

Crane vessel operating in Esbjerg Harbour and transporting wind turbine components via two designated corridors in the North Sea

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1. Introduction

Due to the construction of the offshore Wind Farm Thor, a crane vessel extending 656 FT MSL will be operating in Esbjerg Harbour from January 2026 to February 2027.

In the same period, the crane vessel will be used to transport wind turbine components from Esbjerg Harbour to the construction site of Wind Farm Thor. During transportation, the crane vessel will have an extension of 427 FT and transit along two designated corridors described in subsection 3.1.

2. Crane vessel operating in Esbjerg Harbour

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OBST ID / Designation	OBST type	OBST position	ELEV (FT)	HGT AGL (FT)	Markings / Type, Colour	Remarks
Crane	Crane vessel	55 27 00.0N 008 28 01.5E	656	656	LIM FLG R (Night)	NIL

3. Crane vessel transporting wind turbine components at sea

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OBST ID / Designation	OBST type	OBST position	ELEV (FT)	HGT AGL (FT)	Markings / Type, Colour	Remarks
Vessel	Crane vessel	See subsection 3.1	427	427	LIM FLG R	Mobile obstacle. Light mounted on top of one of the wind turbine towers being transported.

3.1 Designated corridors in the North Sea between Esbjerg Harbour and Wind Farm Thor

Lateral limits:

Corridor 1 - long sail route:

55 27 00N 008 28 09E - 55 26 59N 008 27 58E - 55 27 20N 008 26 25E - 55 27 33N 008 25 24E - 55 27 53N 008 25 06E - 55 28 39N 008 24 23E - 55 28 55N 008 23 46E - 55 29 08N 008 22 36E - 55 28 59N 008 21 53E - 55 27 09N 008 18 06E - 55 26 50N 008 16 54E - 55 25 33N 008 13 48E - 55 24 51N 007 49 23E - 55 33 55N 007 24 13E - 56 10 48N 007 29 17E - 56 20 02N 007 32 00E - 56 25 11N 007 36 13E - 56 26 53N 007 38 51E.

Corridor 2 - short sail route:

55 27 00N 008 28 08E - 55 26 59N 008 27 58E - 55 27 20N 008 26 21E - 55 27 30N 008 25 29E - 55 27 53N 008 25 06E - 55 28 39N 008 24 23E - 55 28 55N 008 23 46E - 55 29 08N 008 22 36E - 55 29 00N 008 21 53E - 55 27 09N 008 18 06E - 55 26 50N 008 16 54E - 55 25 32N 008 13 42E - 55 25 35N 008 10 59E - 55 29 43N 008 02 56E - 55 30 10N 007 58 53E - 55 31 46N 007 53 17E - 55 34 03N 007 47 18E - 55 43 06N 007 49 49E - 56 14 38N 007 48 51E - 56 25 31N 007 47 30E.

4. Activity period

Activities start from January 2026 and the completion of works is expected by February 2027.

Information on exact activities and the activation of **Corridor 1** or **Corridor 2** will be published by NOTAM.

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Valid until further notice.

