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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 1200 UTC Sunday 01 July to 1200 UTC Monday 02 July 2018

General Situation

With pressure now falling, occasional thundery rain is expected at times on southern coasts, whilst a weakening cold front will bring rain at times to northwestern areas.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or less at times in the Moray Firth and near Cape Wrath, otherwise southerly or southeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first, veering northerly or northwesterly 3 or 4.

Slight or moderate, occasionally smooth in the Moray Firth.

Rain for a time in north.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or less, increasing 4 at times, becoming westerly 3 or 4 in north.

Moderate until later in northwest, otherwise smooth or slight.

Occasional drizzle in north, fog patches later in north.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor in north, but becoming very poor at times later in north.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southeast backing northeast, 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times, occasionally 6 for a time later.

Slight, occasionally moderate later in south.

Fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northwest 4 or 5, becoming variable 3 or less.

Slight, occasionally moderate at first in south, becoming smooth or slight.

Mainly fair.

Moderate or good.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby

24 hour forecast:

Southeast 4 or 5, becoming variable 3 or 4.

Slight.

Fog patches at times in north.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor in north.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable, becoming northeast for a time, 3 or 4.

Slight, occasionally smooth later.

Fog patches at first.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor at first.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point

24 hour forecast:

East 4 or 5, backing east or northeast 3 or 4 later.

Slight, occasionally moderate at first.

Fair.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Easterly or northeasterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first in south.

Slight, occasionally smooth later.
Fog patches later.
Moderate or good, occasionally very poor later.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland
24 hour forecast:
Easterly 4 or 5.
Slight, occasionally moderate at first.
Fair.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Easterly or northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in south, decreasing 3 at times later in north.
Slight, occasionally moderate in south.
Fair.
Good, occasionally moderate.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill
24 hour forecast:
Easterly or northeasterly 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times, becoming variable 3 for a time in west.
Slight, occasionally smooth in west.
Moderate or good.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Easterly or northeasterly 4 or 5, increasing 6 for a time.
Smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate.
Fair.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis
24 hour forecast:
Variable 3 or 4 with sea breezes, becoming east or northeast 4 or 5.
Smooth or slight.
Occasional thundery rain at first.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
East or northeast 4 or 5.
Smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate.
Fair.
Moderate or good.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly
24 hour forecast:
East or northeast 4 or 5, becoming variable 3 or 4 at times.
Smooth or slight, but mainly moderate west of Lizard Point.
Thundery showers.
Good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
East or northeast 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times, but occasionally variable 3 or 4 at first.
Smooth or slight at first east of Lizard Point, otherwise slight or moderate.
Thundery showers at first.
Good, occasionally poor at first.

Lands End to St Davids Head including the Bristol Channel - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Variable 3 or 4 at times, otherwise northerly or northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 near St Davids Head.
Smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate in west.

Thundery rain at first, thundery showers later.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeast veering east, 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times, but occasionally variable 3 or less with sea breezes.

Smooth or slight in east, slight or moderate in west.

Thundery showers at first.

Good, occasionally poor at first.

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

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or 4, becoming northerly or northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in west.

Smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate except in shelter.

Thundery rain at first in south.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first in south.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North veering northeast, 4 or 5, becoming variable 3 or less at times near shore in sea breezes.

Slight or moderate at first in west, otherwise smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Variable, mainly north, 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times, but north or northwest 5 or 6 near the Mull of Galloway.

Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate near the Mull of Galloway.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North or northeast, veering east, 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times, becoming variable 3 or 4 later.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good.

Isle of Man - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northerly or northeasterly 2 or 3, increasing 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in west.

Slight, occasionally moderate in west.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North, backing east or northeast, 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times.

Slight.

Fair.

Good.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or 4, becoming north or northwest 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.

Smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate.

Fog patches at first in north.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor at first in north.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North 4 or 5, becoming variable 3 or 4.

Slight or moderate, becoming smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or 4, becoming northerly or northwesterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in the North Channel.

Smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate for a time in North Channel.

Fog patches at first.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northerly or northwesterly 4 or 5, becoming variable 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or 4 at times in sheltered east, otherwise northerly or northwesterly 4 or 5.

Slight or moderate.

Occasional drizzle or fog patches at first.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Mainly variable 3 or less in sheltered east, otherwise northerly 4 or 5, becoming variable 3 or 4 later.

Slight or moderate.

Mainly fair.

Moderate or good.

The Minch

24 hour forecast:

West or southwest, veering northwest, then becoming variable later, 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times.

Smooth or slight.

Occasional rain or drizzle at first.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or 4, but northerly 5 for a time in south.

Smooth or slight.

Mainly fair.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor later.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath

24 hour forecast:

West or northwest 4 or 5, becoming variable 3 or 4 later.

Moderate, occasionally slight.

Occasional rain or drizzle at first.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or 4.

Slight or moderate.

Mainly fair.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor later.

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

Valid Sunday 01 Jul 2018 at 1200 UTC until Monday 02 Jul 2018 at 0000 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

A weak trough of low pressure will push east across Shetland waters.

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

Southerly 5 or 6, veering westerly 4 or 5 later in west

Mainly moderate

Fair then patchy rain

Good , occasionally moderate or poor later

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

Westerly, but southerly at first in east, 4 or 5, occasionally 6 for a time in north

Moderate, becoming slight in more sheltered eastern waters

Patchy rain then fair

Good, occasionally moderate or poor at first

Channel Islands

24 hour forecast:

East to northeast 2 to 4, locally variable and gusty around showers, increasing 4 to 5 in the north and west around dawn on Monday.

Slight.

Isolated thundery showers mist patches.

Moderate to good, locally moderate to poor at times.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

East to northeast 2 to 4 in the south, northeast 4 to 5 in the north, perhaps locally 6 at times occasionally variable and gusty around showers.

Smooth or slight in the south, slight to moderate in the north.

Isolated thundery showers mist patches.

Moderate to good, locally moderate to poor at times.

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