



UNITED KINGDOM

MARITIME TRADE OPERATIONS

UKMTO Summary Report: 30 August - 05 September 2025



UKMTO Alerts		
Incident No.	Category	Remarks
029 - 25	Attack	<p>311730UTC Aug 25 - Attack</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> UKMTO received a report of an incident 38 nautical miles southwest of Yanbu, Saudi Arabia. The Master of the Singapore flagged bulk carrier SCARLET RAY reported to UKMTO that they witnessed a splash approximately 20 metres from the vessel, due to an unknown projectile and also heard a loud bang. The impact was felt within the hull of the vessel. No damage was reported, the crew were reported to be safe and the vessel was able to continue its voyage to the next port of call, without further incident. For further details on this incident see: CMF-JMIC InfoNote
030 - 25	Suspicious Activity	<p>040310UTC Sep 25—Suspicious Activity</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> UKMTO received a report of an incident 178 nautical miles northwest of Al Hudaydah, Yemen. An unknown projectile was seen to impact the sea some distance from the Marshall Islands flagged general cargo ship AGIOS NEKTARIOS 1. The Master also reported severe electronic interference in the area, and, confirmed that the vessel was undamaged and the crew all safe. AGIOS NEKTARIOS 1 then proceeded to the next port of call without any further incidents. JMIC has not raised any InfoNote relating to this incident.

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Electronic Interference Reports Made to UKMTO



- The heat-mapping above indicates the relative levels of electronic interference in the form of AIS anomalies during the period 30 August to 05 September. In the Red Sea, electronic interference has elevated slightly over the past week, a higher concentration centred around the ports of Yanbu, Jeddah and Port Sudan. Within the Gulf, electronic interference in the form of AIS anomalies have further decreased on last weeks levels.
- UKMTO has received a number of direct reports of GPS interference in the period 28 August to 04 September, with specific GPS interference being reported as indicated by the turquoise spot reports in the Red Sea and Strait of Hormuz.
- Vessels are requested to report experience of electronic interference to UKMTO, in support of keeping the broader community better informed.

Maritime Industry

- **31 March 2025, London** – The Industry Associations of BIMCO, ICS, IMCA, INTERCARGO, INTERTANKO & OCIMF supported by over forty maritime stakeholders, released a consolidated and enhanced publication Best Management Practices (BMP) for Maritime Security (MS).
- Further information on this press release can be found by clicking [here](#).
- Best Management Practices (BMP) for Maritime Security (MS) click [here](#) to view.

CMF - Joint Maritime Information Centre (JMIC) Products

- **CMF - JMIC Products.** The CMF - JMIC Weekly Dashboard and CMF - JMIC Information Notes (InfoNotes) products are promulgated on behalf of CMF - JMIC on UKMTO's website at ['JMIC Products'](#).
- **CMF - JMIC Weekly Dashboard.** The most recently issued JMIC Weekly Dashboard is available at [JMIC Weekly Dashboard](#).
- **CMF - JMIC Previous InfoNotes.** Previous InfoNotes, issued prior to this summary reporting period, are available at [JMIC InfoNotes](#).
- **JMIC - Bridge Emergency Reference Cards Middle East.** The most recently produced version of the 'JMIC Bridge Emergency Reference Cards - Middle East' is available [here](#).

Open Source Media Articles

(UKMTO is not responsible for the accuracy of these open source media articles)

- Houthis move attacks north as Eastern Pacific tanker targeted in Red Sea
 - 01 September - tradewindsnews.com
- Conflict around Yemen remains as risks extend to Northern Red Sea
 - 02 September - safety4sea.com
- Iranian Navy Stands Down From its Wartime Posture
 - 02 September - maritime-executive.com
- EUNAVFOR ASPIDES: The EU Ambassador to Djibouti Visits the ASPIDES' Italian Naval Unit ITS CAIO DUILIO
 - 03 September - eeas.europa.eu

Ships Maritime Security Briefings - Jebel Ali, Dubai

There have been no Ships Maritime Security Briefings in this period.

Office Visits, Briefings and Maritime Security Updates

To contact our Dubai office, arrange an office visit, request a briefing about UKMTO or request a regional maritime security brief, please email the OiC. **Note:** Emails received between 13:00 (UTC) on Friday and 04:00 (UTC) on Monday, may not be actioned before 04:00 (UTC) on Monday. For urgent or short notice briefings, security officers and masters should contact the Duty UKMTO (Dubai) Officer on: +971 (0)50 189 8389 who will be able to arrange urgent briefings that fall outside of the above times.

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Additional Sources of Information

[United Kingdom Maritime Trade Operations \(UKMTO\)](#)
[Maritime Security Centre Indian Ocean \(MSCIO\)](#)
[Combined Maritime Forces \(CMF\)](#)
[Middle East Navigation Aids Service \(MENAS\)](#)

[Maritime Global Security](#)
[United States Dept of Transportation Maritime Administration](#)
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