



MDAT – GoG

Weekly Report 36-19

30th August – 06th September 2019

INCIDENT DISPOSITION

IN THIS ISSUE

OVERVIEW

INFORMATION TO READ

MDAT – GoG reports are primarily based upon information sent by vessels using the Voluntary Reporting Scheme. Masters and CSOs are encouraged to report as early as possible, events or sightings with as much detail as possible to allow MDAT-GOG to initiate the appropriate response.

Sometimes incomplete reports cause delay to the issue of Warnings or Advisories and our ability to contact Local Law Enforcement assets for assistance. Masters are requested to call MDAT-GoG (+33 298 228888) at the time of any incident occurring. This phone number is monitored permanently (24/7).

It is requested the Masters contact MDAT-GoG as soon as possible to facilitate quick actions by the MDAT-GoG and their regional contacts.

Details can be found on SHOM Chart 8801CSD or UKHO Chart Q6114, 30 June 2016, to allow them to report their vessels when transiting the revised Voluntary Reporting Area (VRA), also described on both security charts with the MDAT-GOG, using the email address watchkeepers@mdat-gog.org

Companies / Ships Exercises: MDAT-GOG would like to extend an invitation to Companies / CSOs to be included in Company led exercises/drills. Please do not hesitate to contact the MDAT-GOG in advance of the exercise. The Exercise telephone number is +33 298 221302. As this keeps the Live Emergency Line free.

One event has been reported to MDAT-GoG this week.

CONTACT

Contact the MDAT-GoG:

E-mail: watchkeepers@mdat-gog.org

Phone : +33 (0) 2 98 22 88 88 (emergency)

Phone : +33 (0) 2 98 22 13 02 (exercise)

Phones and mail are monitored 24/7.

URL: <https://gog-mdat.org>

ALTERNATIVE SOURCES OF INFORMATION

[Naval Oceanic and Hydrographic Service \(SHOM\)](#)

[United Kingdom Hydrographic Office \(UKHO\)](#)

[IMB Live Piracy Reports](#)

[Global Counter Maritime](#)

Fair winds and following seas!

UPDATE FROM MDAT-GOG

MDAT –GOG has launched a website reporting incidents reported to MDAT in Gulf of Guinea. You can also download MDAT Reports Productions such as Weekly, Monthly and Biannual from this website.

URL: <https://gog-mdat.org>

Please find attached to this report, the information notice of Douala Port Authority concerning the embarkation of a military security team on board at Douala Anchorage.



Type	Date	Brg/Rge from nearest port	Summary of event
THEFT	04/09/2019	Pointe Noire, REPUBLIC OF CONGO	<p>On the 04th September 2019 at 0040UTC, at Pointe Noire Anchorage (04°47'28S-011°47'40E) , unauthorised men were observed on board an MV (NAME WITHHELD) by the security team.</p> <p>The alarm was raised and a search investigation was set by the crew without finding any intruder. Crew and ship were reported safe.</p>

WEEKLY EVENTS

- (1) **Hijack:**
Nil incident reported.
- (2) **Attack:**
Nil incident reported.
- (3) **Boarding:**
Nil incident reported.
- (4) **Suspicious approach:**
Nil incident reported.
- (5) **Robbery – Sea theft:**
1 incident reported.
- (6) **Sighting – Irregular activity:**
Nil incident reported.

WARNINGS

Nil WARNING Notice issued this week

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ADVISORIES

Nil ADVISORY Notice issued this week

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MARITIME CRIME

One Maritime Criminal Activity reported this week

REPUBLIC OF CONGO, Pointe-Noire: THEFT.

NOTES

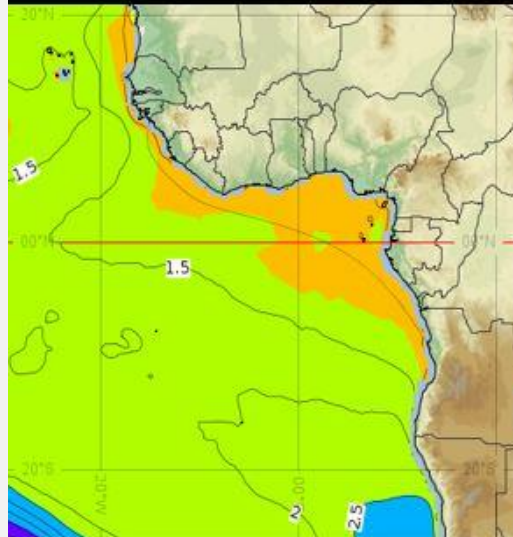
Any queries regarding Advisory Notices ring: 0033 298 22 88 88 only, for further information. ADVISORIES are not classified as Maritime Security Events and have not been verified by MDAT-GoG. This information is provided to inform maritime situational awareness for mariners operating in the region. MDAT-GoG is not responsible for the accuracy of this reporting.

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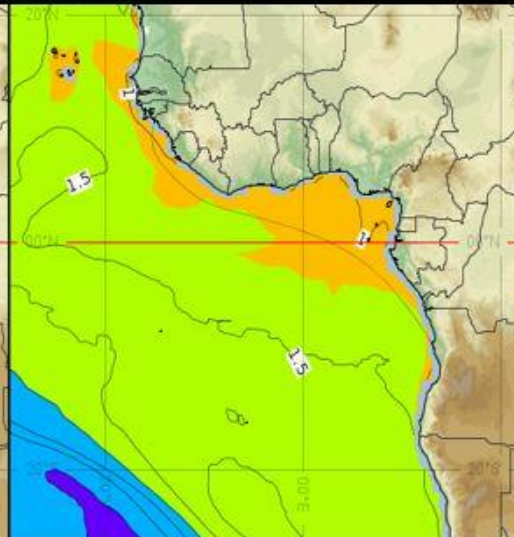
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Sea State Forecast w/c 06th September 2019

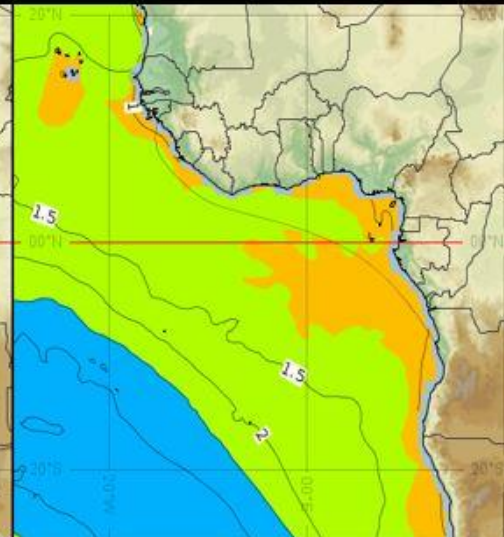
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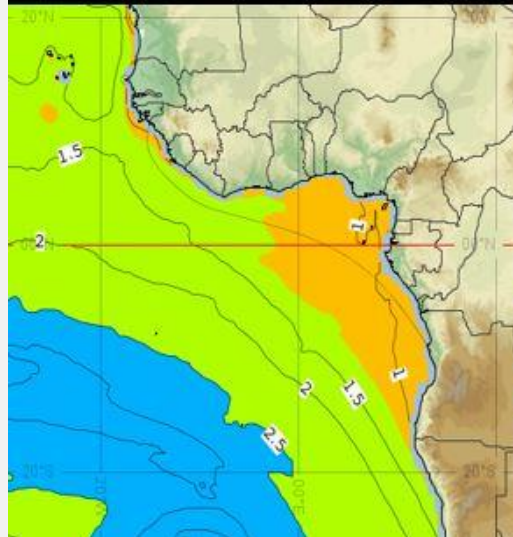
Saturday 07 September at 12Z



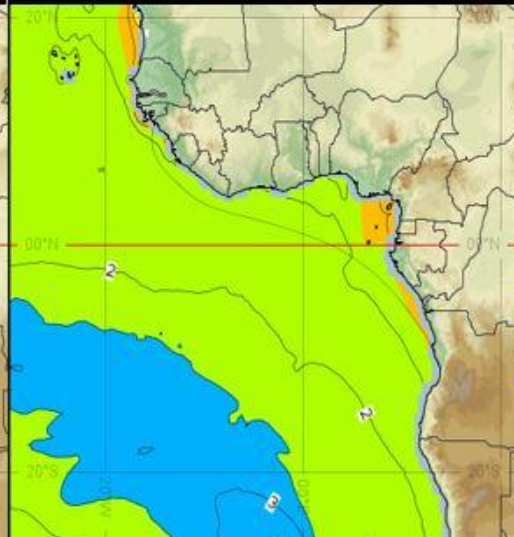
Sunday 08 September at 12Z



Monday 09 September at 12Z



Tuesday 10 September at 12Z



Wednesday 11 September at 12Z



Sea State (Mtrs)

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1,25-2,5

2,5-4

4-6

RÉPUBLIQUE DU CAMEROUN
Paix – Travail – PatriePORT AUTONOME DE DOUALA
(P.A.D)

DIRECTION GÉNÉRALE

REPUBLIC OF CAMEROON
Peace – Work – FatherlandPORT AUTHORITY OF DOUALA
(P.A.D)

HEAD OFFICE

NOTE D'INFORMATION N° 0346 DCAP/DG/PAD DU 22 AUG 2013
Relative aux mesures de sureté au profit des navires mouillant à la Bouée Base. -

Les consignataires et armateurs de navires fréquentant le Port de Douala sont informés qu'il a été mis en place une opération de sécurisation des navires qui consiste à l'embarquement des équipes de sureté du BIR à bord de tous les navires dès leur arrivée à la zone de mouillage (Bouée de base B9) jusqu' à leur accostage au quai sollicité.

Cette opération qui est menée pour une durée indéterminée est totalement gratuite.

Il est demandé aux capitaines et équipages des navires de bien vouloir collaborer avec les agents affectés à cette mission afin de garantir le succès de l'opération.



LE COMMANDANT DU PORT,

INFORMATION NOTICE N° 0346 DCAP/DG/PAD OF 22 AUG 2013
Concerning security measures for the benefit of vessels anchoring at the Base Bouy.

Shipowners and shipping agents of vessels calling at Douala Port are hereby informed that in view of giving more security to vessels, it has been decided that each vessel at anchorage at Base Buoy (B9) will be provided by an armed security team for their protection.

The team will remain on board the vessel throughout her stay at anchorage and will leave after berthing.

This operation which is totally free will be conducted for an indefinite period.

Captains of the vessels and their crew members are kindly advised to collaborate with the team for the success of the operation.

THE HARBOUR MASTER,

LARGE DIFFUSION

