

## Monitoring of changes in the area of water surface and wetlands within the Small Aral Sea

SIC experts keep regular monitoring over the Small Aral Sea by using the Landsat 8-9 images. The areas of wetlands and open water surfaces were determined by the image dated 3 October 2024.

**Small Aral.  
Landsat 8-9, 3 October 2024.**

**Table**

**Areas of wetlands, water surface and dried seabed\*,  
Small Aral Sea (ha)**

	<b>18.04.2024</b>	<b>28.05.2024</b>	<b>06.06.2024</b>	<b>31.07.2024</b>	<b>24.08.2024</b>	<b>03.10.2024</b>
Wetland	22 877	23 022	18 349	17 556	17961	29450
Water surface	317 235	316 601	314 006	308 857	306476	300332
Dry land*	201 335	201 820	209 092	215 034	217010	211665
Inflow from Syrdarya River (mln m <sup>3</sup> )	Март	Апрель	Май	Июнь	Июль	Сентябрь
	273	158	44	72	223	201

\*bare soil, dense or rare vegetation

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