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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 1200 UTC Tuesday 01 September to 1200 UTC Wednesday 02 September
2015

General Situation

A cool, showery northerly or northwesterly airstream will continue to affect the United Kingdom for the next couple of days.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northerly or northwesterly 5 or 6, occasionally 4 at first, increasing 7 at times later in east.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough later.

Showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northerly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 in east.

Moderate or rough, becoming rough or very rough near eastern Orkney and near Rattray Head.

Showers.

Good.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northerly 4 or 5, backing northerly or northwesterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 later in northeast.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough later.

Showers, occasionally thundery.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northerly or northwesterly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 in northeast, decreasing 4 at times in Firth of Forth.

Moderate or rough, becoming rough or very rough near Rattray Head and Berwick upon Tweed.

Showers.

Good.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

North or northwest 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times, mainly later.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough later.

Showers, occasionally thundery.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northwest 5 to 7, perhaps gale 8 later.

Moderate or rough, becoming rough or very rough.

Showers, occasional rain later.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northwesterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in north.

Slight or moderate.

Showers, occasionally thundery.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northwesterly 5 or 6, decreasing 3 or 4 at times in south.
Slight or moderate becoming moderate or rough.
Showers, occasional rain later.
Good, occasionally moderate later.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland

24 hour forecast:

Westerly or northwesterly 4 or 5, decreasing 3 at times.
Moderate in northeast, otherwise slight.
Showers, occasionally thundery.
Mainly good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Mainly northwesterly 3 or 4, increasing 5 or 6 at times in north.
Moderate in northeast, otherwise smooth or slight.
Showers, occasional rain later in north.
Good, occasionally moderate later in north.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill

24 hour forecast:

Mainly westerly or northwesterly 3 or 4.
Smooth or slight.
Showers.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable, mainly westerly or northwesterly 3 or 4.
Smooth or slight.
Showers.
Good.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis

24 hour forecast:

West or northwest, veering north for a time, 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times.
Smooth or slight.
Showers.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northwest 3 or 4, backing west 4 or 5 for a time.
Smooth or slight.
Showers.
Good.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly

24 hour forecast:

North or northwest 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times.
Slight or moderate in far west, otherwise smooth or slight.
Showers.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North or northwest 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times.
Slight or moderate in far west, otherwise smooth or slight.
Mainly fair.
Good.

Lands End to St Davids Head including the Bristol Channel - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

North or northwest 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first in Bristol Channel.
Slight or moderate.
Showers.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
North or northwest 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.
Slight or moderate.
Showers.
Good.

St Davids Head to Great Orme Head, including St Georges Channel - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
North or northwest 4 or 5, occasionally 6 later.
Slight or moderate.
Showers.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
North or northwest 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.
Slight or moderate.
Showers.
Good.

Great Orme Head to the Mull of Galloway - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northerly or northwesterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in west.
Smooth in shelter, otherwise slight or moderate.
Showers, occasionally thundery.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northerly or northwesterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in west, becoming variable 3 at times in shelter.
Smooth in shelter, otherwise slight or moderate.
Showers.
Good.

Isle of Man - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northerly or northwesterly 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.
Slight or moderate.
Showers.
Mainly good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northerly or northwesterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in west.
Slight or moderate.
Showers.
Good.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
North or northwest 5 or 6, decreasing 4 at times.
Slight or moderate.
Showers.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
North or northwest 5 or 6, decreasing 4 at times.
Slight in far southeast, otherwise moderate.
Showers.
Good.

Mull of Galloway to Mull of Kintyre including the Firth of Clyde and North Channel - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northerly or northwesterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in North Channel.
Slight in shelter, otherwise moderate.

Showers.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northerly or northwesterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in North Channel.
Slight in shelter, otherwise moderate.
Showers.
Good.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
North or northwest 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.
Slight or moderate.
Showers.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
North 5 or 6, decreasing 4 at times.
Slight or moderate.
Showers.
Good.

The Minch - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northerly 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.
Slight in shelter, otherwise moderate.
Showers.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northerly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 later in north.
Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough in north.
Showers.
Good.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northerly 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.
Slight or moderate in south, moderate in north.
Showers.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northerly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 later in north.
Slight or moderate between barra and canna, otherwise moderate, becoming rough in far north.
Showers.
Good.

For Coastal areas up to 60 nautical miles from Lerwick, Shetland
Valid Tuesday 01 Sep 2015 at 1200 UTC until Wednesday 02 Sep 2015 at 0000 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation
Low over southern Scandinavia extends trough over Shetland and surrounding waters.

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

North 5 to 7.
Moderate, but rough in east.

Occasional showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for 12 Hours from 0000 UTC on Wednesday 02 Sep until 1200 UTC on Wednesday 02 Sep:

North 5 to 7, perhaps gale 8 later in east.
Moderate becoming rough, but rough becoming very rough in east.
Occasional showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Channel Islands

24 hour forecast:

Northwesterly 4, occasionally 3.
Slight, occasionally moderate.
Risk of showers.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northwest to north 3 to 4.
Mainly slight.
Isolated showers.
Good, occasionally moderate in showers.

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