

## **German Ice Report - No. 07**

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In the inner coastal waters ice retreat continues.

### **Western Baltic Sea**

In the Bodden waters south of Darß and Zingst there is mostly open water, Barther Bodden is covered with partly broken, thin, rotting ice.

### **Southern Baltic Sea**

In the sheltered bays of the Bodden waters between Hiddensee and Rügen there is mostly open water. In the Greifswalder Bodden there are remnants of rotting ice in sheltered regions near the coasts, the harbour of Greifswald-Ladebow is ice-free. Southern Peenestrom is covered with about 5 cm thick ice; on the ice there are many puddles and thaw holes. Along the northern coast of the Kleines Haff there is very close, partly rafted, up to 5 cm thick ice, in the marginal zone of the southern coast there is ice with many puddles on the surface.

### **Outlook**

Due to milder air and freshening winds from westerly directions, remaining ice will disappear within the next week.

**This is the last German Ice Report for the time being. We will continue with ice reporting if ice will form in our waters again.**

***We wish all our readers a  
Happy New Year***

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