

MSA	30Nm	Rothera Radio			Apt Elev 15'	ROTHERA – EGAR
			5080	NDB 310	All Bearings	Warnings, notes
/ 11	000	118.1	7775	(D) 117.25	Magnetic	Procedures
NDB(L) ROT		Apt Reference Point: S67 34.0 W068 07.7 Rothera Radio: VHF 118.1 HF 5080, 7775, 9106 Phone: +44 1223 221670 Iridium +881 631 831 227 219 For current Rothera chart status and Visiting aircraft information consult				
		https://www.bas.ac.uk/polar-operations/sites-and-facilities/aircraft/pilots/				
 Warnings: Weather balloons, rockets and UAV activity; contact Rothera Operations and consult the latest NOTAMs published on the AIS NOTAM system. Rothera runway is <u>NOT</u> available during BAS DASH 7 Point of Safe Return (PSR) Operations. Aircraft captains must contact Rothera Operations by phone before departure on the day of intended flight for details. Possible icebergs up to 300 feet on the approach to both runways. Severe turbulence and windshear on short finals to runway 36 & 18 associated with easterly winds greater than 10 kts. Bird hazard in the vicinity of Rothera airfield November to April. Occasional ships moored at the wharf to the East of Rwy 36 threshold. Ships moored at the Rothera wharf may necessitate runway closure, contact Rothera Operations. Steeply rising ground to the West, circuits to the East only, circuit height 1200 feet. Multiple aerial arrays to the east of the runway up to 200 feet amsl. RW18 4 deg APAPI approach angle does not assure terrain separation for approaching aircraft when West of Runway centreline. 						
Notes:1.Fuel: JET A1 available by prior permission only.2.Runway marked with 205 lt drums and end flags.3.Snow banks likely up to 3m September to January contact Rothera Operations.4.Portable runway lights (MIRL) require 60 minutes notice to deploy.5.Inbound aircraft to call at 5nm final.						
Special Operational Procedures: BAS DASH 7 Point of Safe Return (PSR) Procedures. (NOT applicable to Rothera Skiway)						
BAS procedures require a sterile runway and airspace at Rothera for all periods where the BAS DASH 7 has passed PSR until it has landed. Aircraft will NOT be allowed to take-off or land during this period. It is mandatory for inbound visiting aircraft captains to contact Rothera Operations before takeoff. It is the sole responsibility of the aircraft captain to establish the airfield status, gain final authorisation and ensure the flight is planned to avoid times where the airfield is unavailable. If a captain becomes aware the ETA may conflict with a planned DASH 7 PSR period, or other restriction, they must inform Rothera Ops as soon as possible. Failure to adhere to these requirements may result in refusal to use the airfield and the aircraft will be directed to divert or return to the point of departure. This requirement does NOT affect aircraft able to use the skiway when conditions are suitable for its use.						
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BAS Web site (Air Unit home page) For NOTAMs and Weather information: https://www.bas.ac.uk/polar-operations/sites-and-facilities/aircraft/pilots/						





- failure occurs IMC before R0210 continue with procedure to be at R0210 or above 2500' then turn RIGHT to RMATF to join EGAR 36 approach not below 3300'.
- 2. Use course guidance from RNAV, ensure RAIM is available throughout. Monitor CDI sensitivity during departure as it may not auto-scale.
- 3. Expect severe turbulence and mountain wave activity in strong wind conditions



- In the event of an engine failure before reaching 1100' remain VMC and return to EGAR. If engine failure occurs IMC before R0210 continue with procedure to be at R0210 at or above 2500' then turn RIGHT to RMATF to join EGAR 36 approach not below 3300'.
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