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THIRTY DAY ICE OUTLOOK FOR HUDSON AND FOXE FOR DECEMBER ISSUED BY ENVIRONMENT CANADA ON 1 DECEMBER 2025.

THIS IS THE LAST FORECAST BULLETIN FOR THE SEASON.

Summary for November 15 to 26.

Average air temperatures were significantly above normal for all forecast regions. Freeze-up is about 2-3 weeks slower than normal.

Weather forecast for December.

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

Southern Labrador Coast.

December 1-7

- Bergy water with occasional areas of 1-3 tenths new ice along the coast in the northern section.

December 8-20

- Bergy water except areas of 4-6 tenths new ice along parts of the coast.

December 21-31

- Bergy water except areas of 7-8 tenths new and grey ice along parts of the coast.

Northern Labrador Coast.

December 1-4

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

December 5-10

- Bergy water except areas of 4-6 tenths new ice along parts of the coast.

December 11-22

- Bergy water except areas of 4-6 tenths new and grey ice along parts of the coast.

December 23-31

- Bergy water except areas of 7-8 tenths new and grey ice along parts of the coast.

Lake Melville.

December 1-7

- Open water with areas of 1-3 tenths new ice.

December 8-19

- 1-3 tenths new ice with areas of 9-9+ tenths grey and grey-white ice along the coasts.

December 20-31

- 7-8 tenths new and grey ice with areas of 9-9+ tenths grey and grey-white ice.
- Consolidated grey-white ice in the extreme western section.

Southern Davis Strait.

December 1-6

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

December 7-12

- 7-8 tenths new and grey ice in the extreme northwestern section.

- Elsewhere, bergy water except areas of 4-6 tenths new and grey ice along the coast.

December 13-20

- 9-9+ tenths new, grey and grey-white ice in the northwestern section.
- 1-3 tenths new and grey ice in the southwestern section.
- Elsewhere, bergy water.

December 21-28

- 9-9+ tenths grey and grey-white ice in the northwestern section.
- 4-6 tenths new and grey ice in the southwestern section.
- Bergy water in the southeastern section.

After December 28

- 9-9+ grey, grey-white and first-year ice in the northwestern section.
- 9-9+ tenths new, grey and grey-white ice in the southwestern section.
- Bergy water with areas of 4-6 tenths new and grey ice in the southeastern section.

Northern Davis Strait.

December 1-6

- 4-6 tenths new ice with areas of 7-8 tenths new and grey ice in the northwestern section.
- Elsewhere bergy water with areas of 9-9+ tenths new and grey ice along parts of the coast.

December 7-12

- 9-9+ tenths new and grey ice in the northwestern section.
- 1-3 tenths new ice except areas of 9-9+ tenths new and grey ice along parts of the coast in the southwestern section.
- Bergy water in the eastern section.

December 13-22

- 9-9+ tenths grey and grey-white ice in the extreme northwestern section.
- 7-8 tenths new and grey ice in the southwestern section.
- Elsewhere, bergy water with areas of 4-6 tenths new and grey ice.
- Consolidated grey-white ice along parts of the coast.

December 23-31

- 9-9+ tenths first-year ice including a trace of multi-year ice in the northwestern section.
- 7-8 tenths new and grey ice in the extreme southeastern section.
- Elsewhere, 9-9+ tenths grey and grey-white ice.
- Consolidated first-year ice along parts of the coast.

Frobisher Bay.

December 1-6

- Bergy water except areas of 4-6 tenths new and grey ice along parts of the coasts.

December 7-15

- Bergy water with areas of 7-8 tenths new and grey ice along parts of the coasts.

December 16-22

- 7-8 tenths new and grey ice except areas of 9-9+ tenths grey-white ice in the extreme western section.

December 23-31

- 9-9+ tenths grey and grey-white ice.
- Consolidated grey-white ice in the extreme western section.

Cumberland Sound.

December 1-7

- Bergy water except 4-6 tenths new ice forming along parts of the coasts.

December 8-15

- 1-3 tenths new ice except areas of 9-9+ tenths new and grey ice along the coasts.

December 16-22

- 9-9+ tenths new and grey ice.

December 23-31

- 9-9+ tenths new and grey ice with areas of 9-9+ tenths grey and grey-white ice near the eastern entrance.
- Consolidated grey-white ice along parts of the coasts.

Hudson Strait.

December 1-12

- Bergy water except 4-6 tenths new and grey ice along parts of the coasts.

December 13-20

- 9-9+ tenths new and grey ice along the coasts in the western section.
- Elsewhere, bergy water with areas of 4-6 tenths new and grey ice along the coasts.

December 21-28

- 9-9+ tenths grey and grey-white ice along the coasts in the western section and in the extreme western section.
- Elsewhere, 1-3 tenths new ice with areas of 9-9+ tenths new and grey ice along the coasts.
- Consolidated grey ice along the coast in the northwestern section.

After December 28

- 7-8 tenths new and grey ice with areas of 9-9+ tenths grey and grey-white ice in the western section and in the extreme northeastern section.
- Elsewhere, 4-6 tenths new and grey ice with areas of 9-9+ tenths grey ice along the coasts.
- Consolidated grey-white ice along the coast in the northwestern section.

Ungava Bay.

December 1-7

- Bergy water except areas of 4-6 tenths new ice along parts of the coasts.

December 8-15

- Bergy water except areas of 9-9+ tenths new and grey ice along the coasts.

December 16-22

- 1-3 tenths new and grey ice with areas of 9-9+ tenths grey ice along the coasts.
- Consolidated grey ice along parts of the coasts.

December 23-31

- 4-6 tenths new and grey ice with areas of 9-9+ tenths grey and grey-white ice.
- Consolidated grey-white ice along parts of the coasts.

Northwestern Hudson Bay.

December 1-7

- 9-9+ tenths new and grey ice along the coasts.

- Elsewhere, open water to ice free with occasional areas of 1-3 tenths new ice.
- Bergy water with areas of 4-6 tenths new ice in the extreme northeastern section.

December 8-15

- 9-9+ tenths grey and grey-white ice in the northwestern section and along the coasts.
- Elsewhere open water with areas of 4-6 tenths new ice.
- Consolidated grey-white ice in sheltered bays along parts of the coasts.

December 16-22

- 7-8 tenths grey and grey-white ice except consolidated grey-white and first-year ice along parts of the coasts.

December 23-31

- 9-9+ tenths grey and grey-white ice.
- Consolidated grey-white and first-year ice along the coasts.

Eastern Hudson Bay – James Bay

December 1-6

- Open water with areas of 4-6 tenths new ice along the coast in the northern section and in eastern James Bay.
- 1-3 tenths new ice except areas of 9-9+ tenths new and grey ice along the coast in western James Bay.
- Bergy water in the extreme northern section.

December 7-15

- Bergy water with areas of 1-3 tenths new and grey ice in the extreme northern section.
- 1-3 tenths new ice with areas of 9-9+ tenths new and grey ice along parts of the coasts of James Bay.
- Elsewhere, open water with area of 1-3 tenths new and grey ice along parts of the coasts.

December 16-22

- Bergy water with occasional areas of 1-3 tenths new ice in the extreme northern section.
- Open water except areas of 7-8 tenths new and grey ice along parts of the coast elsewhere in the northern section.
- 4-6 tenths new and grey ice with areas of 9-9+ tenths grey and grey-white ice along the coasts of James Bay.

December 23-31

- 7-8 tenths new and grey ice in the extreme northern section.
- 7-8 tenths grey and grey-white ice in James Bay.
- Elsewhere, open water with areas of 4-6 tenths new and grey ice along the coasts.
- Consolidated grey ice along parts of the coasts in the northern section.
- Consolidated grey-white ice along the coasts in James Bay.

Southwestern Hudson Bay.

December 1-12

- Ice free except open water with areas of 9-9+ tenths new and grey ice along the coasts.

December 13-20

