

S.M.P, KOLKATA		
No.MRN/HMR/SR/270	एस०एम०पी, कोलकाता	
		H.M.(R)'S OFFICE Dated :29/01/2023.
SAGAR ROADS MARCH'2023		
ESTIMATED FRESH WATER DRAFT FORECAST FOR THE MONTH OF MAR'2023 FOR SAGAR ROADS FOR VESSELS OF 12KTS. & OVER (SUBJECT TO ALTERATION)		
Date	Inward & Outward	NOTES
	Day Night	
1st	8.0 7.7	1. Vessels bound Sagar anchorage must report at Lower Gasper L/V (212154N,880930E) at least 2 hrs. before high water Sagar and maintain proper contact with the pilot station and VTMS all the time on Channel 16/68.
*2nd	7.7 8.3	
3rd	8.0 8.6	
4th	8.3 8.9	14. Master to check with Sagar VTS for any changes in the approach channel / way points to the Pilot Boarding Ground (PBG) before entering the channel.
5th	8.6 9.2	
6th	8.9 9.3	
7th	9.1 9.4	3. During FOUL SEASON Vessels/barges plying under I.V.Act in Zone-I of Hooghly River to comply with Notification No.3213-WT/TR/O/3W-26/2010Pt. Dated 28.09.2011.
8th	9.3 9.5	
9th	9.4 9.5	
10th	9.5 9.4	4. Drafts given for vessels above 210 mtrs. LOA. Vessels of LOA 210 mtrs. and below can avail additional draft of 0.2 mtrs. and vessels of LOA below 180 mtrs. can avail additional draft of 0.4 mtrs.
11th	9.5 9.3	
12th	9.4 9.1	
13th	9.2 8.9	5. Night drafts subject to all lights in order.
14th	8.9 8.6	
15th	8.6 8.2	
16th	8.4 8.0	6. Gasper - 6.9 mtrs. and Middleton - 6.2 mtrs.
*17th	8.0 8.7	
18th	8.3 9.1	
19th	8.9 9.6	8. Pilot embarkation at Middleton Channel.
20th	9.3 9.7	
21st	9.6 9.7	
22nd	9.7 9.7	9. Vessels required to have two serviceable anchors for safe transit.
23rd	9.7 9.7	
24th	9.7 9.5	
25th	9.5 9.2	Sd/- (D Sengupta) Harbour Master (River)/C बंदरगाह मास्टर (नदी) आइ/सी
26th	9.3 8.9	
27th	9.0 8.6	
28th	8.6 8.2	
29th	8.3 7.8	
30th	8.0 7.7	
*31st	7.7 8.2	