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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 1800 UTC Tuesday 02 November to 1800 UTC Wednesday 03 November
2010

General Situation

A deep Atlantic low will track northeastwards to the north of Scotland bringing strong winds or gales to many coastal areas. During Wednesday, a brief ridge of high pressure will bring lighter winds to the north but winds will remain strong on southern coasts.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly or westerly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8.

Moderate in Moray Firth, otherwise rough or very rough, becoming high in north.

Squally showers.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8, becoming variable 3 or 4 in south for a time.

Moderate in Moray Firth, otherwise rough or very rough.

Squally showers, then rain.

Moderate or good.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Westerly or southwesterly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8.

Moderate, occasionally rough in north.

Squally showers.

Good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West 5 to 7, becoming variable 3 or less.

Slight or moderate, but rough in north at first.

Showers then rain.

Good becoming moderate.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 5 to 7, decreasing 4 or 5 later.

Slight or moderate.

Rain or squally showers.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest or south 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in south later, becoming variable 3 for a time.

Slight or moderate.

Rain at times.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8, decreasing 3 or 4 later.

Slight or moderate.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southwest 3 or 4, veering west 5 to 7.

Slight or moderate.

Rain at times.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 at first, decreasing 4 or 5 for a time.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough later in south.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest 4 or 5, increasing 5 to 7.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough in south.

Rain at first.

Moderate or good.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 in east.

Moderate becoming rough.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest 5 to 7.

Moderate or rough.

Rain at first.

Moderate or good.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West or southwest 5 to 7.

Moderate becoming rough.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest 5 to 7.

Moderate or rough.

Rain at first.

Moderate or good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 5 to 7.

Moderate at first in east, otherwise rough, becoming very rough in west.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest 5 to 7.

Moderate in shelter in east, otherwise rough, occasionally very rough in far west.

Occasional rain or drizzle.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

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

24 hour forecast:

West or southwest 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 in northwest, decreasing 4 at times.

Rough, becoming very rough in west.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8.

Mainly rough but moderate in east, occasionally very rough in west.

Occasional rain or drizzle.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

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

24 hour forecast:

West or southwest 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8, decreasing 3 or 4 for a time.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough later in south.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in south.

Rain at times.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

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

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8, veering westerly 45, then becoming variable 3 or less later.

Moderate or rough.

Rain or showers.

Good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or 4, becoming southwesterly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough.

Rain at times.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Isle of Man - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West or southwest 6 to gale 8, decreasing 4 or 5, becoming variable 3 or less later.

Moderate or rough, becoming slight.

Rain or showers.

Good, becoming moderate or poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or less becoming west or southwest 5 to 7.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough.

Rain at times.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 6 to gale 8, becoming variable 3 or 4 later.

Moderate or rough, very rough or high in north.

Rain or squally showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3, becoming southwest 5 to 7.

Slight or moderate in south, moderate to rough in north.

Rain than showers.

Moderate or good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8, becoming variable 3 or 4 later.
Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in north.
Rain or showers, squally at first.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable 3,, becoming southwest 5 to 7.
Moderate or rough.
Rain then showers.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Southwesterly 6 to gale 8, becoming variable 3 or 4 in south later.
Rough or very rough, occasionally high.
Showers squally at first.
Good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable 3 or 4, but westerly 5 to 7 in north at first.
Rough or very rough.
Rain at times.
Moderate or good.

The Minch - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
West or southwest 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8.
Moderate or rough, very rough south of skye and in far north.
Squally showers.
Moderate or good occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West 6 to gale 8, becoming variable 3 or 4 in south and decreasing 4 or 5 in north.
Moderate or rough, but very rough in far north and south at first.
Rain or showers.
Moderate or good.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
West or southwest 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8.
Rough or very rough, becoming high, occasionally very high in west.
Squally showers.
Moderate or good occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West 6 to gale 8, becoming variable 3 or 4 in south and decreasing 4 or 5 in north.
Very rough becoming mainly rough.
Rain or showers.
Moderate or good.

For Coastal areas up to 60 nautical miles from Lerwick, Shetland
Valid Tuesday 02 Nov 2010 at 1800 UTC until Wednesday 03 Nov 2010 at 0600 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation
Deep low over Faeroes will move north-eastwards with troughs affecting Shetland waters.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle: Severe gale force 9 veering

southwesterly and decreasing gale force 8 imminent

Southwest veering west 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 in south and west later.
Rough or very rough, occasionally high in west.
Squally showers.
Moderate or good.

Outlook for 12 Hours from 0600 UTC on Wednesday 03 Nov until 1800 UTC on
Wednesday 03 Nov:
West 5 or 6, increasing 7 occasionally gale 8.
Rough or very rough, occasionally high in west.
Squally showers.
Moderate or good.

Channel Islands - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Southwest 5 to 6, perhaps locally 7 mid-channel.
Rather rough to rough.
Occasional rain or drizzle tomorrow.
Good locally moderate to poor tomorrow.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Southwest 5 to 7, possibly gale 8 mid-channel.
Rather rough to rough.
Rain or drizzle at times mostly on Wednesday.
Good locally moderate to poor.

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