

Fairway information

Regional Water Management Authority in Cracow provides fairway information for inland Water-way on the **Vistula River** km 0 +600 ÷ 295 +200 as of date 04.03.2026 at 06:00 am UTC

1. Hydrological and meteorological situation

Water gauge	Km	Alarm levels [cm]	Water level [cm]	Difference within 24h	Water temperature [°C]	Air temperature [°C]	Wind Direction and strength [m/s]	The highest navigation level [cm]
Pustynia	0+450	480	227	-4	no data	1	no data	330
Las	16+000	550	178	1	no data	1	no data	400
Smolice	23+300	630	149	-6	no data	-1	no data	450
Czernichów-Prom	45+600	840	230	-17	no data	-1	no data	580
Kraków-Bielany	69+350	520	166	-9	no data	0	no data	370
Sierosławice	130+750	700	161	27	no data	0	no data	530
Popędzyna	138+050	750	243	17	no data	0	no data	580
Karsy	166+100	750	169	-13	no data	0	no data	550
Szczucin	194+050	660	172	-8	no data	0	no data	460
Koło	241+000	680	191	-19	no data	0	no data	460
Sandomierz	268+300	610	186	-13	no data	0	no data	460
Zawichost	287+350	620	294	-8	5.9	1	no data	480

Source: Institute of Meteorology and Water Management – State Research Institute

For information about current water levels please visit the page: www.hydro.imgw.pl

2. Navigational situation

Fairway condition

Section Km	Category	Status	Polling Date	State on a given day [cm]		Current state [cm]	
				Water level	Fairway depth Min.	Water level	Fairway depth Min.
0+600 Vistula River to Dwory Lock (2+833 Dwory Canal)	IV*	closed	27.09.2024	232	80	227	75
Dwory Lock (2+833 Dwory Canal) to Smolice Lock (1+020 Smolice Canal)	IV*	closed	27.09.2024	187	60	178	51
Smolice Lock (1+020 Smolice Canal) to Borek Szlachecki Lock (15+500 Łączany Skawina Canal)	II	closed	23.09.2024	158	160	149	151
Borek Szlachecki Lock (15+500 Łączany Skawina Canal) to Kościuszko Water Step km 66+400 Vistula River	III	closed	20.09.2024	325	170	230	75
Kościuszko Water Step km 66+400 Vistula River to Przewóz Lock km 92+600 Vistula River	III	closed	20.09.2024	205	90	166	51
Przewóz Lock km 92+600 Vistula River to Mouth of the Raba River km 134+600 Vistula River	Ib	closed	3.10.2024	200	80	161	41
Mouth of the Raba River km 134+600 Vistula River to Mouth of the Dunajec River km 160+600 Vistula River	Ib	closed	3.10.2024	200	100	243	143
Mouth of the Dunajec River km 160+600 Vistula River to Mouth of the Nida River km 175+400 Vistula River	Ib	closed	7.10.2024	153	140	169	156
Mouth of the Nida River km 175+400 Vistula River to Mouth of the Czarna Staszowska km 222+300 Vistula	Ib	closed	6.05.2025	100	50	172	122
Mouth of the Czarna Staszowska 222+300 Vistula River to Mouth of the Koprzywianka km 267+300 Vistula River	Ib	closed	6.05.2025	138	70	191	123
Mouth of the Koprzywianka km 267+300 Vistula River to Mouth of the San River km 279+500 Vistula River	Ib	closed	6.05.2025	88	80	186	178

Mouth of the San River km 279+500 Vistula River to Mouth of the Sanna River km 295+200 Vistula River	Ib	closed	6.05.2025	211	60	294	143
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** the Pogędzynka water gauge is representative of the section of the navigable route from the Przewóz lock to the mouth of the Dunajec River, due to the lack of data from the Sierostawice water gauge on the day of sounding

Lock status

Name	Km	Status	Open time
Dwory	2+833 canal Dwory	closed	-
Smolice	1+020 canal Smolice	closed	-
Borek Szlachecki	15+550 canal Łączany Skawina	closed	-
Kościuszko	66+400 Vistula river	closed	-
Dąbie	80+875 Vistula river	closed	-
Przewóz	92+600 Vistula river	closed	-

3. Notices to Skippers

Due to the disappearance of ice conditions, the navigable route on the Upper Vistula Waterway from km 66+400 (the Kościuszko Barrage) to km 80+875 (the Dąbie Barrage) will be open to vessels from February 12, 2026. The locks at the barrages remain closed to navigation.

[Details in notice to skippers No. 4/2026](#)

The navigable route on the Upper Vistula waterway from km 92+600 (Przewóz Stage) to km 295+200 (mouth of the Sanna River) is closed to vessels from 19 January 2026 until further notice.

[Details in notice to skippers No. 3/2026](#)

The navigable route on the Upper Vistula waterway from km 0+000 to km 92+600 (Przewóz stage) is closed to vessels from 13 January 2026 until further notice.

[Details in notice to skippers No. 2/2026](#)

The locks on the waterway of the Upper Vistula, at the Dwory, Smolice, ZOH Łączany (Borek Szlachecki lock), Kościuszko, Dąbie and Przewóz on January 07 2026, until further notice, they are out of service for vessels.

[Details in notice to skippers No. 1/2026](#)