



# Eisbericht Nr. 3

## Amtsblatt des BSH

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### Übersicht

In den inneren Schären der nördlichen Bottenwiek befindet sich dünnes, ebenes Eis und Neueis. Im Finnischen Meerbusen befindet sich Neueis von St. Petersburg bis zur Insel Kotlin und in der Bucht von Vyborg.

### Overview

In the inner archipelago of the northern Bay of Bothnia, there is thin level ice or new ice. In the Gulf of Finland, there is new ice from St. Petersburg to the island Kotlin and in the Bay of Vyborg.

### Bay of Bothnia

New ice and thin level ice is present in the inner archipelagos of the northern Bay of Bothnia and between Hailuoto and the mainland.

With mainly slight frost some new ice formation is expected the coming day.

### The Quark

New ice formation takes place in sheltered inner bays.

Some new ice formation is expected the coming day.

### Gulf of Finland

New ice is present from St. Petersburg to the island Kotlin and in the Bay of Vyborg.

With slight frost new ice formation is expected in the eastern part.

### Gulf of Riga

New ice is forming in sheltered bays of Väinameri. Some new ice formation is expected the coming

day.

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### Herstellung und Vertrieb

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**Restrictions to Navigation**

	Harbour/District	At least dwt/hp/kW	Ice Class	Begin
<b>Finland</b>	<b>Tornio and Kemi</b>	<b>2000 dwt</b>	<b>II</b>	<b>01.12.</b>

**Finland/Sweden**

Vessels bound for Gulf of Bothnia ports in which assistance restrictions apply, shall when passing latitude 60° 00' N report their nationality, name, destination, ETA and speed to ICE INFO on VHF channel 82. This report can also be given directly by telephone to +46 10 492 7600.

Vessels bound for Finnish or Swedish ports with assistance restrictions in the Quark or the Bay of Bothnia shall, 20 nautical miles before Nordvalen Lighthouse (63° 32.15' N 20° 46.60' E), report in accordance with the instructions for winter navigation to Bothnia VTS on VHF channel 67.

**Russia**

There are restrictions for small crafts going to Vysotsk, Vyborg, St. Petersburg, Ust-Luga and Primorsk.

**Baltic Sea Ice Code**

<p>First number:  <b>A<sub>B</sub> Amount and arrangements of sea ice</b>                      0 Ice free                      1 Open water – concentration less than 1/10                      2 Very open ice - concentration 1/10 to 3/10                      3 Open ice – concentration 4/10 to 6/10                      4 Close ice – concentration 7/10 to 8/10                      5 Very close ice – concentration 9/10 to 9+/10                      6 Compact ice, including consolidated ice – concentration 10/10                      7 Fast ice with drift ice outside                      8 Fast ice                      9 Lead in very close or compact drift ice or along the fast ice edge                      / Unable to report</p> <p>Third number:  <b>T<sub>B</sub> Topography or form of ice</b>                      0 Pancake ice, ice cakes, brash ice – less than 20 m across                      1 Small ice floes – 20 to 100 m across                      2 Medium ice floes – 100 to 500 m                      3 Big ice foes – 500 to 2000 m across                      4 Vast or giant ice floes – more than 2000 m across – or level ice                      5 Rafted ice                      6 Compact slush or shuga, or compacted brash ice                      7 Hummocked or ridged ice                      8 Thaw holes or many puddles on the ice                      9 Rotten ice                      / No information or unable to report</p>	<p>Second number:  <b>S<sub>B</sub> Stage of ice development</b>                      0 New ice or dark nilas (less than 5 cm thick)                      1 Light nilas (5 - 10 cm thick) or ice rind                      2 Grey ice (10 - 15 cm thick)                      3 Grey-white ice (15 - 30 cm thick)                      4 White ice, first stage (30 - 50 cm thick)                      5 White ice, second stage (50 - 70 cm thick)                      6 Medium first year ice (70 - 120 cm thick)                      7 Ice predominantly thinner than 15 cm with some thicker ice                      8 Ice predominantly grey-white ice (15 – 30 cm) with some thicker ice                      9 Ice predominantly thicker than 30 cm with some thinner ice                      / No information or unable to report</p> <p>Fourth number:  <b>K<sub>B</sub> Navigation conditions in ice</b>                      0 Navigation unobscured                      1 Navigation difficult or dangerous for wooden vessels without ice sheathing                      2 Navigation difficult for unstrengthened or low-powered vessels built of iron or steel. Navigation for wooden vessels even with ice sheathing not advisable                      3 Navigation without icebreaker assistance possible only for high-powered vessels of strong construction and suitable for navigation in ice                      4 Navigation proceeds in lead or broken ice-channel without the assistance of an icebreaker                      5 Icebreaker assistance can only be given to vessels suitable for navigation in ice and of special size                      6 Icebreaker assistance can only be given to vessels of special ice class and of special size                      7 Icebreaker assistance can only be given to vessels after special permission                      8 Navigation temporarily closed                      9 Navigation has ceased                      / Unknown</p>
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**Finland, 28.11.2022**

Röyttä – Etukari 5042  
 Ajos – Ristinmatala 1001

**Sweden, 28.11.2022**

Karlsborg – Malören 5041  
 Luleå – Björnklack 5041

Umeå – Väktaren 5041

**Russian Federation, 30.11.2022**

Port of St. Petersburg 40/1  
 St. Petersburg – E-point island Kotlin 40/1  
 Vyborg, port and bay 50/1