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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 1800 UTC Wednesday 03 June to 1800 UTC Thursday 04 June 2020

General Situation

An unsettled north to northeasterly airflow is currently affecting the United Kingdom, bringing cooler conditions than of late with either showers or longer spells of rain.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northerly 4 or 5, occasionally 3 at first in west, then increasing 6 at times later.

Slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North 4 to 6 backing northwest 6 to gale 8, then veering north or northeast later.

Slight or moderate becoming moderate or rough, then becoming very rough later in far northwest.

Showers, then rain later.

Good, becoming moderate or poor later.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

North or northeast, backing northwest for a time, 4 to 6, occasionally variable 3 in Firth of Forth.

Slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northerly or northeasterly 4 to 6 backing northwesterly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 in north.

Slight or moderate becoming moderate or rough.

Showers, then rain later in north.

Good, occasionally poor later in north.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

North 5 or 6, backing northwest 4 or 5 for a time.

Moderate, becoming rough for a time at first.

Showers.

Good, occasionally moderate at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North backing northwest, 5 to 7.

Moderate becoming rough.

Showers.

Good.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

North or northwest 4 to 6.

Slight at first in south, otherwise moderate or rough.

Rain or showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North backing northwest 5 to 7, occasionally 4 later.
Moderate, becoming rough in north.
Showers.
Good.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northerly, backing northwesterly later, 4 to 6.
Smooth or slight becoming slight or moderate.
Rain or showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northwesterly 4 to 6, becoming variable 3 at times later.
Slight or moderate, becoming smooth or slight later in south.
Showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northerly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first in east, becoming variable 3 at times later.
Smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate in east.
Rain or showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northerly backing westerly or northwesterly, 3 to 5, occasionally variable 2 at first, increasing 6 at times later.
Slight or moderate, occasionally smooth.
Showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
North or northeast, backing northwest later, 4 to 6.
Smooth or slight.
Rain or showers.
Good, occasionally moderate at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northwest 4 to 6.
Smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate later.
Showers.
Good.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northerly or northeasterly 4 to 6, occasionally 7 at first in west, then backing northwesterly later.
Rough at first to the west of land's end, otherwise mainly slight or moderate, but occasionally smooth in lyme bay.
Rain or showers.
Good, occasionally moderate at first.

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

Lands End to St Davids Head including the Bristol Channel - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northerly or northeasterly 4 to 6, occasionally 7 at first in far west, then

backing northwesterly later.
Rough at first in far west, otherwise mainly slight or moderate, but occasionally smooth in east.
Rain at first in Bristol Channel, otherwise showers.
Good, occasionally moderate at first in Bristol Channel.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northwest 4 to 6.
Slight or moderate, occasionally smooth at first in east.
Showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

St Davids Head to Great Orme Head, including St Georges Channel - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
North 4 to 6, backing northwest 3 to 5 later.
Rough at first near pembrokehire, otherwise slight or moderate.
Showers.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northwest 4 or 5, occasionally 3 at first, increasing 6 at times later.
Slight or moderate.
Showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Great Orme Head to the Mull of Galloway - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northerly or northeasterly backing northwesterly, 4 to 6, but becoming variable 2 to 4 for a time except in far west.
Slight or moderate in south, smooth or slight in north.
Showers.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
North or northwest 3 to 5, increasing 6 or 7 later.
Smooth or slight at first in north, otherwise slight or moderate.
Showers.
Good.

Isle of Man - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northerly backing northwesterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in west, decreasing 3 at times in east.
Slight or moderate.
Showers.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
North or northwest 4 to 6, occasionally 7 later.
Slight or moderate, becoming moderate later.
Showers.
Good.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northerly or northwesterly 4 to 6, occasionally variable 3 later in southeast.
Slight or moderate, becoming smooth or slight except in far north.
Fair then rain or showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
North or northwest 5 or 6, occasionally 4 at first, increasing 7 at times later.
Smooth or slight at first in southeast, otherwise slight or moderate, then becoming rough later in far north.

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 to 6, becoming variable 3 for a time in Firth of Clyde.

Smooth or slight in far north, but elsewhere slight or moderate.

Fair then showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northerly or northwesterly 4 to 6, occasionally 7 later.

Smooth or slight until later in far north, otherwise slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

North or northwest 4 to 6, decreasing 3 for a time.

Slight or moderate, becoming smooth or slight in shelter.

Fair then showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North or northwest 4 or 5, increasing 6 or 7 later, perhaps gale 8 later.

Slight or moderate, occasionally smooth at first in shelter, becoming moderate or rough later.

Showers.

Good.

The Minch - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

North or northwest 3 to 5, occasionally variable 2 at first, then veering north or northeast 4 to 6 later.

Slight or moderate in far north, but elsewhere smooth or slight.

Rain or showers.

Good, occasionally moderate at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North or northeast 4 to 6, backing north or northwest 6 to gale 8 later.

Smooth or slight at first except in far north, otherwise slight or moderate, becoming rough or very rough later in north.

Showers.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northerly or northwesterly 3 to 5, occasionally variable 2 at first in north, then veering northerly or northeasterly 4 to 6 later.

Slight or moderate.

Rain or showers.

Good, occasionally moderate at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North or northeast 4 to 6, backing north or northwest 6 to gale 8 later.

Slight or moderate, becoming rough or very rough later.

Showers.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

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

Valid Wednesday 03 Jun 2020 at 1800 UTC until Thursday 04 Jun 2020 at 0600 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

A strong northerly airstream will affect Shetland Waters.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle at time of issue: Nil.

Northerly 4 to 6, occasionally 7 at first in east
Moderate, occasionally rough in east
Showers
Moderate or good

Outlook for 12 Hours from 0600 UTC on Thursday 04 Jun until 1800 UTC on Thursday 04 Jun:

Northerly 4 to 6, occasionally 7 later in east
Moderate or rough
Showers
Moderate or good

Channel Islands - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

North to northeast 3 to 5, increasing 4 to 6 late evening, backing north to northwest 3 to 5 in the morning, then northwest 4 to 6 in the afternoon.

Slight occasionally moderate.

Rain or showers, perhaps locally heavy, clearing to isolated showers early morning risk of mist patches until early morning.

Good, occasionally moderate, perhaps locally poor at times.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northwesterly 4 to 6.

Slight to moderate.

Isolated showers, becoming more frequent and heavier for a time overnight.

Good, locally moderate.

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