

PILOTING PUBLICATIONS HANDOUT

NATIONAL OCEAN SERVICE (NOS)

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA)

NOS is responsible for preparing charts and documents relating to United States waters.

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1305 East-West Highway
Silver Spring, Maryland 20910-3233
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Distribution Branch (N/ACC 3)
National Ocean Service
Riverdale, Maryland 20737-1199
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Nautical Chart Catalogs (List of charts of U.S. waters)

1. Atlantic and Gulf Coasts
2. Pacific Coast, Hawaii, Guam, and Samoan Islands
3. Alaska and Aleutian Islands
4. Great Lakes and Adjacent Waterways

United States Coast Pilots

ATLANTIC COAST

1. Eastport to Cape Cod
2. Cape Cod to Sandy Hook
3. Sandy Hook to Cape Henry
4. Cape Henry to Key West
5. Gulf of Mexico, Puerto Rico, Virgin Islands

PACIFIC COAST

7. California, Oregon, Washington, and Hawaii
8. Alaska, Dixon Entrance to Cape Spenser
9. Alaska, Cape Spenser to Beaufort Sea

GREAT LAKES

6. The lakes and Their Connecting Waterways

Tide Tables

1. Europe and West Coast of Africa (including Mediterranean Sea)
2. East Coast of North and South America (including Greenland)
3. West Coast of North and South America (including Hawaii)
4. Central and western Pacific Ocean and Indian Ocean

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*Current Tables,
Tidal Current Charts,
Tidal Current Diagrams
Chart No. 1, Nautical Chart Symbols, Abbreviations, and Terms*

U.S. COAST GUARD

Navigation Rules, International-Inland (COMDTINST. M16672.2A)

Light Lists

- I. Atlantic Coast from St. Croix River, Maine to Ocean City Inlet, Maryland
- II. Atlantic Coast from Ocean City Inlet, Maryland to Little River Inlet, South Carolina
- III. Atlantic Coast from Little River Inlet, South Carolina to Econfina River, Florida and the Greater Antilles
- IV. Gulf of Mexico, from Econfina River, Florida to Rio Grande, Texas
- V. Mississippi River Systems
- VI. Pacific Coast and Pacific Islands
- VII. Great Lakes

Notice to Mariners

Weekly Notices to Mariners (Free)

Director
Defense Mapping Agency
Combat Support Center, Code IMA
Washington, D.C. 20315-0010

Local Notice to Mariners (Free)

FIRST COAST GUARD DISTRICT
Commander, U.S. Coast Guard
First Coast Guard District
408 Atlantic Avenue
Boston, Massachusetts 02110
617.223.8480

ELEVENTH COAST GUARD DISTRICT
Commander, U.S. Coast Guard
Eleventh Coast Guard District
Coast Guard Island
Alameda, California 94501
510.437.3324/5

FIFTH COAST GUARD DISTRICT
Commander, U.S. Coast Guard
Fifth Coast Guard District
431 Crawford Street
Portsmouth, Virginia 23704
757.398.6287

THIRTEENTH COAST GUARD DISTRICT
Commander, U.S. Coast Guard
Thirteenth Coast Guard District
915 2nd Avenue
Seattle, Washington 98174
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Seventh Coast Guard District
Brickell Plaza Federal Building
909 S. E. First Avenue
Miami, Florida 33131-3050
305.415.6670

Commander, U.S. Coast Guard
Fourteenth Coast Guard District
300 Ala Moana Boulevard
Honolulu, Hawaii 96850
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EIGHTH COAST GUARD DISTRICT SEVENTEENTH COAST GUARD DISTRICT

Commander, U.S. Coast Guard
Eighth Coast Guard District
501 Magazine Street
New Orleans, Louisiana 70130
504.589.6298

Commander, U.S. Coast Guard
Seventeenth Coast Guard District
P.O. Box 25517
Juneau, Alaska 99802
907.463.2065

NINTH COAST GUARD DISTRICT

Commander, U.S. Coast Guard
Ninth Coast Guard District
1240 E. 9th Street
Cleveland, Ohio 44199
216.902.6001

DEFENSE MAPPING AGENCY

HYDROGRAPHIC/TOPOGRAPHIC CENTER (DMAHTC)

This center is responsible for providing navigation publications for foreign waters

Charts

Sailing Directions (similar to NOS *Coast Pilots*)

Radio Navigation Aids (Publication 117)

List of Lights (Publications 110 to 116)

Pilot Charts

Handbook of Magnetic Compass Adjustment (Publication 226)

U.S. NAVAL OBSERVATORY

Primarily of interest to celestial navigators

Air Almanac, HO 249

The American Nautical Almanac

Astronomical Almanac

Almanac for Computers

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U.S. ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers is responsible for charts on the inland rivers as follows:

Lower Mississippi and Tributaries, and below the Ohio River.

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
P.O. Box 60
Vicksburg, Mississippi 39180
601.634.5000

Middle and Upper Mississippi and Illinois Waterway to Lake Michigan

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, North Central Division
111 North Canal Street. Room 1216
Chicago, Illinois 60606-7205
312.353.6317

Missouri River and Tributaries

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Missouri River Division
12565 West Center Road
Omaha, Nebraska 68144-3869
402.697.2550

Ohio River and Tributaries; Pittsburgh Pennsylvania to the Mississippi River and Tennessee and Cumberland Rivers

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
550 Main Street
P.O. Box 1159
Cincinnati, Ohio 45201
513.684.3002

Black Warrior, Alabama, Tombigbee, Apalachicola, Chattahoochee, Flint, and Pearl Rivers, the Gulf Intracoastal Waterway from New Orleans to St. Marks, Florida.

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
P.O. Box 2288
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McClellan-Kerr Arkansas River system

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U.S. Army Corps of Engineers
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NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA)

Marine Weather Services Charts

**Superintendent of Documents
U.S. Government Printing Office
Washington DC 20402**

Provides publications such as:
U.S. Coast Guard Light List
Navigation Rules International – Inland (COMDTINST. M16672.2A)
Marine Weather Services Charts
The American Nautical Almanac

TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY

Produces charts for its reservoirs, and the Tennessee River and its tributaries.

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Tennessee Valley Authority Map Store
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CANADIAN CHARTS

East Coast and Great Lakes

Canadian Hydrographic Service
615 Booth Street
Ottawa, Ontario K1A 0E6
613.9955.4520

Pacific Coast and Western Arctic

Canadian Hydrographic Service
P.O. Box 6600
Sydney, British Columbia V8L 4BZ
604.656.8358

Tide and Current Tables

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Department of Fisheries and Oceans
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Canadian Coast Guard
Department of Fisheries and Oceans
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General Charts and Maps

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Canada Map Office
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Private Publishers

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