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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 1800 UTC Monday 02 July to 1800 UTC Tuesday 03 July 2018

General Situation

A thundery area of low pressure over France will gradually sink southwards and slowly fill, leaving the United Kingdom away from the far south in a very flabby pressure pattern.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 3 or 4 at first in north, otherwise variable 3 or less.

Smooth or slight in east, slight or moderate in north.

Fair.

Good, occasionally poor in north.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or less, becoming southeasterly 3 or 4 later.

Smooth or slight in east, slight or moderate in north.

Fog patches in north.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor in north.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or less.

Slight becoming smooth.

Fair.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or less, becoming south 3 or 4 later.

Smooth.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby

24 hour forecast:

Northeast 3 or less.

Slight becoming smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or less.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point

24 hour forecast:

Northeast 3 or 4.

Slight.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeast 3 or 4, becoming variable 3 or less.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Mainly good.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in south.
Slight or moderate.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first in south, becoming variable 3 or less later in north.
Slight occasionally moderate at first in south.
Fair.
Good.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northeasterly 5 or 6, decreasing 4 at times in west.
Slight or moderate.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in Strait of Dover, becoming variable 3 or 4 later.
Slight or moderate, becoming smooth or slight later.
Mainly fair.
Good.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
East or northeast 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.
Smooth or slight near shore, otherwise slight or moderate.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
East or northeast 4 or 5, becoming variable 3 or less later.
Slight or moderate, becoming smooth or slight later.
Mainly fair.
Good.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
East or northeast 4 or 5, occasionally 6 around headlands, veering east or southeast 3 or 4 later.
Smooth at times inshore east of the Lizard, otherwise slight or moderate.
Thundery showers at first, mainly in west.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable, mainly east veering south, 3 or 4.
Slight or moderate, becoming smooth or slight later.
Mainly fair.
Good, occasionally poor.

Lands End to St Davids Head including the Bristol Channel - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
East or northeast 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.
Slight or moderate in west, smooth or slight in east.
Fair.
Mainly good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Cyclonic, mainly east veering southeast 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first.

Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate in west.
Fair.
Good.

St Davids Head to Great Orme Head, including St Georges Channel - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:

East or northeast 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first near St Davids Head.
Slight or moderate, becoming smooth or slight.

Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

East or northeast 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first, becoming variable 3 or less later.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.
Good.

Great Orme Head to the Mull of Galloway

24 hour forecast:

Northeast veering east for a time, 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable, mainly northeast veering southeast, 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.
Good.

Isle of Man

24 hour forecast:

North or northeast veering east or northeast for a time, 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first.

Slight, occasionally moderate at first.

Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North or northeast veering southeast 3 or 4, becoming variable 3 or less later.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.
Good.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough

24 hour forecast:

Variable, mainly easterly or northeasterly, 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first in southeast.

Smooth or slight in east, slight or moderate in north.

Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable, mainly easterly or southeasterly 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight in east, slight or moderate in north.

Fair.
Good.

Mull of Galloway to Mull of Kintyre including the Firth of Clyde and North Channel

24 hour forecast:

Variable, mainly easterly or northeasterly, 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate near Mull of Kintyre.

Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable, mainly easterly or southeasterly 3 or 4.
Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate near Mull of Kintyre.
Fair.
Good.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point
24 hour forecast:
North veering northeast 3 or 4, then east 3 or less later.
Slight or moderate.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable, mainly east veering southeast, 3 or less.
Slight or moderate.
Fair.
Good.

The Minch
24 hour forecast:
Variable 3 or less.
Slight or moderate in far north and in far south, otherwise smooth or slight.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable 3 or less, becoming mainly southerly or southwesterly later, 3 or 4.
Slight or moderate in far north and in far south, otherwise smooth or slight.
Fair.
Good.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath
24 hour forecast:
Southwesterly 3 or 4 at times in north, otherwise variable 3 or less.
Slight or moderate.
Fair.
Mainly good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable, becoming mainly southerly or southeasterly, 3 or 4.
Slight or moderate.
Mainly fair.
Good, occasionally poor in north.

For Coastal areas up to 60 nautical miles from Lerwick, Shetland
Valid Monday 02 Jul 2018 at 1800 UTC until Tuesday 03 Jul 2018 at 0600 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation
A ridge of high pressure extending northeast across Shetland waters edges away southwards.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle: Nil.

West or southwest 4 or 5, occasionally 3 at first and again later
Moderate, but slight in eastern waters
Patchy rain

Moderate or good

Outlook for 12 Hours from 0600 UTC on Tuesday 03 Jul until 1800 UTC on Tuesday 03 Jul:

West 3 or 4 becoming variable 2 or 3

Slight or moderate

Mainly fair, risk of fog patches

Moderate or good, perhaps occasionally very poor

Channel Islands

24 hour forecast:

Northeast to east 3 to 5, locally variable 1 to 3 in the south, becoming generally variable or easterly 1 to 3 by afternoon, occasionally 4.

Slight to moderate, becoming smooth or slight in the south.

Isolated thundery showers some mist patches.

Moderate to good, locally moderate to poor at times.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable or easterly 1 to 3, locally 4, becoming mainly north to northwest in the morning.

Smooth or slight.

Isolated thundery showers, dying out overnight mist or fog patches.

Moderate to good, locally moderate to poor at times, perhaps very poor.

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