

THE REPUBLIC



OF THE GAMBIA



DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

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## MARINE FORECAST (FISHING)

**DATE:** SATURDAY 01<sup>ST</sup> FEBRUARY, 2025.

**VALIDITY:** FOR 24 HOURS FROM 1800UTC, SATURDAY 01<sup>ST</sup> TO SUNDAY 02<sup>ND</sup> FEBRUARY 2025.

**SEA SAFETY ADVISORY ALERT:** Rough sea with significant wave height of 2.8 and strong winds of 42km/h will prevail over The Gambia territorial waters. These conditions are expected to continue and affect sea front and coastal communities until 1500UTC Monday 03<sup>RD</sup> February 2025.

Fishermen and other users of the sea are advice to use maximum sea safety advisory in all fishing landing sites during the forecast period.

**INSHORE WATERS- 1 & 2:** *Up to 20 Nautical miles (37km) inside the Sea*

**Winds:** Will be mainly northeasterly flow with speed ranging from 16 – 38 km/h.

**Wave Height:** will be 0.6–2.3 meters high.

**Sea State:** Slight to moderate

**Weather:** Dusty atmosphere and strong winds will prevail

**Visibility:** Moderate

**OFFSHORE WATERS- 1 & 2: From 20 up to 200 Nautical Miles (37km - 370km) into the high Sea**

**Winds:** Will be mainly northerly, becoming mainly northeasterly flow with speed ranging from 20 – 42 km/h.

**Wave Height:** Will be 2.1 – 2.8 meters high.

**Sea State:** Moderate to rough

**Weather:** Dusty atmosphere and strong winds will prevail

**Visibility:** Moderate

**TIMES OF HIGH AND LOW TIDES:**

**LOW TIDE:**

**Tonight:** will be at 5:50 PM

**Tomorrow:** will be at 6:28 AM

**HIGH TIDE:**

**Tomorrow:** will be at 00:13 AM

And also: will be at 12:28 PM

**COASTAL AREAS UP TO 10 NAUTICAL MILE (NM) ONSHORE:**

**Winds:** Will be mainly northeasterly flow with a speed ranging from 12-32km/h.

**Temperatures:** Min: 17°C and Max: 32°C =