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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore  
for the period 1200 UTC Thursday 03 June to 1200 UTC Friday 04 June 2010

#### General Situation

Pressure will remain relatively high over the United Kingdom. Atlantic fronts will affect northwestern areas at times.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

East or southeast 3 or 4, increasing 5 or 6.

Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate in northwest.

Fair then fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

East or southeast 5 or 6, decreasing 3 or 4, becoming variable later.

Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate at first in northwest.

Fog patches, showers later.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed

24 hour forecast:

East or southeast 3 or 4, occasionally 5 later near Rattray Head.

Smooth or slight.

Fog patches later.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

East or southeast, veering south, 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first near Rattray Head.

Smooth or slight.

Fog patches.

Moderate, occasionally very poor.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby

24 hour forecast:

Southeast 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight.

Fog patches for a time later.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeast 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight.

Mainly fair.

Moderate or good.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point

24 hour forecast:

East or southeast 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeast 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland

24 hour forecast:

Easterly or northeasterly 3 or 4, but 5 for a time in south.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Easterly or northeasterly, becoming variable, 3 or 4.

Smooth.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northeasterly 4 or 5, increasing 6 for a time.

Slight, becoming moderate for a time.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeasterly 4 or 5, veering easterly 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis

24 hour forecast:

East or northeast, veering southeast, 3 or 4, increasing 5 for a time.

Slight, becoming moderate for a time.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

East or southeast, becoming variable, 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight.

Mainly fair.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor later.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly

24 hour forecast:

East or southeast, becoming variable later, 3 or 4, but 5 for a time near headlands.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable, becoming west or northwest, 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight, but moderate in west.

Mainly fair, fog patches later.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor later.

Lands End to St Davids Head including the Bristol Channel

24 hour forecast:

East or southeast, veering south or southwest later, 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate in west.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southwest, veering west or northwest, 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate in west.

Fair then showers and fog patches.  
Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

St Davids Head to Great Orme Head, including St Georges Channel  
24 hour forecast:  
East or southeast, veering south later, 3 or 4, increasing 5 for a time.  
Smooth or slight.  
Showers for a time later.  
Moderate or good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
South or southeast veering southwest, 3 or 4, becoming variable 3 or less later.  
Smooth or slight, becoming moderate later in near St Davids Head.  
Mainly fair then showers and fog patches.  
Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Great Orme Head to the Mull of Galloway  
24 hour forecast:  
East or southeast 3 or 4, increasing 5 for a time.  
Smooth.  
Showers later.  
Moderate or good, occasionally very poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
East or southeast, becoming variable, 3 or 4.  
Smooth.  
Showers and fog patches for a time.  
Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Isle of Man  
24 hour forecast:  
East or southeast 3 or 4, increasing 5 for a time.  
Smooth or slight.  
Showers for a time later.  
Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
Southeast 3 or 4, becoming mainly south or southwest 3 or less.  
Smooth or slight.  
Mainly fair.  
Moderate or good.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough  
24 hour forecast:  
Easterly or southeasterly 3 or 4, increasing 5 in north.  
Smooth or slight, but moderate for a time in north.  
Showers later, rain for a time later.  
Moderate or good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
Easterly or southeasterly, becoming variable later, 3 or 4, but 5 at first in north.  
Smooth or slight.  
Showers and fog patches for a time.  
Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Mull of Galloway to Mull of Kintyre including the Firth of Clyde and North Channel  
24 hour forecast:  
Easterly or southeasterly 3 or 4, increasing 5 in North Channel.  
Smooth or slight, but moderate for a time in North Channel.  
Showers later, rain for a time later.  
Moderate or good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Easterly or southeasterly, becoming variable later, 3 or 4, but 5 at first in North Channel.

Smooth or slight.

Showers and fog patches for a time.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point

24 hour forecast:

Southeast 3 or 4, occasionally 5 later.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough at first.

Rain or showers later.

Good becoming moderate, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeast 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first, becoming variable later.

Slight or moderate, but smooth in shelter.

Rain or showers for a time, fog patches later.

Moderate occasionally poor, occasionally very poor later.

The Minch

24 hour forecast:

East or southeast 3 or 4, occasionally 5 later.

Smooth or slight, but moderate for a time in south and far north.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

East or southeast, veering south or southwest, 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first.

Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate in far south.

Rain or showers for a time, fog patches later.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor later.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath

24 hour forecast:

East or southeast 3 or 4, occasionally 5 later.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough at first.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

East or southeast, veering south or southwest, 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first.

Slight or moderate.

Rain or showers for a time, fog patches later.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor later.

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

Valid Thursday 03 Jun 2010 at 1200 UTC until Friday 04 Jun 2010 at 0000 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

A ridge of high pressure will cover Shetland on Thursday and Friday.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle: Nil

Variable becoming east 2 or 3.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough at first in the north and west.

Fair.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor in the south and west.

Outlook for 12 Hours from 0000 UTC on Friday 04 Jun until 1200 UTC on Friday 04

Jun:

East or southeast 2 or 3, increasing 4 in south and west.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor in the south and west.

Channel Islands

24 hour forecast:

Northeast to east 4, occasionally 5 this afternoon, veering southeast overnight, decreasing 3 to 4 by morning.

Slight, locally moderate later this afternoon and evening.

Fine early morning mist near brittany coasts.

Good, occasionally poor early morning.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeast or variable 2 to 4, becoming mainly northeast late afternoon, then northwest on Saturday.

Slight.

Fair or fine.

Good.

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