



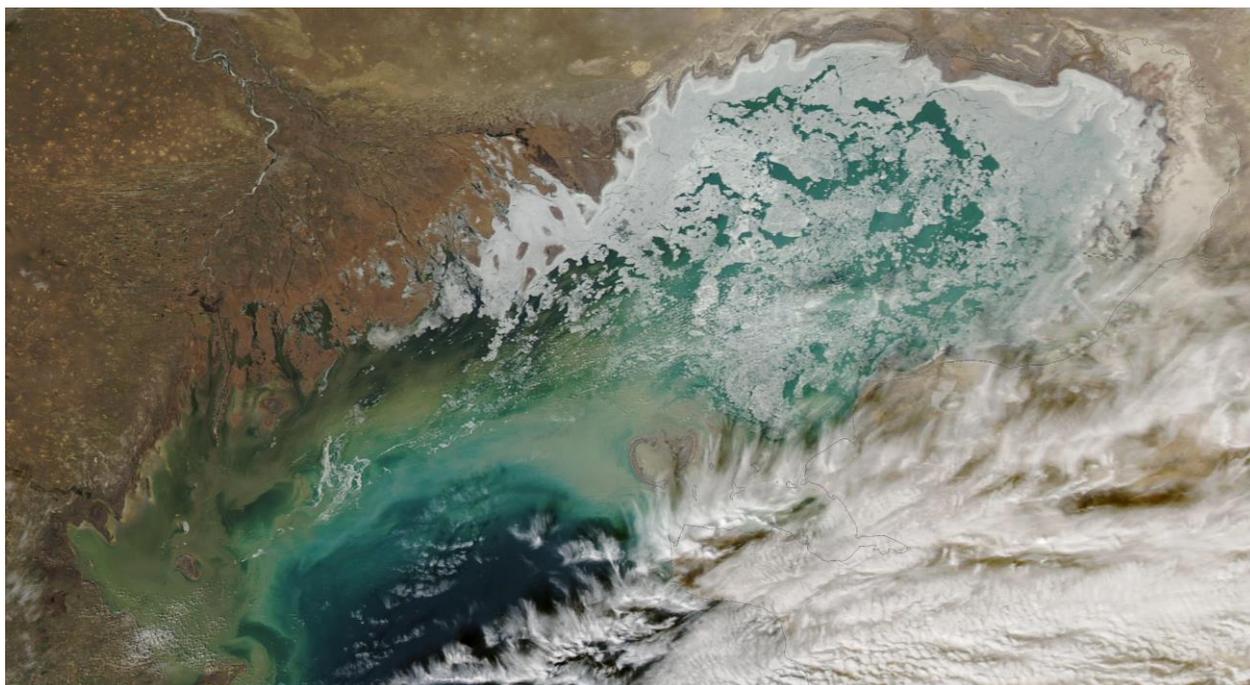
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**№12 REVIEW
OF THE ICE SITUATION IN THE NORTHERN CASPIAN REGION**



Space image of the Caspian Sea, February 22, 2026 (NASA/GSFC)

Table - Main elements of the Caspian Sea ice regime as of 23.02.2026 based on operational data of sea stations and posts

Station	Fast ice width, km	Ice thickness, cm	Height of snow on ice, cm	Quantity of immobile ice, points	Quantity of clean water, points	Ice drift, points	Ice cohesion, points
Морские станции и посты Казгидромета							
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n/a – no data

n/o – phenomenon has not been observed

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CONSULTATIVE FORECAST OF ICE CONDITIONS IN THE CASPIAN SEA
FOR THE PERIOD 23 FEBRUARY – 10 MARCH, 2026



23 February



10 March

From 23 February to 10 March 2026, forecast maps generated on the basis of data from the Global Forecasting System (GFS), incorporating satellite remote sensing information, indicate a trend toward a gradual reduction in the areal extent and thickness of the ice cover in the northeastern part of the Caspian Sea.