations Center (TOC) Data Management Change Notices** <http://www.nws.noaa.gov/datamgmt/notices.shtml> webpages. See <http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/recent.htm> for a summary of recent changes of most interest to mariners and coastal residents.

# NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE INTERNET SITES

NWS Homepage	<a href="http://www.nws.noaa.gov">http://www.nws.noaa.gov</a>
NWS Marine Forecasts	<a href="http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/home.htm">http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/home.htm</a>
NWS Marine Text Products	<a href="http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/home.htm#text">http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/home.htm#text</a>
NWS Marine Radiofax Products	<a href="http://weather.noaa.gov/fax/marine.shtml">http://weather.noaa.gov/fax/marine.shtml</a>
NWS Voluntary Observing Ship Program	<a href="http://www.vos.noaa.gov">http://www.vos.noaa.gov</a>
AMVER/SEAS Homepage	<a href="http://seas.amverseas.noaa.gov/seas/">http://seas.amverseas.noaa.gov/seas/</a>

# U.S. NAVY AND OTHER WEATHER INTERNET SITES

See these sites for further links

Naval Oceanography Portal	<a href="http://www.usno.navy.mil/">http://www.usno.navy.mil/</a>
International Ice patrol	<a href="http://www.uscg-iip.org/">http://www.uscg-iip.org/</a>
National Ice Center	<a href="http://www.natice.noaa.gov">http://www.natice.noaa.gov</a>
WMO Homepage	<a href="http://www.wmo.ch">http://www.wmo.ch</a>
JCOMM GMDSS	<a href="http://weather.gmdss.org/">http://weather.gmdss.org/</a>
USCG Maritime Telecommunications	<a href="http://www.navcen.uscg.gov/?pageName=maritimeTelecomms">http://www.navcen.uscg.gov/?pageName=maritimeTelecomms</a>



# APPENDIX B

## FTPMAIL INSTRUCTIONS

National Weather Service marine text forecasts, radiofax charts and buoy observations are available via e-mail. Further, FTPMAIL may be used to acquire any file on the tgftp.nws.noaa.gov FTP server. The FTPMAIL server is intended to allow Internet access for mariners and other users who do not have direct access to the World Wide Web but who are equipped with an e-mail system. Turnaround is generally in under one hour, however, performance may vary widely and receipt cannot be guaranteed.

This PDF file contains links to http pages and FTPMAIL commands. The links may not be compatible with all PDF readers and e-mail systems. The Internet is not part of the National Weather Service's operational data stream and should never be relied upon as a means to obtain the latest forecast and warning data. Become familiar with and use other means such as NOAA Weather Radio to obtain the latest forecasts and warnings. Please read our ***disclaimer*** <http://www.nws.noaa.gov/disclaimer.php>.



FTPMAIL help file

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\* WARNING \*

\* This is a United States Government Computer. Use of  
\* this computer for purposes for which authorization  
\* has not been extended is a violation of federal law.

\* (Reference Public Law 99-474)

\* For Help contact:

\* marine.weather@noaa.gov 301-713-1677 x 128

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\*\*\*\* IMPORTANT NOTICES \*\*\*\* Read these notes carefully \*\*\*\*

Effective January 08, 2008, the address of the FTPMAIL service changed from ftpmail@weather.noaa.gov to ftpmail@ftpmail.nws.noaa.gov. If you restrict incoming e-mail as a means of preventing spam, you must configure your e-mail system to allow mail from ftpmail@ftpmail.nws.noaa.gov

CAUTION - READ THIS HELP FILE CAREFULLY - 99% OF ERRORS USING FTPMAIL ARE SIMPLE TYPO'S, INCORRECT CAPITALIZATION, FAILURE TO SEND IN PLAIN TEXT FORMAT, LEADING OR TRAILING SPACES, OR FAILURE TO SET UP ANY SPAM FILTERS PROPERLY. FOLLOW THE EXAMPLES CLOSELY!

FTPMAIL e-mail requests must be sent in ASCII/Plain Text only. HTML formatting will likely result in no response from the FTPMAIL server.

This "help" file contains a detailed description of the FTPMAIL system and available products. To obtain another copy of the FTPMAIL "help" file:

Send an e-mail to: ftpmail@ftpmail.nws.noaa.gov  
Subject Line: Put anything you like  
Body: help

These instructions are subject to revision....download frequently.

tgftp.nws.noaa.gov is the only valid FTP site for this service.

This National Weather Service (NWS) FTPMAIL server is intended to allow Internet access for users who do not have direct access to the World Wide Web but who are equipped with an e-mail system. The service is free and no signup is required. Using FTPMAIL, users can request files from NWS and have them automatically e-mailed back to them. Turnaround is generally in under one hour, however, performance may vary widely and receipt cannot be guaranteed.

NOTICE - Check time and date of forecasts. Downloaded data may not represent the latest forecast. The Internet is not part of the National Weather Service's operational data stream and should never be relied upon as a means to obtain the latest forecast and warning

data. Become familiar with and use other means such as NOAA Weather Radio to obtain the latest forecasts and warnings. Please read our disclaimer at <http://www.nws.noaa.gov/disclaimer.php>

Although these instructions are tailored for marine users to gain access to graphic(radiofax) and text products via e-mail, all publicly available data on the [tgftp.nws.noaa.gov](http://tgftp.nws.noaa.gov) Internet FTP server is accessible using the FTPMAIL service.

To use FTPMAIL, the user sends a small script file via e-mail to NWS requesting the desired file(s). A list of available product directories, retrievable via FTPMAIL is shown below.

Users should be familiar with sending and receiving messages and attachments with their particular e-mail system. Attachments are received in UUencoded form. The majority of modern e-mail systems handle the conversion automatically, other users will need to run the UUdecode program for their particular system. If your e-mail system does not UUENCODE automatically, you will get back a bunch of gibberish starting with something like "begin 600 PWAE98.TIF" See your system administrator if you have any questions on this topic. UUdecode freeware and shareware may also be found on the Web, but the easier solution is to try a different e-mail system if that option is open to you. The UUencoding process can add 0 to >100% overhead depending on your system and the type of file.

Files sizes for NWS radiofax graphic files average 35KB but can be much greater. Users should be aware of the costs for operating their particular e-mail system before attempting to use FTPMAIL, especially when using satellite communication systems. For marine users, using FTPMAIL via INMARSAT-C for obtaining current NWS radiofax graphic files is cost prohibitive. Using the FTPMAIL compression feature of FTPMAIL is not recommended as these files are already in a compressed T4(G4) format enveloped in TIFF for viewing. You will need a graphics program capable of displaying files in this format in order to view them. Suggestions for TIFF viewers may be found in file <http://weather.noaa.gov/fax/rfaxtif.txt>

NEW! Radiofax .TIF files now also available as (larger) .gif files

The following examples demonstrate the use of FTPMAIL. Indexes of currently available marine products, the list FTPMAIL commands, and suggestions for TIFF viewers may be obtained following these instructions.

To use FTPMAIL:

- o Send an e-mail via the Internet to: [ftpmail@ftpmail.nws.noaa.gov](mailto:ftpmail@ftpmail.nws.noaa.gov)
- o Put anything you like on the subject line
- o Enter a command script in the body of the message

NOTE: Correct capitalization for commands, directory and file names is critical

Example scripts are:

help

Connect to default\_site ([tgftp.nws.noaa.gov](http://tgftp.nws.noaa.gov)) and send back this help file to e-mail address of requestor

```
open
cd fax
get PWAE98.TIF
quit
```

Connect to default\_site (tgftp.nws.noaa.gov) and send back the chart file PWAE98.TIF to e-mail address of requestor

```
open
cd data
cd forecasts
cd marine
cd coastal
cd an
get anz231.txt
quit
```

Connect to default\_site (tgftp.nws.noaa.gov) and send back coastal marine zone forecast ANZ231 to e-mail address of requestor

```
open
cd data
cd forecasts
cd zone
cd md
get mdz009.txt
quit
```

Connect to default\_site (tgftp.nws.noaa.gov) and send back public land zone forecast MDZ009 to e-mail address of requestor.  
(Contact your local forecast office to identify the public forecast zone number for your county, known as the UGC code)

```
reply-to captain.kidd@noaa.gov
open
dir
quit
```

Connect to default\_site (tgftp.nws.noaa.gov) and send back the contents of the top level directory to captain.kidd@noaa.gov

```
open
cd fax
get ftpcmd.txt (List of FTPMAIL commands)
get rfaxtif.txt (TIFF suggestions)
get rfaxatl.txt (Atlantic radiofax file directory)
get rfaxpac.txt (Pacific radiofax file directory)
get rfaxmex.txt (Gulf of Mexico and Trop Atl radiofax file dir)
get rfaxak.txt (Alaska radiofax and ice file directory)
get rfaxhi.txt (Hawaii radiofax file directory)
get otherfax.txt (Foreign charts file directory)
get marine1.txt (Highseas,Offshore,Open Lakes,NAVTEX text file dir)
get marine2.txt (Hurricane text file directory)
get marine3.txt (Coastal forecasts text file directory)
get marine4.txt (Offshore forecasts by zone directory)
get marine5.txt (Atlantic coastal forecasts by zone directory)
get marine6.txt (Pacific coastal forecasts by zone directory)
```

```
get marine7.txt      (Gulf of Mexico coastal forecasts by zone dir)
get marine8.txt      (Great Lakes coastal forecasts by zone directory)
get marine9.txt      (Alaska coastal forecasts by zone directory)
get marine10.txt     (Hawaii&Trust coastal forecasts by zone directory)
get uk.txt           (UK marine forecasts from Bracknell directory)
get canada.txt       (Canadian marine text forecast directory)
get tsunami.txt     (Tsunami products directory)
get buoydata.txt    (Buoy and C-MAN station observations directory)
get robots.txt      (Marine forecasts and info via e-mail systems)
quit
```

Connect to default\_site (tgftp.nws.noaa.gov) and send back the requested files to e-mail address of requestor.

Many, but not all National Weather Service forecast products may be obtained using FTPMAIL if the WMO/AWIPS Header is known as follows.

Example:

To obtain the Atlantic high seas Forecast, WMO header FZNT01 KWBC, AWIPS header HSFAT1

```
Send an e-mail to:      ftpmail@ftpmail.nws.noaa.gov
Subject Line:           Put anything you like
Body:                   open
                        cd data
                        cd raw
                        cd fz
                        get fznt01.kwbc.hsf.atl.txt
                        quit
```

\*\*\*\*\*SPECIAL NOTES\*\*\*\*\*

CAUTION - READ THIS HELP FILE CAREFULLY - 99% OF ERRORS USING FTPMAIL ARE SIMPLE TYPO'S, INCORRECT CAPITALIZATION, FAILURE TO SEND IN PLAIN TEXT FORMAT, LEADING OR TRAILING SPACES, OR FAILURE TO SET UP ANY SPAM FILTERS PROPERLY. FOLLOW THE EXAMPLES CLOSELY!

FTPMAIL e-mail requests must be sent in ASCII/Plain Text only. HTML formatting will likely result in no response from the FTPMAIL server.

Make certain you have not enabled any auto-reply function in your email system.

If you see the following response and believe your script to be correct, the most likely problem is that you are sending your e-mail in HTML format rather than the required plain text format.

```
<FTP EMAIL> response
ftpmail has failed to queue your request with an error of:
    Must have an 'open [site [user [pass]]]'
```

tgftp.nws.noaa.gov is the only valid FTP site for this service.

Problems have been reported by users of Hotmail. (This may now be fixed)

If you restrict incoming e-mail as a means of preventing spam, you must program your e-mail system to allow messages from:  
ftpmail@ftpmail.nws.noaa.gov

The majority of error messages have been disabled. You may or may not receive an error message back from FTPMAIL if your script is in error.

FTPMAIL problems are occasionally encountered when embedded control characters are received within the e-mail message received by the FTPMAIL server. These control characters may be introduced by the user's e-mail system and may be unavoidable.

Also be certain that each of your commands does not have any leading and/or trailing space(s) or you may see an error message with a number of statements saying "=20"

Problems may also be encountered in trying to go down several levels of directories simultaneously, e.g. "cd data/forecasts/marine/test". Use a series of commands "cd data", "cd forecasts", "cd marine" instead. In both these instances, the likely error will be "Directory not Found"

If the FTPMAIL server is too busy, you will receive an e-mail with a subject line similar to: "ftpmail job queuing for retry queue/097095.69568" Your request will be resubmitted automatically and your requested file(s) should be received within several hours.

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An FAQ webpage describing several public and commercial FTP-to-EMAIL and WWW-to-EMAIL servers may be found at:  
[www.faqs.org/faqs/internet-services/access-via-email/](http://www.faqs.org/faqs/internet-services/access-via-email/)

If you have access to the Internet, be certain to check out the following webpages. See these pages for further links.

<a href="http://www.nws.noaa.gov">http://www.nws.noaa.gov</a>	NWS Homepage
<a href="http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/home.htm">http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/home.htm</a>	NWS Marine Page
<a href="http://cell.weather.gov">cell.weather.gov</a> (WAP/WML browser required)	Cellphone page
<a href="http://mobile.weather.gov">mobile.weather.gov</a>	Mobile Page

Author: Marine and Coastal Weather Services Branch, W/OS21  
National Weather Service  
Last Modified Dec 08, 2010  
Document URL: <http://weather.noaa.gov/pub/fax/ftpmail.txt>  
<ftp://tgftp.nws.noaa.gov/fax/ftpmail.txt>

\*\*\*FTPMAIL commands for ftpmail@ftpmail.nws.noaa.gov FTPMAIL server\*\*\*

\*\*\*\* IMPORTANT NOTICES \*\*\*\*

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Read the help file carefully - 99% of errors using FTPMAIL are simple typo's, incorrect capitalization, failure to send in plain text format, leading or trailing spaces, or failure to set up any spam filters properly.

These instructions are subject to revision....download frequently.

FTP's files and sends them back via electronic mail

NOTE: \*.noaa.gov are the only valid FTP sites for this FTPMAIL server.

NOTE: Capitalization is critical for this server. Commands are un-capitalized, while some directory and file names are CAPITALIZED, while others are un-capitalized.

To use FTPMAIL:

- o Send an E-mail via the Internet to ftpmail@ftpmail.nws.noaa.gov
- o Put anything you like on the subject line
- o Enter a command script in the body of the message

Example scripts are:

```
reply-to lmjm@server.big.ac.uk
```

```
open
dir
quit
```

Connect to default\_site (tgftp.nws.noaa.gov) and send back the contents of the top level directory to lmjm@server.big.ac.uk

```
open
cd fax
get PWAG01.TIF
quit
```

Connect to default\_site (tgftp.nws.noaa.gov) and send back the chart file PWAG01.TIF to e-mail address of requestor

>>Valid commands to the ftpmail gateway are:

reply-to email-address Who to send the response to. This is optional and defaults to the users email address

>>Followed by one of:

help Just send back help

delete jobid Delete the given job  
(jobid is received from server)

open [site [user [pass]]]  
Site to ftp to. Default is:  
default\_site anonymous reply-to-address.

>>If there was an open then it can be followed by up to 100 of the  
>>following commands

cd pathname Change directory.  
cd .. Move up 1 directory.  
cd / Move to the root directory.

ls [pathname] Short listing of pathname.  
Default pathname is current directory.

dir [pathname] Long listing of pathname.  
Default pathname is current directory.

get pathname Get a file and email it back.

compress Compress files/dir-listings before emailing back

gzip Gzip files/dir-listings before emailing back

uuencode These are mutually exclusive options for  
btoa converting a binary file before emailing.  
(Default is uuencode.)

force uuencode Force all files or directory listings to  
force btoa be encoded before sending back.  
There is no default.

mime Send the message as a Mime Version 1.0 message.  
Text will be sent as text/plain charset=US-ASCII  
Non-text as application/octet-stream.  
If the file is splitup then it will be sent  
as a message/partial.

force mime As mime but force text files to be sent as  
application/octet-stream

no [compress|gzip|uuencode|btoa|mime]  
Turn the option off.

size num[K|M] Set the max size a file can be before it  
is split up and emailed back in parts to  
the given number of Kilo or Mega bytes.  
This is limited to 275KB. Default is 275KB.

mode binary Change the mode selected for the get

mode ascii                    command. Defaults to binary.  
quit                         End of input - ignore any following lines.

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## Suggested TIFF Viewers

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### Commercial Viewers for DOS/Windows 3.1

HyperFax.111 by Hypersoft	(603) 356-0210
Viewdirector by TMS, Inc.	(800) 944-7654
Imagehandler by LeadTools	(800) 637-4699
Keyview by FTP Software	(800) 242-4FTP
Snowview Platinum by Snowbound Software	(617) 630-9495

### Shareware viewers for DOS/Windows 3.1

Paint Shop Pro 3.0 by Jasc, Inc. (612) 930-9171  
Graphic Workshop v1.1p  
VIDVUE v1.1 by L. Gozum  
QuickView v1.2e (limited - can't rotate)

### Shareware viewers for OS/2

PMJPEG  
PMView v0.9

### Shareware viewer for Apple/MAC

GraphicConverter 2.6  
All programs that support Quicktime 6.0+  
Netscape 7.0 (Free)  
Internet Explorer 5.1 (Free)  
Eudora Pro 4.2 (shareware)  
PictureViewer QT 6.0 (Free included with Macs)  
Graphic Converter 3.6 - 4.x (shareware)  
Canvas 7.0 +  
Photoshop Elements 2.0 (Free with Wacom Tablets etc.)  
Photoshop 6.0 +  
Canon file viewer utility 1.3.2.9 (included with Canon Digital cameras)  
Media Assistant 2.0.4 (image cataloger) Low cost  
Cumulus 5.5 (Image Cataloger) Low cost

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Body: open  
cd fax  
get PPAE10.TIF

get PWAE98.gif  
quit

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12Z Surface Analysis Chart, Part 2, 40W-95W N. Hemisphere	<a href="#">PYAA06.TIF</a>
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18Z Surface Analysis Chart, Part 2, 40W-95W N. Hemisphere	<a href="#">PYAA08.TIF</a>
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#### TROPICAL CYCLONE CHARTS

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Tropical Cyclone Danger Area\* VT09, 05N-60N, 00W-100W [PWEK90.TIF](#)  
Tropical Cyclone Danger Area\* VT15, 05N-60N, 00W-100W [PWEK91.TIF](#)  
Tropical Cyclone Danger Area\* VT21, 05N-60N, 00W-100W [PWEK88.TIF](#)  
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12Z GOES IR Satellite Image, West Atlantic [evnt12.jpg](#)  
18Z GOES IR Satellite Image, Atlantic [evnt18.jpg](#)  
W Atlantic or Atlantic (Most Current) [evnt99.jpg](#)

#### ICE CHARTS

Ice Chart from U.S. Coast Guard International Ice Patrol [PIEA88.TIF](#)  
(During Ice Season only ~Feb-Sep, for further information see:  
<http://www.uscg.mil/lantarea/iip/home.html>)

#### SCHEDULE INFORMATION

Radiofax Schedule Part 1 (Boston, MA) [PLAZ01.TIF](#)  
Radiofax Schedule Part 2 (Boston, MA) [PLAZ02.TIF](#)  
Radiofax Schedule (DOS Text Version) [hfmarsh.txt](#)  
Request for Comments [PLAZ03.TIF](#)  
Product Notice Bulletin [PLAZ04.TIF](#)  
Test Pattern [PZZZ94.TIF](#)  
Internet File Names (This file) [rfaxatl.txt](#)

\* Tropical Cyclone Danger Area chart replaced by 48HR High Wind/Wave Warning chart Dec 01 - May 14 Valid times 00z,06z,12z and 18z, Map area 05N-40N, 35W-100W

Tropical cyclone charts also broadcast from New Orleans, LA

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<http://www.nws.noaa.gov> NWS Homepage  
<http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/home.htm> NWS Marine Page  
[cell.weather.gov](http://cell.weather.gov) (WAP/WML browser required) Cellphone page  
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06Z Wind/Wave Analysis 18N-62N, E OF 157W	<a href="#">PWBB88.TIF</a>
12Z Wind/Wave Analysis 18N-62N, E OF 157W	<a href="#">PWBA89.TIF</a>
18Z Wind/Wave Analysis 18N-62N, E OF 157W	<a href="#">PWBD89.TIF</a>
Wind/Wave Analysis 18N-62N, E OF 157W (Most Current)	<a href="#">PWBA90.TIF</a>
24HR Wind/Wave Forecast VT00Z 18N-62N, E of 157W	<a href="#">PWBE98.TIF</a>
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48HR Wind Wave Forecast (Most Current)	<a href="#">PJBI10.TIF</a>
48HR Wave Period/Swell Direction VT00Z 20N-70N, 115W-135E	<a href="#">PJBI88.TIF</a>
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96HR Wind/Wave Forecast VT12Z 20N-70N, 115W-135E	<a href="#">PJBM98.TIF</a>
96HR Wave Period/Swell Direction VT12Z 20N-70N, 115W-135E	<a href="#">PJBM88.TIF</a>

#### TROPICAL WIND/WAVE CHARTS

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#### SURFACE CHARTS

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Surface Analysis, Part 2 (Most Current)	<a href="#">PYBA91.TIF</a>
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East Pacific Surface Analysis Most Current	<a href="#">PYFA90.TIF</a>
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72 HR Tropical Cyclone Danger Area VT 21Z 0N-40N, 80W-180W	<a href="#">PWFK91.TIF</a>
72 HR Tropical Cyclone Danger Area (Most Current)	<a href="#">PWFK11.TIF</a>

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#### SEA SURFACE TEMPERATURES

Pacific SST Chart 40N-53N, E of 136W	<a href="#">PTBA88.TIF</a>
Pacific SST Chart 23N-42N, E of 150W	<a href="#">PTBA89.TIF</a>

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@18Z GOES IR Satellite Image, East Pacific	<a href="#">evpn14.jpg</a>
21Z GOES VISIBLE Satellite Image, East Pacific	<a href="#">evpn00.jpg</a>
GOES Satellite Image, East Pacific (MOST CURRENT)	<a href="#">evpn98.jpg</a>
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12Z GOES IR Satellite Image, Pacific	<a href="#">evpn12.jpg</a>
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Radiofax Schedule (DOS Text Format)	<a href="#">hfreyes.txt</a>
Request for Comments	<a href="#">PLBZ03.TIF</a>
Product Notice Bulletin	<a href="#">PLBZ04.TIF</a>
Test Pattern	<a href="#">PZZZ93.TIF</a>
Internet File Names (This file)	<a href="#">rfaxpac.txt</a>

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<a href="http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/home.htm">http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/home.htm</a>	NWS Marine Page
cell.weather.gov (WAP/WML browser required)	Cellphone page
<a href="http://mobile.weather.gov">mobile.weather.gov</a>	Mobile Page

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cd fax  
get PWEE11.TIF

get PYEA11.gif  
quit

#### WIND/WAVE CHARTS

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00Z Sea State Analysis, 0N-31N, 35W-100W	<a href="#">PJEA88.TIF</a>
12Z Sea State Analysis, 0N-31N, 35W-100W	<a href="#">PJEA90.TIF</a>
Sea State Analysis (Most Current)	<a href="#">PJEA11.TIF</a>
24HR Wind/Wave Forecast VT00, 0N-31N, 35W-100W	<a href="#">PWEE89.TIF</a>
24HR Wind/Wave Forecast VT12, 0N-31N, 35W-100W	<a href="#">PWEE91.TIF</a>
24HR Wind/Wave Forecast (Most Current)	<a href="#">PWEE11.TIF</a>
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48HR Wave Period/Swell Dir Forecast VT00, 0N-31N, 35W-100W	<a href="#">PJEI88.TIF</a>
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#### SURFACE CHARTS

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Tropical Surface Forecast(Most Current)	<a href="#">PYEI10.TIF</a>
72HR Tropical Surface Forecast(E Half)VT00,00N-31N, 35W-100W	<a href="#">PYEK83.TIF</a>
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Tropical Surface Forecast(Most Current)	<a href="#">PYEK10.TIF</a>

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#### TROPICAL CYCLONE CHARTS

Tropical Cyclone Danger Area* VT03, 05N-60N, 00W-100W	<a href="#">PWEK89.TIF</a>
Tropical Cyclone Danger Area* VT09, 05N-60N, 00W-100W	<a href="#">PWEK90.TIF</a>
Tropical Cyclone Danger Area* VT15, 05N-60N, 00W-100W	<a href="#">PWEK91.TIF</a>
Tropical Cyclone Danger Area* VT21, 05N-60N, 00W-100W	<a href="#">PWEK88.TIF</a>
Tropical Cyclone Danger Area* (Most Current)	<a href="#">PWEK11.TIF</a>

#### HIGH SEAS FORECASTS

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High Seas Forecast (Most Current)

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0645Z GOES IR Satellite Image, 12S-44N, 28W-112W  
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1745Z GOES IR Satellite Image, 12S-44N, 28W-112W  
2345Z GOES IR Satellite Image, 12S-44N, 28W-112W  
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[PLEZ03.TIF](#)  
[PZZZ95.TIF](#)  
[rfaxmex.txt](#)

\* Tropical Cyclone Danger Area chart replaced by 48HR High Wind/Wave Warning chart Dec 01 - May 14 Valid times 00z,06z,12z and 18z, Map area 05N-40N, 35W-100W

Tropical cyclone charts also broadcast from Boston, MA

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Cellphone page

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24HR Wind Wave Forecast (Most Current)	<a href="#">PJBE10.TIF</a>
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96HR Wave Period/Swell Direction VT12Z 20N-70N, 115W-135E	<a href="#">PJBM88.TIF</a>

SURFACE CHARTS

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Surface Analysis (Most Current)	<a href="#">PYCA10.TIF</a>
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SEA SURFACE TEMPERATURES

Sea Surface Temperature Analysis 40N-60N,125W - 160E	<a href="#">PTCA88.TIF</a>
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18Z GOES IR Satellite Image, Pacific	<a href="#">evpn18.jpg</a>
GOES IR Satellite Image, Pacific (MOST CURRENT)	<a href="#">evpn99.jpg</a>

ICE CHARTS

Sea Ice Analysis  
5 Day Sea Ice Forecast  
Cook Inlet Sea Ice Analysis

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Pacific Wind/Wave Analysis (Most Current)	<a href="#">PJFB10.TIF</a>
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72HR Wind/Wave Forecast VT12Z 20S-30N, E of 145W	<a href="#">PWFK93.TIF</a>
72HR Wind/Wave Forecast (Most Current)	<a href="#">PWFK10.TIF</a>
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WIND/WAVE CHARTS - NORTH PACIFIC

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@ Wind/Wave Analysis 18N-62N, E OF 157W (Most Current)	<a href="#">PWBA90.TIF</a>
24HR Wind/Wave Forecast VT00Z 18N-62N, E of 157W	<a href="#">PWBE98.TIF</a>
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SURFACE CHARTS - SE PACIFIC

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## SEA SURFACE TEMPERATURE CHARTS

Pacific SST Chart 55N-EQ, 110W-160E	<a href="#">PTFA88.TIF</a>
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## SCHEDULE INFORMATION

Radiofax Schedule (Honolulu, HI) Part I	<a href="#">PLBZ07.TIF</a>
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Radiofax Schedule (DOS Text Version) [hfhi.txt](#)  
Test/Map Symbols/General Notice [PLBZ08.TIF](#)  
Internet File Names (This file) [rfaxhi.txt](#)

@ Not transmitted via Honolulu radiofax but listed here for convenience

Many of these charts also broadcast from Pt. Reyes, CA and Kodiak, AK

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<a href="http://www.nws.noaa.gov">http://www.nws.noaa.gov</a>	NWS Homepage
<a href="http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/home.htm">http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/home.htm</a>	NWS Marine Page
<a href="http://cell.weather.gov">cell.weather.gov</a> (WAP/WML browser required)	Cellphone page
<a href="http://mobile.weather.gov">mobile.weather.gov</a>	Mobile Page

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NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE MARINE TEXT PRODUCTS  
HIGHSEAS, FORECAST DISCUSSION, OFFSHORE, NAVTEX, and OPEN LAKE PRODUCTS

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Send an e-mail to: ftpmail@ftpmail.nws.noaa.gov  
Subject Line: Put anything you like  
Body: open  
cd data  
cd forecasts  
cd marine  
cd high\_seas  
get north\_pacific.txt  
get north\_atlantic.txt  
quit

HIGH SEAS FORECASTS

These files may be found in directory:  
ftp://tgftp.nws.noaa.gov/data/forecasts/marine/high\_seas/

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

FILE NAME

Northwest Atlantic Highseas (GMDSS Area IV)	<a href="#">north_atlantic.txt</a>
Northeast Pacific Highseas (GMDSS Area XII)	<a href="#">north_pacific.txt</a>
Peru Highseas (GMDSS Area XVI)	<a href="#">east_pacific_3.txt</a>
25S-0N, 160E-120W South Central Pacific	<a href="#">south_hawaii.txt</a>
30-60N, east of 160 E (p/o NE Pacific)	<a href="#">east_pacific_1.txt</a>
0-30N, E of 140W (p/o NE Pacific)	<a href="#">east_pacific_2.txt</a>
0-30N, 160E-140W (p/o NE Pacific)	<a href="#">north_hawaii.txt</a>

#### FORECAST DISCUSSION

These files may be found in directory:  
ftp://tgftp.nws.noaa.gov/data/raw/ag/

#### Example:

Send an e-mail to: ftpmail@ftpmail.nws.noaa.gov  
Subject Line: Put anything you like  
Body: open  
cd data  
cd raw  
cd ag  
get agnt40.kwnm.mim.atn.txt  
quit

#### PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

#### FILE NAME

Northwest Atlantic	<a href="#">agnt40.kwnm.mim.atn.txt</a>
Northeast Pacific	<a href="#">agpn40.kwnm.mim.pac.txt</a>
Gulf, Caribbean Sea & SW N. Atlantic	<a href="#">agxx40.knhc.mim.ats.txt</a>

Note...these Forecast Discussions are primarily intended for use by forecasters and make heavy use of abbreviations. A glossary is not available.

#### OFFSHORE FORECASTS

For offshore forecasts, NAVTEX forecasts can also be utilized which are nearly identical and may contain supplementary information at times for coastal areas.

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ftp://tgftp.nws.noaa.gov/data/raw/fz/

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Send an e-mail to: ftpmail@ftpmail.nws.noaa.gov  
Subject Line: Put anything you like  
Body: open  
cd data  
cd raw  
cd fz  
get fznt21.kwbc.off.nt1.txt  
quit

#### PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

#### FILE NAME

New England	<a href="#">fznt21.kwbc.off.nt1.txt</a>
Mid-Atlantic	<a href="#">fznt22.kwbc.off.nt2.txt</a>
SW North Atlantic, Caribbean	<a href="#">fznt23.knhc.off.nt3.txt</a>
Gulf of Mexico	<a href="#">fznt24.knhc.off.nt4.txt</a>
Washington, Oregon	<a href="#">fzpn25.kwbc.off.pz5.txt</a>
California	<a href="#">fzpn26.kwbc.off.pz6.txt</a>
Eastern Gulf of Alaska	<a href="#">fzak67.pajk.off.ajk.txt</a>
Western Gulf of Alaska	<a href="#">fzak61.pafc.off.aer.txt</a>
Bering Sea	<a href="#">fzak62.pafc.off.alu.txt</a>
U.S. Arctic (Experimental)	<a href="#">fzak69.pafg.off.afg.txt</a>
Hawaii	<a href="#">fzhw60.phfo.off.hfo.txt</a>

## NAVTEX FORECASTS

These files may be found in directory:  
ftp://tgftp.nws.noaa.gov/data/raw/fz/

### Example:

Send an e-mail to: ftpmail@ftpmail.nws.noaa.gov  
Subject Line: Put anything you like  
Body: open  
cd data  
cd raw  
cd fz  
get fznt23.kwnm.off.n01.txt  
quit

### PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

### FILE NAME

NAVTEX Boston, MA	<a href="#">fznt23.kwnm.off.n01.txt</a>
NAVTEX Chesapeake, VA	<a href="#">fznt24.kwnm.off.n02.txt</a>
NAVTEX Charleston, SC	<a href="#">fznt25.kwnm.off.n03.txt</a>
NAVTEX Miami, FL	<a href="#">fznt25.knhc.off.n04.txt</a>
NAVTEX San Juan, PR	<a href="#">fznt26.knhc.off.n05.txt</a>
NAVTEX New Orleans, LA	<a href="#">fznt27.knhc.off.n06.txt</a>
NAVTEX Astoria, OR	<a href="#">fzpn24.kwnm.off.n09.txt</a>
NAVTEX Pt. Reyes, CA	<a href="#">fzpn23.kwnm.off.n08.txt</a>
NAVTEX Cambria, CA	<a href="#">fzpn22.kwnm.off.n07.txt</a>
NAVTEX Honolulu, HI	<a href="#">fzhw61.phfo.off.n10.txt</a>
NAVTEX Kodiak,(SE) AK	<a href="#">fzak61.pajk.off.n11.txt</a>
NAVTEX Kodiak,(N Gulf) AK	<a href="#">fzak63.pafc.off.n12.txt</a>
NAVTEX Kodiak,(W) AK	<a href="#">fzak64.pafc.off.n13.txt</a>
NAVTEX Kodiak,(NW and Artic) AK	<a href="#">fzak69.pafg.off.n14.txt</a>

## OPEN LAKE FORECASTS

These files may be found in directory:  
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Send an e-mail to: ftpmail@ftpmail.nws.noaa.gov  
Subject Line: Put anything you like  
Body: open  
cd data  
cd raw  
cd fz  
get fzus61.kbuf.glf.sl.txt  
quit

### PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

### FILE NAME

St. Lawrence	<a href="#">fzus61.kbuf.glf.sl.txt</a>
Lake Ontario	<a href="#">fzus61.kbuf.glf.lo.txt</a>
Lake Erie	<a href="#">fzus61.kcle.glf.le.txt</a>
Lake St. Clair	<a href="#">fzus63.kdtx.glf.sc.txt</a>
Lake Huron	<a href="#">fzus63.kdtx.glf.lh.txt</a>
Lake Michigan	<a href="#">fzus63.klot.glf.lm.txt</a>
Lake Superior	<a href="#">fzus63.kmqt.glf.ls.txt</a>

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<http://www.nws.noaa.gov> NWS Homepage  
<http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/home.htm> NWS Marine Page  
[cell.weather.gov](http://cell.weather.gov) (WAP/WML browser required) Cellphone page  
[mobile.weather.gov](http://mobile.weather.gov) Mobile Page

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National Weather Service  
Last Modified May 28, 2010  
Document URL: <http://weather.noaa.gov/pub/fax/marinel.txt>  
<ftp://tgftp.nws.noaa.gov/fax/marinel.txt>

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Body: open  
cd data  
cd hurricane\_products  
cd atlantic  
cd weather  
get outlook.txt  
cd /data  
cd hurricane\_products  
cd atlantic  
cd storm\_2  
get technical\_advisory.txt  
quit

ATLANTIC HURRICANE PRODUCTS

These files may be found in directory:  
ftp://tgftp.nws.noaa.gov/data/hurricane\_products/atlantic

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

FILE NAME

Tropical WX Outlook	<a href="/weather/outlook.txt">/weather/outlook.txt</a>
Tropical WX Discussion	<a href="/weather/discussion.txt">/weather/discussion.txt</a>
Tropical WX Summary	<a href="/weather/summary.txt">/weather/summary.txt</a>
Tropical WX Disturbance Stmt	<a href="/weather/advisory.txt">/weather/advisory.txt</a>
Tropical Cyclone Update (Storm #1)	<a href="/storm_1/update.txt">/storm_1/update.txt</a>

Tropical Cyclone Update (Storm #2)	<a href="/storm_2/update.txt">/storm_2/update.txt</a>
Tropical Cyclone Update (Storm #3)	<a href="/storm_3/update.txt">/storm_3/update.txt</a>
Tropical Cyclone Update (Storm #4)	<a href="/storm_4/update.txt">/storm_4/update.txt</a>
Tropical Cyclone Update (Storm #5)	<a href="/storm_5/update.txt">/storm_5/update.txt</a>
Tropical Cyclone Discussion (Storm #1)	<a href="/storm_1/discussion.txt">/storm_1/discussion.txt</a>
Tropical Cyclone Discussion (Storm #2)	<a href="/storm_2/discussion.txt">/storm_2/discussion.txt</a>
Tropical Cyclone Discussion (Storm #3)	<a href="/storm_3/discussion.txt">/storm_3/discussion.txt</a>
Tropical Cyclone Discussion (Storm #4)	<a href="/storm_4/discussion.txt">/storm_4/discussion.txt</a>
Tropical Cyclone Discussion (Storm #5)	<a href="/storm_5/discussion.txt">/storm_5/discussion.txt</a>
Public Advisory (Storm #1)	<a href="/storm_1/advisory.txt">/storm_1/advisory.txt</a>
Public Advisory (Storm #2)	<a href="/storm_2/advisory.txt">/storm_2/advisory.txt</a>
Public Advisory (Storm #3)	<a href="/storm_3/advisory.txt">/storm_3/advisory.txt</a>
Public Advisory (Storm #4)	<a href="/storm_4/advisory.txt">/storm_4/advisory.txt</a>
Public Advisory (Storm #5)	<a href="/storm_5/advisory.txt">/storm_5/advisory.txt</a>
Tropical Depression Forecast (Storm #1)	<a href="/storm_1/technical_advisory.txt">/storm_1/technical_advisory.txt</a>
Tropical Depression Forecast (Storm #2)	<a href="/storm_2/technical_advisory.txt">/storm_2/technical_advisory.txt</a>
Tropical Depression Forecast (Storm #3)	<a href="/storm_3/technical_advisory.txt">/storm_3/technical_advisory.txt</a>
Tropical Depression Forecast (Storm #4)	<a href="/storm_4/technical_advisory.txt">/storm_4/technical_advisory.txt</a>
Tropical Depression Forecast (Storm #5)	<a href="/storm_5/technical_advisory.txt">/storm_5/technical_advisory.txt</a>
Hurricane Probabilities (Storm #1)	<a href="/storm_1/strike_probability.txt">/storm_1/strike_probability.txt</a>
Hurricane Probabilities (Storm #2)	<a href="/storm_2/strike_probability.txt">/storm_2/strike_probability.txt</a>
Hurricane Probabilities (Storm #3)	<a href="/storm_3/strike_probability.txt">/storm_3/strike_probability.txt</a>
Hurricane Probabilities (Storm #4)	<a href="/storm_4/strike_probability.txt">/storm_4/strike_probability.txt</a>
Hurricane Probabilities (Storm #5)	<a href="/storm_5/strike_probability.txt">/storm_5/strike_probability.txt</a>
RECON Plan	TBD

Atlantic Tropical Weather Outlook normally issued 0300z, 0900z, 1500z and 2100z during hurricane season, June 1 - November 30. Remaining products issued when active systems exist. May be issued at 3-hourly intervals and other unscheduled times as system approaches landfall.

#### EASTERN PACIFIC HURRICANE PRODUCTS

These files may be found in directory:

[ftp://tgftp.nws.noaa.gov/data/hurricane\\_products/eastern\\_pacific](ftp://tgftp.nws.noaa.gov/data/hurricane_products/eastern_pacific)

#### PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

#### FILE NAME

Tropical WX Outlook	<a href="/weather/outlook.txt">/weather/outlook.txt</a>
Tropical WX Discussion	<a href="/weather/discussion.txt">/weather/discussion.txt</a>
Tropical WX Summary	<a href="/weather/summary.txt">/weather/summary.txt</a>
Tropical WX Disturbance Stmt	<a href="/weather/advisory.txt">/weather/advisory.txt</a>
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Tropical Cyclone Update (Storm #2)	<a href="/storm_2/update.txt">/storm_2/update.txt</a>
Tropical Cyclone Update (Storm #3)	<a href="/storm_3/update.txt">/storm_3/update.txt</a>
Tropical Cyclone Update (Storm #4)	<a href="/storm_4/update.txt">/storm_4/update.txt</a>
Tropical Cyclone Update (Storm #5)	<a href="/storm_5/update.txt">/storm_5/update.txt</a>
Tropical Cyclone Discussion (Storm #1)	<a href="/storm_1/discussion.txt">/storm_1/discussion.txt</a>
Tropical Cyclone Discussion (Storm #2)	<a href="/storm_2/discussion.txt">/storm_2/discussion.txt</a>
Tropical Cyclone Discussion (Storm #3)	<a href="/storm_3/discussion.txt">/storm_3/discussion.txt</a>
Tropical Cyclone Discussion (Storm #4)	<a href="/storm_4/discussion.txt">/storm_4/discussion.txt</a>
Tropical Cyclone Discussion (Storm #5)	<a href="/storm_5/discussion.txt">/storm_5/discussion.txt</a>
Public Advisory (Storm #1)	<a href="/storm_1/advisory.txt">/storm_1/advisory.txt</a>
Public Advisory (Storm #2)	<a href="/storm_2/advisory.txt">/storm_2/advisory.txt</a>
Public Advisory (Storm #3)	<a href="/storm_3/advisory.txt">/storm_3/advisory.txt</a>
Public Advisory (Storm #4)	<a href="/storm_4/advisory.txt">/storm_4/advisory.txt</a>
Public Advisory (Storm #5)	<a href="/storm_5/advisory.txt">/storm_5/advisory.txt</a>
Tropical Depression Forecast (Storm #1)	<a href="/storm_1/technical_advisory.txt">/storm_1/technical_advisory.txt</a>
Tropical Depression Forecast (Storm #2)	<a href="/storm_2/technical_advisory.txt">/storm_2/technical_advisory.txt</a>
Tropical Depression Forecast (Storm #3)	<a href="/storm_3/technical_advisory.txt">/storm_3/technical_advisory.txt</a>
Tropical Depression Forecast (Storm #4)	<a href="/storm_4/technical_advisory.txt">/storm_4/technical_advisory.txt</a>
Tropical Depression Forecast (Storm #5)	<a href="/storm_5/technical_advisory.txt">/storm_5/technical_advisory.txt</a>

RECON Plan

TBD

Eastern Pacific Tropical Weather Outlook normally issued 0300z, 0900z, 1500z and 2100z during hurricane season, May 15 - November 30. Remaining products issued when active systems exist. May be issued at 3-hourly intervals and other unscheduled times as system approaches landfall.

#### CENTRAL PACIFIC HURRICANE PRODUCTS

These files may be found in directory:

ftp://tgftp.nws.noaa.gov/data/hurricane\_products/central\_pacific

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION	FILE NAME
Tropical WX Outlook	<a href="/weather/outlook.txt">/weather/outlook.txt</a>
Tropical WX Discussion	(discontinued)
Tropical WX Summary	<a href="/weather/summary.txt">/weather/summary.txt</a>
Tropical WX Disturbance Stmt	<a href="/weather/advisory.txt">/weather/advisory.txt</a>
Tropical Cyclone Update (Storm #1)	<a href="/storm_1/update.txt">/storm_1/update.txt</a>
Tropical Cyclone Update (Storm #2)	<a href="/storm_2/update.txt">/storm_2/update.txt</a>
Tropical Cyclone Update (Storm #3)	<a href="/storm_3/update.txt">/storm_3/update.txt</a>
Tropical Cyclone Update (Storm #4)	<a href="/storm_4/update.txt">/storm_4/update.txt</a>
Tropical Cyclone Update (Storm #5)	<a href="/storm_5/update.txt">/storm_5/update.txt</a>
Tropical Cyclone Discussion (Storm #1)	<a href="/storm_1/discussion.txt">/storm_1/discussion.txt</a>
Tropical Cyclone Discussion (Storm #2)	<a href="/storm_2/discussion.txt">/storm_2/discussion.txt</a>
Tropical Cyclone Discussion (Storm #3)	<a href="/storm_3/discussion.txt">/storm_3/discussion.txt</a>
Tropical Cyclone Discussion (Storm #4)	<a href="/storm_4/discussion.txt">/storm_4/discussion.txt</a>
Tropical Cyclone Discussion (Storm #5)	<a href="/storm_5/discussion.txt">/storm_5/discussion.txt</a>
Public Advisory (Storm #1)	<a href="/storm_1/advisory.txt">/storm_1/advisory.txt</a>
Public Advisory (Storm #2)	<a href="/storm_2/advisory.txt">/storm_2/advisory.txt</a>
Public Advisory (Storm #3)	<a href="/storm_3/advisory.txt">/storm_3/advisory.txt</a>
Public Advisory (Storm #4)	<a href="/storm_4/advisory.txt">/storm_4/advisory.txt</a>
Public Advisory (Storm #5)	<a href="/storm_5/advisory.txt">/storm_5/advisory.txt</a>
Tropical Depression Forecast (Storm #1)	<a href="/storm_1/technical_advisory.txt">/storm_1/technical_advisory.txt</a>
Tropical Depression Forecast (Storm #2)	<a href="/storm_2/technical_advisory.txt">/storm_2/technical_advisory.txt</a>
Tropical Depression Forecast (Storm #3)	<a href="/storm_3/technical_advisory.txt">/storm_3/technical_advisory.txt</a>
Tropical Depression Forecast (Storm #4)	<a href="/storm_4/technical_advisory.txt">/storm_4/technical_advisory.txt</a>
Tropical Depression Forecast (Storm #5)	<a href="/storm_5/technical_advisory.txt">/storm_5/technical_advisory.txt</a>
RECON PLAN	TBD

Central Pacific Tropical Weather Outlook normally issued 0300z, 0900z, 1500z and 2100z during hurricane season, June 1 - November 30. Remaining products issued when active systems exist. May be issued at 3-hourly intervals and other unscheduled times as system approaches landfall.

#### WESTERN PACIFIC HURRICANE PRODUCTS

These files may be found in directory:

http://tgftp.nws.noaa.gov/pub/data/raw/wt

Example:

Send an e-mail to: ftpmail@ftpmail.nws.noaa.gov  
Subject Line: Put anything you like  
Body: open  
cd data  
cd raw  
cd wt

```
get wtpq31.pgum.tcp.pq1.txt
quit
```

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION	FILE NAME
Public Advisory (Storm #1)	<a href="#">/wtpq31.pgum.tcp.pq1.txt</a>
Public Advisory (Storm #2)	<a href="#">/wtpq32.pgum.tcp.pq2.txt</a>
Public Advisory (Storm #3)	<a href="#">/wtpq33.pgum.tcp.pq3.txt</a>
Public Advisory (Storm #4)	<a href="#">/wtpq34.pgum.tcp.pq4.txt</a>
Public Advisory (Storm #5)	<a href="#">/wtpq35.pgum.tcp.pq5.txt</a>

These products may only contain information on cyclones with potential landfalls in U.S. areas. See NAVY products below for additional information..

#### WESTERN PACIFIC HURRICANE PRODUCTS (NAVY)

These files may be found in directory:  
<http://tgftp.nws.noaa.gov/pub/data/raw/wt>

#### Example:

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Send an e-mail to:      ftpmail@ftpmail.nws.noaa.gov
Subject Line:          Put anything you like
Body:                  open
                       cd data
                       cd raw
                       cd wt
                       get wtpn21.pgtw..txt
                       quit
```

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION	FILE NAME
NW Pacific Tropical Cyclone Formation Alert Storm #1	<a href="#">/wtpn21.pgtw..txt</a>
NW Pacific Tropical Cyclone Formation Alert Storm #2	<a href="#">/wtpn22.pgtw..txt</a>
NW Pacific Tropical Cyclone Formation Alert Storm #2	<a href="#">/wtpn23.pgtw..txt</a>
NW Pacific Tropical Cyclone Formation Alert Storm #4	<a href="#">/wtpn24.pgtw..txt</a>
NW Pacific Tropical Cyclone Formation Alert Storm #5	<a href="#">/wtpn25.pgtw..txt</a>
SW Pacific Tropical Cyclone Formation Alert Storm #1	<a href="#">/wtps21.pgtw..txt</a>
SW Pacific Tropical Cyclone Formation Alert Storm #2	<a href="#">/wtps22.pgtw..txt</a>
SW Pacific Tropical Cyclone Formation Alert Storm #3	<a href="#">/wtps23.pgtw..txt</a>
SW Pacific Tropical Cyclone Formation Alert Storm #4	<a href="#">/wtps24.pgtw..txt</a>
SW Pacific Trocical Cyclone Formation Alert Storm #5	<a href="#">/wtps25.pgtw..txt</a>
NW Pacific Tropical Cyclone Warning Storm #1	<a href="#">/wtpn31.pgtw..txt</a>
NW Pacific Tropical Cyclone Warning Storm #2	<a href="#">/wtpn32.pgtw..txt</a>
NW Pacific Tropical Cyclone Warning Storm #3	<a href="#">/wtpn33.pgtw..txt</a>
NW Pacific Tropical Cyclone Warning Storm #4	<a href="#">/wtpn34.pgtw..txt</a>
NW Pacific Tropical Cyclone Warning Storm #5	<a href="#">/wtpn35.pgtw..txt</a>
SW Pacific Tropical Cyclone Warning Storm #1	<a href="#">/wtpS31.pgtw..txt</a>
SW Pacific Tropical Cyclone Warning Storm #2	<a href="#">/wtpS32.pgtw..txt</a>
SW Pacific Tropical Cyclone Warning Storm #3	<a href="#">/wtpS33.pgtw..txt</a>
SW Pacific Tropical Cyclone Warning Storm #4	<a href="#">/wtpS34.pgtw..txt</a>
SW Pacific Tropical Cyclone Warning Storm #5	<a href="#">/wtpS35.pgtw..txt</a>

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<http://www.nws.noaa.gov>

NWS Homepage

<http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/home.htm> NWS Marine Page  
[cell.weather.gov](http://cell.weather.gov) (WAP/WML browser required) Cellphone page  
[mobile.weather.gov](http://mobile.weather.gov) Mobile Page

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National Weather Service  
Last Modified May 28, 2010  
Document URL: <http://weather.noaa.gov/pub/fax/marine2.txt>  
<ftp://tgftp.nws.noaa.gov/fax/marine2.txt>

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE MARINE TEXT PRODUCTS  
COASTAL and NEARSHORE MARINE FORECASTS

\*\*\*\* IMPORTANT NOTICES \*\*\*\*

Effective January 08, 2008, the address of the FTPMAIL service changed from ftpmail@weather.noaa.gov to ftpmail@ftpmail.nws.noaa.gov. If you restrict incoming e-mail as a means of preventing spam, you must configure your e-mail system to allow mail from ftpmail@ftpmail.nws.noaa.gov

Read the help file carefully - 99% of errors using FTPMAIL are simple typo's, incorrect capitalization, failure to send in plain text format, leading or trailing spaces, or failure to set up any spam filters properly.

The "help" file contains a more detailed description of the FTPMAIL system and available products. To obtain a copy of the FTPMAIL "help" file.

Send an e-mail to: ftpmail@ftpmail.nws.noaa.gov  
Subject Line: Put anything you like  
Body: help

These instructions are subject to revision....download frequently.

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This file is intended to assist mariners using the FTPMAIL system which is used to obtain National Weather Service products via e-mail. The following is an example in the use of the FTPMAIL system. NOTE CAPITALIZATION!

Send an e-mail to: ftpmail@ftpmail.nws.noaa.gov  
Subject Line: Put anything you like  
Body: open  
cd data  
cd raw  
cd fz  
get fzus56.kmtr.cwf.mtr.txt  
quit

COASTAL and NEARSHORE MARINE FORECASTS

These files may be found in directory:  
ftp://tgftp.nws.noaa.gov/data/raw/fz

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION

FILE NAME

Caribou, ME	<a href="#">fzus51.kcar.cwf.car.txt</a>
Gray, ME	<a href="#">fzus51.kgyx.cwf.gyx.txt</a>
Taunton, MA	<a href="#">fzus51.kbox.cwf.box.txt</a>
New York, NY	<a href="#">fzus51.kokx.cwf.okx.txt</a>
Philadelphia, PA	<a href="#">fzus51.kphi.cwf.phi.txt</a>
Washington, DC	<a href="#">fzus51.klwx.cwf.lwx.txt</a>
Wakefield, VA	<a href="#">fzus51.kakq.cwf.akq.txt</a>
Newport/Morehead City, NC	<a href="#">fzus52.kmhx.cwf.mhx.txt</a>
Wilmington, NC	<a href="#">fzus52.kilm.cwf.ilm.txt</a>
Charleston, SC	<a href="#">fzus52.kchs.cwf.chs.txt</a>

Jacksonville, FL	<a href="http://fzus52.kjax.cwf.jax.txt">fzus52.kjax.cwf.jax.txt</a>
Melbourne, FL	<a href="http://fzus52.kmlb.cwf.mlb.txt">fzus52.kmlb.cwf.mlb.txt</a>
Miami, FL	<a href="http://fzus52.kmfl.cwf.mfl.txt">fzus52.kmfl.cwf.mfl.txt</a>
Key West, FL	<a href="http://fzus52.kkey.cwf.key.txt">fzus52.kkey.cwf.key.txt</a>
San Juan, PR	<a href="http://fzca52.tjsj.cwf.sju.txt">fzca52.tjsj.cwf.sju.txt</a>
San Juan, PR (Spanish)	<a href="http://fzca52.tjsj.cwf.spn.txt">fzca52.tjsj.cwf.spn.txt</a>
Tampa, FL	<a href="http://fzus52.ktbw.cwf.tbw.txt">fzus52.ktbw.cwf.tbw.txt</a>
Tallahassee, FL	<a href="http://fzus52.ktae.cwf.tae.txt">fzus52.ktae.cwf.tae.txt</a>
Mobile, AL	<a href="http://fzus54.kmob.cwf.mob.txt">fzus54.kmob.cwf.mob.txt</a>
New Orleans, LA	<a href="http://fzus54.klix.cwf.lix.txt">fzus54.klix.cwf.lix.txt</a>
Lake Charles, LA	<a href="http://fzus54.klch.cwf.lch.txt">fzus54.klch.cwf.lch.txt</a>
Houston/Galveston, TX	<a href="http://fzus54.khgx.cwf.hgx.txt">fzus54.khgx.cwf.hgx.txt</a>
Corpus Christi, TX	<a href="http://fzus54.kcrp.cwf.crp.txt">fzus54.kcrp.cwf.crp.txt</a>
Brownsville, TX	<a href="http://fzus54.kbro.cwf.bro.txt">fzus54.kbro.cwf.bro.txt</a>
Seattle, WA	<a href="http://fzus56.ksew.cwf.sew.txt">fzus56.ksew.cwf.sew.txt</a>
Portland, OR	<a href="http://fzus56.kpqr.cwf.pqr.txt">fzus56.kpqr.cwf.pqr.txt</a>
Medford, OR	<a href="http://fzus56.kmfr.cwf.mfr.txt">fzus56.kmfr.cwf.mfr.txt</a>
Eureka, CA	<a href="http://fzus56.keka.cwf.eka.txt">fzus56.keka.cwf.eka.txt</a>
San Francisco, CA	<a href="http://fzus56.kmtr.cwf.mtr.txt">fzus56.kmtr.cwf.mtr.txt</a>
Los Angeles, CA	<a href="http://fzus56.klox.cwf.lox.txt">fzus56.klox.cwf.lox.txt</a>
San Diego, CA	<a href="http://fzus56.ksgx.cwf.sgx.txt">fzus56.ksgx.cwf.sgx.txt</a>
Hawaii	<a href="http://fzhw50.phfo.cwf.hfo.txt">fzhw50.phfo.cwf.hfo.txt</a>
Hawaii (Generalized)	<a href="http://fzhw50.phfo.cwf.hfo.txt">fzhw50.phfo.cwf.hfo.txt</a>
Marianas (Guam)	<a href="http://fzmy50.pgum.cwf.my.txt">fzmy50.pgum.cwf.my.txt</a>
East Micronesia	<a href="http://fzpq51.pgum.cwf.pq1.txt">fzpq51.pgum.cwf.pq1.txt</a>
West Micronesia	<a href="http://fzpq52.pgum.cwf.pq2.txt">fzpq52.pgum.cwf.pq2.txt</a>
Samoa	<a href="http://fzsz50.nstu.cwf.ppg.txt">fzsz50.nstu.cwf.ppg.txt</a>
Buffalo, NY	<a href="http://fzus51.kbuf.nsh.buf.txt">fzus51.kbuf.nsh.buf.txt</a>
Cleveland, OH	<a href="http://fzus51.kcle.nsh.cle.txt">fzus51.kcle.nsh.cle.txt</a>
Detroit/Pontiac, MI	<a href="http://fzus53.kdtx.nsh.dtx.txt">fzus53.kdtx.nsh.dtx.txt</a>
Gaylord, MI	<a href="http://fzus53.kapx.nsh.apx.txt">fzus53.kapx.nsh.apx.txt</a>
Grand Rapids, MI	<a href="http://fzus53.kgrr.nsh.grr.txt">fzus53.kgrr.nsh.grr.txt</a>
Northern Indiana, IN	<a href="http://fzus53.kiwx.nsh.ixw.txt">fzus53.kiwx.nsh.ixw.txt</a>
Chicago, IL	<a href="http://fzus53.klot.nsh.lot.txt">fzus53.klot.nsh.lot.txt</a>
Milwaukee/Sullivan, WI	<a href="http://fzus53.kmkx.nsh.mkx.txt">fzus53.kmkx.nsh.mkx.txt</a>
Green Bay, WI	<a href="http://fzus53.kgrb.nsh.grb.txt">fzus53.kgrb.nsh.grb.txt</a>
Marquette, MI	<a href="http://fzus53.kmqt.nsh.mqt.txt">fzus53.kmqt.nsh.mqt.txt</a>
Duluth, MN	<a href="http://fzus53.kdlh.nsh.dlh.txt">fzus53.kdlh.nsh.dlh.txt</a>
AK, SE Inner Coastal Waters	<a href="http://fzak51.pajk.cwf.ajk.txt">fzak51.pajk.cwf.ajk.txt</a>
AK, SE Outside Coastal Waters	<a href="http://fzak52.pajk.cwf.aeg.txt">fzak52.pajk.cwf.aeg.txt</a>
AK, Yakutat Bay	<a href="http://fzak57.paya.cwf.yak.txt">fzak57.paya.cwf.yak.txt</a>
AK, North Gulf Coast and Kodiak	<a href="http://fzak51.pafc.cwf.aer.txt">fzak51.pafc.cwf.aer.txt</a>
AK, Valdez Arm and Narrows	<a href="http://fzak58.pavw.cwf.vws.txt">fzak58.pavw.cwf.vws.txt</a>
AK, Chiniak and Marmot Bays	<a href="http://fzak58.padq.cwf.adq.txt">fzak58.padq.cwf.adq.txt</a>
Southwest AK and the Aleutians	<a href="http://fzak52.pafc.cwf.alu.txt">fzak52.pafc.cwf.alu.txt</a>
Western AK	<a href="http://fzak52.pafg.cwf.wcz.txt">fzak52.pafg.cwf.wcz.txt</a>
Arctic Coast	<a href="http://fzak51.pafg.cwf.nsb.txt">fzak51.pafg.cwf.nsb.txt</a>
Sea Ice Advisory West & Arctic AK	<a href="http://fzak80.pafc.ice.afc.txt">fzak80.pafc.ice.afc.txt</a>

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<a href="http://www.nws.noaa.gov">http://www.nws.noaa.gov</a>	NWS Homepage
<a href="http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/home.htm">http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/home.htm</a>	NWS Marine Page
<a href="http://cell.weather.gov">cell.weather.gov</a> (WAP/WML browser required)	Cellphone page
<a href="http://mobile.weather.gov">mobile.weather.gov</a>	Mobile Page

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<ftp://tgftp.nws.noaa.gov/fax/marine3.txt>

## Marine Forecasts and Related Information Available via E-mail

National Weather Service (and other) marine forecasts are available via a variety of Government, University, Commercial and Public/Freeware systems intended to make information accessible to users such as mariners who may have an e-mail capability but do not have direct Internet access. The following is a listing of several known automated systems.

Note: Any reference to any product or service does not imply any endorsement by the National Weather Service as to function or suitability for your purpose or environment.

This document (<http://weather.noaa.gov/pub/fax/robots.txt>) may be retrieved via e-mail as follows:

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Send an e-mail to:  ftpmail@ftpmail.nws.noaa.gov
Subject line:      Put anything you like
Body:              open
                   cd fax
                   get robots.txt
                   quit
```

### FTPMAIL

\*\*\*\* IMPORTANT NOTICES \*\*\*\*

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National Weather Service marine text forecasts and radiofax charts are available via e-mail via an FTPMAIL server. Further, FTPMAIL may be used to acquire any file on the [tgftp.nws.noaa.gov](http://tgftp.nws.noaa.gov) FTP server. The FTPMAIL server is intended to allow Internet access for mariners and other users who do not have direct access to the World Wide Web but who are equipped with an e-mail system. Turnaround is generally less than one hour, however, performance may vary widely and receipt cannot be guaranteed. To get started in using the NWS FTPMAIL service, follow these simple directions to obtain the FTPMAIL "help" file (11 KBytes), or see <http://weather.noaa.gov/pub/fax/ftpmail.txt>

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Send an e-mail to:  ftpmail@ftpmail.nws.noaa.gov
Subject line:      Put anything you like
Body:              help
```

Not all NWS forecast products are available via FTP and therefore accessible via FTPMAIL such as worldwide computer generated model forecasts which include areas beyond the area of U.S. forecasting responsibility such as the Indian Ocean and South Atlantic.

To retrieve Wave Watch III ([http://polar.ncep.noaa.gov/waves/main\\_table.html](http://polar.ncep.noaa.gov/waves/main_table.html)) and other forecasts via e-mail, use one of the www-to-email systems such as SAILDOCS or OTHERS described below. Be aware computer generated products from forecast models are not reviewed by forecasters and are therefore subject to error. E.G. per the Wave Watch III webpage:

URLs = [http://polar.ncep.noaa.gov/waves/latest\\_run/xxxx.yyyyzzzz](http://polar.ncep.noaa.gov/waves/latest_run/xxxx.yyyyzzzz)  
e.g.  
[http://polar.ncep.noaa.gov/waves/latest\\_run/nww3\\_na.f024h.3.gif](http://polar.ncep.noaa.gov/waves/latest_run/nww3_na.f024h.3.gif)

where xxxx =

"nww3_at"	Atlantic
"nww3_na"	North Atlantic
"wna"	Western North Atlantic
"wna_ecg"	WNA US coastal zoom
"nah"	North Atlantic Hurricane
"nah_ecg"	NAH US coastal zoom
"nww3_in"	Indian Ocean
"nww3_pa"	Pacific
"nww3_np"	North Pacific
"enp"	Eastern North Pacific
"enp_haw"	ENP Hawaii zoom
"enp_wc"	ENP west coast zoom
"nph"	North Pacific Hurricane
"nph_haw"	NPH Hawaii zoom
"nph_wc"	NPH west coast zoom
"akw"	Alaskan Waters

where "yyyy" = "h006" or "h000" for -6 or zero hour hindcasts  
where "yyyy" = "f006" to "f180" (multiples of 6 hours) for forecasts

where "zzzz" =

"h.gif"	Wave Height Forecast
"h.2.gif"	Wave Period and Direction Forecast
"h.3.gif"	Wind Speed and Direction Forecast

e.g. 24hr Wind Speed and Direction Forecast for North Atlantic =  
[http://polar.ncep.noaa.gov/waves/latest\\_run/nww3\\_na.f024h.3.gif](http://polar.ncep.noaa.gov/waves/latest_run/nww3_na.f024h.3.gif)  
(See SAILDOCS or OTHERS described below to retrieve via e-mail,  
file size ~ = 30k Bytes )

And similarly, to retrieve sea surface temperature and surface current forecasts from NOAA's for Real-Time Ocean Forecast System (Atlantic):

URLs = [http://polar.ncep.noaa.gov/ofs/aofs\\_images/large/aofs\\_zzz\\_yyyy\\_xxxx.png](http://polar.ncep.noaa.gov/ofs/aofs_images/large/aofs_zzz_yyyy_xxxx.png)  
e.g.  
[http://polar.ncep.noaa.gov/ofs/aofs\\_images/large/aofs\\_cur\\_f120\\_wnatlzoom.png](http://polar.ncep.noaa.gov/ofs/aofs_images/large/aofs_cur_f120_wnatlzoom.png)

where xxxx =

"natl"	North Atlantic
"wnatl"	Western North Atlantic
"wnatlzoom"	Western North Atlantic zoom
"hurr"	Gulf of Mexico

where yyyy =  
"nowcast", "f024", "f048", "f072", "f096" or "f120"

where "zzz" =

"sst"	Sea Surface Temperature (°C)
"cur"	Surface Current (magnitude m/sec)

#### National Hurricane Center Listserver

The National Weather Service's National Hurricane Center operates an e-mail listserver which is special interest to mariners who do not have direct access to the World Wide Web but who are equipped with an e-mail system. This listserver provides an automated means to receive NWS hurricane forecast products via e-mail. However, performance may vary and receipt cannot be guaranteed. This is an experimental service. Interruptions or duplications in e-mail deliveries while we test the system are to be expected. To get started in using the National Hurricane Center Listserver, follow these simple directions for more information, or see: <http://www.nhc.noaa.gov/signup.shtml>

Send an e-mail to: [ftpmail@ftpmail.nws.noaa.gov](mailto:ftpmail@ftpmail.nws.noaa.gov)  
Subject line: Put anything you like  
Body: open  
cd fax  
get nhclist.txt  
quit

#### University of Illinois Listserver

The University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign operates an e-mail listserver of which two Lists, WX-ATLAN, and WX-TROPL are of special interest to mariners who do not have direct access to the World Wide Web but who are equipped with an e-mail system. These Lists provide an automated means to receive NWS hurricane (and some marine) forecast products via e-mail. However, performance may vary and receipt cannot be guaranteed. To get started in using the University of Illinois Listserver, follow these simple directions to obtain further information, or see: <http://www.lsoft.se/scripts/wl.exe?XH=LISTSERV.UIUC.EDU>

Send an e-mail to: [ftpmail@ftpmail.nws.noaa.gov](mailto:ftpmail@ftpmail.nws.noaa.gov)  
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Body: open  
cd fax  
get uiuclist.txt  
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#### Hurricane Watch Net YahooGroup Listserver

The Amateur Radio "HAM" Hurricane Watch Net manages two YahooGroup Lists, HWN, and hwn\_epac, which are of special interest to mariners who do not have direct access to the World Wide Web but who are equipped with an e-mail system. These Lists provide an automated means to receive NWS hurricane forecast products via e-mail. However, performance may vary and receipt cannot be guaranteed. Due to a system limitation, duplicate e-mails are likely. To get started in using the HWN/hwn\_epac YahooGroup Listserver, follow these simple directions to obtain further information, or see: <http://www.hwn.org/>, <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/HWN> and [http://groups.yahoo.com/group/hwn\\_epac](http://groups.yahoo.com/group/hwn_epac)

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## SAILDOCS

SAILDOCS is an email-based document-retrieval system which currently offers two services: a document retrieval service which will return documents from the Internet or SAILDOCS own files, and a subscription service which will send Internet documents (for example weather reports) at scheduled intervals. SAILDOCS files include National Weather Service text forecasts and gridded binary (GRIB files) for wind, pressure, 500mb, and sea surface temperature. SAILDOCS is supported in part by Sailmail ([www.sailmail.com](http://www.sailmail.com)) but is an independent service that can be used by anyone who agrees to the terms and conditions. To get started in using SAILDOCS, follow these simple directions to obtain further information, or see: <http://www.saildocs.com/>

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## ExpressWeather - MailASail's Free Weather Service

ExpressWeather is a free, simple system to offer popular weather forecasts and charts by email. It aims to provide a deliberately limited subset of all the weather available, and only to provide the most useful forecasts in an easy to access format. For details send a blank email with a BLANK subject line to [weather@mailasail.com](mailto:weather@mailasail.com). (Remember that some email programs insert "No subject". This has to be deleted or see <http://weather.mailasail.com/Franks-Weather/Text-Chart-Grib-Forecasts-From-Mailasail>)

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## NAVIMAIL

Météo-France's NAVIMAIL system enables you to receive gridded binary (GRIB files) for wind, pressure, waves, sea surface temperature, as well as text bulletins and satellite images. There is a service charge for GRIB data, however, text bulletins and satellite images are available at no charge. To get started in using NAVIMAIL, follow these simple directions to obtain further information, or see: <http://www.meteo.fr/marine/navimail>

Send an e-mail to: [ftpmail@ftpmail.nws.noaa.gov](mailto:ftpmail@ftpmail.nws.noaa.gov)  
Subject line: Put anything you like  
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## U.S. NOTICES TO MARINERS BY E-MAIL

The National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency (NGA) provides a service whereby the U.S Notices to Mariners are e-mailed to the requesting address every weekend, with the following limitations:

\* The notice transmitted is listed on the Maritime Safety Information (MSI) Website in the "Notice to Mariners" section as "Entire NtM". Graphics provided in this version are inadequate

for navigation purposes. Navigation-quality chartlets are available for download on the MSI website as needed.

\* Many networks and e-mail applications have restrictions on file sizes for e-mail attachments. In order to ensure all notices are received, the limit on file sizes for the receiving account should be changed to 2.5 Mb. Contact your system administrator or help desk for more assistance.

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Selecting "Send" subscribes the user to the e-mailed Notice to Mariners.

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#### U.S. COAST GUARD LOCAL NOTICES TO MARINERS (LNM) LISTSERVER

LNM's and other maritime related information are available via a one-way listserver at: <http://www.navcen.uscg.gov/lnm/listserver.htm>

#### NANUS & GPS STATUS MSGS BY EMAIL

Users with an urgent need to be notified of changes to the GPS Constellation may subscribe to the Navigation Center NANU List Server

(<http://cgls.uscg.mil/mailman/listinfo/nanu>) and/or the GPS Status Message

List Server (<http://cgls.uscg.mil/mailman/listinfo/gps>). These services

provide emails containing the NANU and/or GPS Status Messages, generally

within 60 minutes of notification by the Air Force of a change to the GPS

Constellation. This is a free service. PRIVACY INFORMATION: Disclosure of

your email address is voluntary. It is solicited for the sole purpose of

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#### OTHERS

A non-NWS FAQ webpage describing several FTP-to-EMAIL and WWW-to-EMAIL servers may be found at:

<http://www.faqs.org/faqs/internet-services/access-via-email/>

If you have access to the World Wide Web be certain to check out the following webpages. See these pages for further links.

<http://www.nws.noaa.gov>

<http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/home.htm>

[cell.weather.gov](http://www.nws.noaa.gov/cell.weather.gov) (WAP/WML browser required)

[mobile.weather.gov](http://www.nws.noaa.gov/mobile.weather.gov)

NWS Homepage

NWS Marine Page

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# AMVER/SEAS

## In Pursuit of Safety At Sea

Under a cooperative agreement between the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) and the U. S. Coast Guard (USCG), software has been created to assist Volunteer Observing Ships (VOS) in submitting marine weather reports and participating in the Automated Mutual-assistance Vessel Rescue system (AMVER). The VOS program allows ships to report marine weather to the National Weather Service (NWS) so that high seas forecasts will be as timely and accurate as possible. The AMVER system allows ships to report their intended track so that in the event of an emergency all available resources may be focused on aiding ships in distress. Both of these systems are voluntary and are intended to aid all mariners on the high seas. All transmission costs are paid by the U.S. Coast Guard and NOAA. The ship is not responsible for any transmission costs, provided messages are sent to the address specified in the user=s guide.

NOAA's SEAS (Shipboard Environmental data Acquisition System) program relies on volunteer observers to report weather at least four times per day at 00Z, 06Z, 12Z, and 18Z. Ships are encouraged to also submit reports at 03Z, 09Z, 15Z and 21Z. In addition, a very limited number of ships are asked to collect oceanographic data. For these ships, a SEAS field representative installs the extra hardware needed and trains the crew in collecting and transmitting the data. Portions of the software needed for these observations are password protected to eliminate confusion.

AMVER reports allow the U. S. Coast Guard to track a vessel=s position. The AMVER program relies on ships to submit four types of reports: (1) Sail Plans; (2) Position Reports; (3) Arrival Reports and (4) Deviation Reports, when necessary. The U. S. Coast Guard updates their database with the position information from these reports, which allows them to identify vessels in the vicinity of a ship in distress.

Ships may participate in either the AMVER or SEAS program, but there are benefits to participating in both. A ship can reduce reporting requirements, since AMVER position reports are created from every weather message and automatically forwarded to the U.S. Coast Guard.

A typical voyage would require the submission of an AMVER Sail Plan before departure, submissions of weather reports four times per day and the submission of an Arrival Report upon arrival. A Deviation Report is only submitted if the ship deviates from its original plan. Ships that follow the same routes repeatedly get an additional benefit since Sail Plans can be stored in the system and recalled and modified rather than creating new ones.

The AMVER/SEAS PC software was developed for use with INMARSAT C transceivers. For those ships already participating in the SEAS program, GOES transmitters will continue to work for the transmission of SEAS observations. To participate in the AMVER program the ship must possess an INMARSAT C transmitter with a floppy drive and the ability to send messages in binary format, and a 286 (or better) IBM compatible PC.

A Windows 95/98/00/ME/NT/XP version of AMVER/SEAS is now available.

### **For Information on SEAS contact:**

Your nearest U.S. Port Meteorological Officer or SEAS representative listed in the Appendix.

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or visit the SEAS website at:

<http://seas.amverseas.noaa.gov/seas/>

# MAROB

## An Experimental Voluntary Marine Observation Program

*All Information with Respect to the MAROB Program Are Preliminary and Subject to Revision*

The MAROB Program is an experimental voluntary marine observation program of the National Weather Service in the early stages of development. It seeks the participation of all mariners, both commercial and recreational, which are not part of the more in-depth VOS program. It is the goal of the program to collect as many marine observations as practicable, to improve the accuracy of coastal, offshore and high seas forecasts, by taking advantage of technological advancements in marine communications and the proliferation of the Internet.

MAROB observations will be in coded form which can be better ingested, distributed and displayed by forecasters than observations in plain language. The MAROB report format will be identical to VOS coded reports, with the exception that "MAROB" will replace "BBXX". The MAROB program will differ from the VOS Program in at least several other aspects: Although MAROBs will be used by forecasters in forecast decision process, these data will likely not be used directly by computer models; Any communications charges and the cost of any observing equipment will not be reimbursed by the Weather Service; The observation elements collected will typically be a subset of those collected in the full VOS report.

The National Weather Service is in the process of developing cooperative arrangements with organizations such as the United States Power Squadrons, the Coast Guard Auxiliary, the WinLink 2000 Global Radio Network, the Maritime Mobile Service Network, CruiseEmail.com, Oceans, Sailmail, SkyMate, MarineNet Wireless, and the YOTREP Reporting System, to both train observers and forward observations to NWS. Technologies utilized may include cellular telephone, HF Marine radio, MF Marine radio, VHF Marine Radio, Ham Radio, Webforms and e-mail.

In several cases, MAROB reporting schemes will work in conjunction with vessel position reporting systems such as WinLink's Position Reporter, the Maritime Mobile Service Network's ShipTrak, and the YOTREPs Reporter, to enhance the safety of mariners.

At present, mariners may participate in the MAROB program in any of several ways.

For information on the MAROB Program see:

<http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/marob.htm>

Or contact:

[marine.weather@noaa.gov](mailto:marine.weather@noaa.gov)

1-301-713-1677 x 128

For information on other marine observation programs of the National Weather Service see:

<http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/voluntary.htm>

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## USEFUL MARINE WEATHER PUBLICATIONS

Marine Service Charts (MSC) - \$1.25<sup>1</sup>

Marine Service Charts (MSC) list frequencies, schedules and locations of stations disseminating NWS products. They also contain additional weather information of interest to the mariner. Charts are also available via the Internet at:

<http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/pub.htm>.

Note - As a result of budgetary constraints, these Marine Service Charts are no longer being updated on a regular cycle and may contain outdated information. In some cases the amount and/or types of outdated information has resulted in the unfortunate situation that we can no longer justify continuing to make that chart available. Updated information can most often be found on the Marine Forecasts or NOAA Weather Radio webpages or from your Local Weather Forecast Office.

<u>Location</u>	<u>Number</u>
Eastport, ME to Montauk Point, NY	MSC-1
Montauk Point, NY to Manasquan, NJ	MSC-2
Manasquan, NJ to Cape Hatteras, NC	MSC-3
Cape Hatteras, NC to Savannah, GA	MSC-4
Savannah, GA to Apalachicola, FL	MSC-5
Apalachicola, FL to Morgan City, LA	MSC-6
Morgan City, LA to Brownsville, TX	MSC-7
Mexican Border to Point Conception, CA	MSC-8
Point Conception, CA to Point St George, CA	MSC-9
Point St George, CA to Canadian Border	MSC-10
Great Lakes	MSC-11/12
Hawaiian Waters	MSC-13
Puerto Rico and Virgin Islands	MSC-14 (No longer available)
Alaskan Waters	MSC-15
Guam and the Northern Mariana Islands	MSC-16

### ***OTHER PUBLICATIONS OF VALUE TO THE MARINER***

#### **NOAA PUBLICATIONS**

[Mariner's Weather Log Magazine](#) - \$19.00/3 issues/yr (\$26.60 foreign)<sup>3</sup>

[Selected Marine Worldwide Weather Broadcasts \(9/92\)](#)<sup>5</sup>

[Voluntary Observing Ship Program Brochure](#) (1999) Free<sup>6</sup>

[NWS Observing Handbook NO.1](#) (05/10) Free<sup>6</sup>

[Marine Report User Guide](#)

[Worldwide Marine Radiofacsimile Broadcast Schedules](#) (May 13, 2011) Free<sup>4</sup>

[NOAA Weather Radio Brochure](#) (NOAA/PA 94070, 3/97) Free<sup>2</sup>

[NOAA Weather Radio Handout](#) (NOAA/PA 94061, 3/97) Free<sup>2</sup>

[A Mariners Guide to Marine Weather Services - Great Lakes](#) (NOAA/PA 98053) Free<sup>2</sup>

[A Mariners Guide to Marine Weather Services - Coastal, Offshore, and High Seas](#) (NOAA/PA 98054) Free<sup>2</sup>

[Safe Boating Weather Tips](#) (NOAA/PA 94058, 6/98) Free<sup>2</sup>

[National Ocean Service Coast Pilot, Volumes 1-9](#)<sup>1</sup>

[Directory of Private Weather Services](#) - Free<sup>10</sup>

[Mariners Guide for Hurricane Awareness in the North Atlantic Basin](#) (2.3 MB PDF)

#### **NOAA SEA GRANT PUBLICATIONS**

[Lightning & Boats](#) (NOAA/Sea Grant NCU-G-95-004)

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[Safe boating tips \(fact sheet\)](#) (NOAA/Sea Grant PENN-G-03-002)

## **NGA PUBLICATIONS**

[NGA Publication 117 "Radio Navigational Aids" \(2005\)...Includes CD](#) <sup>13</sup>

[American Practical Navigator](#) (Bowditch) Publication 9 (2002) - <sup>13</sup>

[Pilot Chart Atlas, 5 areas](#) <sup>13</sup>

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## **U.S. COAST GUARD PUBLICATIONS**

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## **NAVY PUBLICATIONS**

[U.S. NAVY Hurricane Havens/Heavy Weather Handbooks](#)

## **Non-U.S. GOVERNMENT PUBLICATIONS**

[Canadian Coast Guard Radio Aids to Navigation](#) - \$18.95 Cdn

The British Admiralty List of Radio Signals<sup>8</sup>

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Volume 4 Meteorological Observation Stations

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Volume 6 Pilot Services, Vessel Traffic Services & Port Operations (5 parts)

## **INTERNATIONAL PUBLICATIONS**

[TSUNAMI The Great Waves](#) - Free <sup>11</sup>

[The SafetyNET Users Handbook](#) - Free

International SafetyNET Manual, 1994; IMO-908E<sup>12</sup>

NAVTEX Manual, 1994; IMO-951E<sup>12</sup>

GMDSS Handbook, 1995 (Includes GMDSS Master Plan); IMO-970E<sup>12</sup>

SOLAS Consolidated Edition, 1997; IMO-110E<sup>12</sup>

World Meteorological Organization Publication 9 - Weather Reporting <sup>15</sup>

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