Sending a Preset Text (unlimited and free)
Make sure that you have a clear view of the sky.
Switch on the unit
From the main menu, select Send Preset.
Choose a preset message, and select Send.
TIP: You can select View Details to view the content and recipient of the preset message.
To reply to a message, select the message of interest and select quick reply. Choose the option you want to send and press ✓.

Sending a Quick or a Custom Text
From the Messages page, select OK.
Select New Message > Select Contacts.
Choose recipients from your contacts list, and select Done.
Select an option:
To start with a pre-written message, select “Pick Quick Text.”
To write a custom message, select Write Message.
NOTE: To select from the autocomplete options, begin typing a word, hold OK, and use and to scroll through the options.
When you have finished your message, select ✓ to Send.

Replying to a Message
From the Messages page, select OK.
Select a conversation, and select Reply.
Select an option:
• To start with a pre-written message, select Pick Quick Text.
• To write a custom message, select Write Message.
When you have finished your message, select ✓ to Send.

Responding to an e-mail sent by InReach
Do not reply to an e-mail sent by an InReach unit. Instead, from your smart phone or computer click on the link provided in the e-mail. The link will take you to a map with the location of the InReach unit. The Map has an active field where you can type your respond to the e-mail.
### Initiating an SOS Rescue

*(Only in a REAL emergency situation!!!)*

1. Lift the protective cap.
2. Hold the SOS key. You don’t have to turn on the device. The SOS key will activate it.
3. Wait for the SOS countdown. The countdown gives you a chance to cancel the rescue request.

The device sends a default message to the emergency response service with details about your location.

4. Reply to the confirmation message from the emergency response service.

Your reply shows that you are capable of interacting with emergency response service during the rescue.

**NOTE:** While in SOS mode, the device cannot be turned off.

### Sending a custom SOS message

*(Only in a REAL emergency situation!!!)*

After pressing the SOS button to initiate an SOS rescue, you can reply with a custom message using the SOS page.

Select Reply to compose a custom SOS message.

When you have finished your message, select ✔ to

### Canceling an SOS Rescue

If you no longer need assistance, you can cancel an SOS rescue after it is sent to the emergency response service.

Lift the protective cap, and hold the SOS button.

Select Cancel SOS.

When prompted to confirm your cancellation request, select Cancel SOS.

Your device transmits the cancellation request. When you receive a confirmation message from the emergency response service, the device returns to normal operation.