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THIRTY DAY ICE OUTLOOK FOR HUDSON AND FOXE FOR MID-OCTOBER TO MID-NOVEMBER ISSUED BY ENVIRONMENT CANADA ON 15 OCTOBER 2025.
THE NEXT 30 DAY OUTLOOK WILL BE ISSUED ON 31 OCTOBER 2025.

Summary for October 1 to 12

Average air temperatures were near normal to slightly above normal for eastern Hudson Bay and the Labrador Sea. Elsewhere, average air temperatures were above normal. Ice extent is near normal for most regions as ice free or open water conditions dominate most regions. Freeze-up in Fury and Hecla Strait is about 1-2 weeks slower than normal.

Weather forecast for October 15 to November 15

Air temperatures are forecast to be above normal in all regions.

Southern Labrador Coast.

Northern Labrador Coast.

October 15-November 15

- Bergy water.

Lake Melville.

October 15-November 15

- Ice free.

Southern Davis Strait.

October 15-November 15

- Bergy water.

Northern Davis Strait.

October 15-November 7

- Bergy water.

November 8-15

- Bergy water except 1-3 tenths new ice forming along parts of the coast.

Frobisher Bay.

October 15-November 10

- Bergy water.

November 11-15

- Bergy water except 1-3 tenths new ice forming along parts of the coast.

Cumberland Sound.

October 15-November 7

- Bergy water.

November 8-15

- Bergy water except 1-3 tenths new ice forming along parts of the coast.

Hudson Strait

Ungava Bay.

October 15-November 10

- Bergy water.

November 11-15

- Bergy water except 1-3 tenths new ice forming along parts of the coast.

Foxe Basin.

October 15-19

- Ice free except open water with occasional areas of 1-3 tenths new ice along parts of the coasts in the northern section.
- Bergy water with occasional areas of 1-3 tenths new ice including a trace of second-year ice in Fury and Hecla Strait.

October 20-31

- Ice free in the southern section
- Open water with areas of 7-8 tenths new ice along parts of the coasts in the northern section.

November 1-9

- Open water with areas of 7-8 tenths new and grey ice along the coasts in the northern and eastern sections.
- Elsewhere, ice free to open water.

November 10-15

- 1-3 tenths new and grey ice with areas of 7-8 tenths new and grey ice along the coasts in the northern and eastern sections.
- Consolidated grey ice in sheltered bays in the northern and eastern sections.
- Elsewhere, ice free to open water with occasional 1-3 tenths new ice along parts of the coast.

Northwestern Hudson Bay.

October 1-27

- Ice free.

October 28-November 5

- Ice free except open water with areas of 1-3 tenths new ice along parts of the coasts.

November 6-15

- Ice free except open water with areas of 7-8 tenths new and grey ice along the coasts.

Eastern Hudson Bay – James Bay

October 1-November 4

- Ice free.

November 5-15

- Ice free except open water with areas of 1-3 tenths new ice along parts of the coasts.

Southwestern Hudson Bay.

October 1-31

- Ice free.

November 1-10

- Ice free except open water with areas of 1-3 tenths new ice along parts of the coasts.

November 11-15

- Ice free except open water with areas of 4-6 tenths new and grey ice along the coasts.

