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Bodden waters are covered with thin ice, ice formation in the harbours and inner coastal waters continues.

# **North Sea**

On the North-Frisian coast there is thin ice and new ice, in places. On the East-Frisian coast open thin ice occurs at Norderney.

## Western Baltic Sea

The Schlei is mostly covered with thin ice. In many harbours there is open to close new ice. On the fairway Lübeck – Travemünde and in the inner Wismar Bight there is close to very close 5-10 cm thick ice, in the outer Wismar Bight open pancake ice is drifting. The bodden waters south of Darß and Zingst are covered with 5-12 cm thick ice.

## **Southern Baltic Sea**

The bodden waters between Hiddensee and Rügen are covered with 5-10 cm thick ice. In the port Stralsund and on the fairways to the port there is open to very close thin ice or new ice. In the harbours and along the coasts of the Bight of Greifswald 5-15 cm thick fast ice is present, otherwise shuga, slash and new ice occurs. On the northern Peenestrom there is thin ice or new ice. Southern Peenestrom and Kleines Haff are covered with 5-15 cm thick ice.

## Outlook

Ice increase on the German coasts will slowly continue at light to moderate frost during the next three to four days. Due to snow fall today ice formation is possible on the coasts of the Pomeranian Bight, too.

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