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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 1200 UTC Sunday 01 October to 1200 UTC Monday 02 October 2017

General Situation

A deep Atlantic low moving northeastwards between Iceland and Scotland and will bring gales or severe gales many areas.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South or southeast, veering southwest, 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 at times.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough.

Rain or squally showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest 5 to 7, increasing gale 8 or severe gale 9 at times.

Moderate or rough, becoming very rough or high in north.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South veering west, 5 to 7, increasing gale 8 at times.

Slight, becoming moderate or rough.

Occasional rain or drizzle at first, showers later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West 6 to gale 8, occasionally severe gale 9 at first.

Moderate or rough.

Showers.

Good.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South veering west, 5 or 6, increasing 7 or gale 8.

Slight, becoming moderate or rough.

Occasional rain or drizzle at first.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West 6 to gale 8.

Moderate or rough.

Showers.

Good.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South, veering west, 5 or 6, increasing 7 or gale 8 at times later.

Slight or moderate.

Rain or drizzle for a time.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West 5 to 7, increasing gale 8 at times.

Moderate.

Showers.

Good.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southerly, veering westerly later, 5 to 7, perhaps gale 8 later.

Slight or moderate.

Rain or drizzle for a time.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly 5 to 7.

Slight or moderate.

Showers later.

Good.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southerly or southwesterly, veering westerly 5 to 7, perhaps gale 8 later.

Moderate.

Rain or drizzle for a time.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly 5 to 7, veering northwesterly 4 or 5 later.

Moderate, becoming slight later.

Showers.

Good.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest veering west 5 to 7, decreasing 4 at times.

Moderate, occasionally slight in shelter.

Occasional rain or drizzle at first.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West 5 or 6, veering northwest 4 or 5, decreasing 3 at times later.

Slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest veering west 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.

Moderate or rough occasionally very rough west of Lizard Point.

Occasional rain or drizzle at first and again later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West, veering north or northwest, 4 or 5, occasionally 3 later.

Moderate, occasionally rough until later west of Lizard Point.

Rain or showers for a time.

Moderate or good.

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

24 hour forecast:

South or southwest, veering west, 5 to 7, occasionally 4 later.

Slight or moderate, becoming rough or very rough.

Occasional rain or drizzle at first and again later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West 5 to 7, veering north or northwest 4 or 5, occasionally 3 later.

Moderate or rough, occasionally slight later.

Rain for a time.

Good occasionally poor.

St Davids Head to Great Orme Head, including St Georges Channel - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South or southwest, veering west later, 4 or 5, increasing 6 to gale 8.

Slight or moderate, becoming rough.

Occasional rain or drizzle at first.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West veering northwest 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 at first, decreasing 4 at times later.

Rough, becoming slight or moderate.

Showers for a time.

Moderate or good.

Great Orme Head to the Mull of Galloway - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South, veering west 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8, perhaps severe gale 9 later.

Slight becoming rough.

Rain or drizzle at times.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West veering northwest 6 to gale 8, occasionally 5 later.

Rough, becoming slight or moderate.

Showers for a time.

Moderate or good.

Isle of Man - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South, veering west 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8, perhaps severe gale 9 later.

Moderate or rough.

Rain at first then showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest 7 or gale 8, decreasing 5 or 6.

Moderate or rough.

Showers.

Good.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South, veering west or southwest, 4 or 5, increasing 6 to gale 8, perhaps severe gale 9 later.

Moderate, occasionally rough, becoming very rough or high later west of Rathlin island.

Showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West veering northwest 6 to gale 8, occasionally severe gale 9 at first.

Very rough or high in north, otherwise moderate or rough.

Showers, fair for a time.

Moderate or good.

Mull of Galloway to Mull of Kintyre including the Firth of Clyde and North Channel - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southerly veering westerly or southwesterly, 4 or 5, increasing 6 to gale 8, perhaps severe gale 9 later towards Mull of Kintyre.

Slight, becoming moderate or rough, occasionally very rough later near Mull of Kintyre.

Showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly or northwesterly 6 to gale 8, occasionally severe gale 9 at first.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough at first.

Showers, fair for a time.

Moderate or good.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South veering west 6 to gale 8, occasionally severe gale 9 later.

Slight at first in shelter, otherwise moderate or rough, becoming very rough or high.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West 7 to severe gale 9, veering northwest 6 to gale 8.

Rough or very rough, occasionally high at first, becoming moderate in shelter.

Showers, fair for a time.

Moderate or good.

The Minch - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South veering west 5 to 7, increasing gale 8 or severe gale 9 at times.

Slight or moderate, becoming rough at times, occasionally very rough later in far south.

Rain for a time, then squally showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor in south.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly or northwesterly 5 at first in north, otherwise 6 to gale 8, increasing severe gale 9 at times.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough at first in far south and at times in far north.

Showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southeast veering west, 6 to gale 8, occasionally severe gale 9 for a time, but occasionally decreasing 5 near Cape Wrath for a time.

Moderate or rough, becoming very rough or high except in north.

Rain for a time, then squally showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor in south.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly or northwesterly 5 at first in north, otherwise 6 to gale 8, increasing severe gale 9 at times.

Moderate or rough at first in north, otherwise very rough or high.

Showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

For Coastal areas up to 60 nautical miles from Lerwick, Shetland

Valid Sunday 01 Oct 2017 at 1200 UTC until Monday 02 Oct 2017 at 0000 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

The southerly or southeasterly flow will increase strong to gale force.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle: Southeasterly gale force 8 expected later. Issued at 1547UTC on Saturday 30 September 2017.

South or southeast 4 or 5, increasing 6 to gale 8.
Moderate or rough, becoming very rough.
Rain then showers
Moderate or poor

Outlook for 12 Hours from 0000 UTC on Monday 02 Oct until 1200 UTC on Monday 02 Oct:

South veering southwest, 6 to gale 8, decreasing 4 or 5 for a time
Rough or very rough.
Showers, squally at times.
Moderate or good.

Channel Islands - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 4 to 5, occasionally 6, veering west 5 to 6 this evening, decreasing 4 to 5 in the morning, occasionally 6 in the north of the area.
Moderate to rather rough, occasionally slight in the south.
Occasional rain and drizzle with mist and a risk of fog patches.
Moderate to poor, perhaps very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West 4 to 5, occasionally 6 at first, veering northwest by evening, decreasing 3 at times, then northerly 2 to 4 Tuesday morning.
Moderate to rather rough, decreasing slight to moderate, with a low swell.
Occasional rain or drizzle, locally heavy in the evening, with mist and a risk of fog patches, clearing overnight.
Moderate to poor, perhaps very poor, becoming good by Tuesday morning.

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