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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 0600 UTC Saturday 04 June to 0600 UTC Sunday 05 June 2016

General Situation

Pressure will remain high near Iceland maintaining a fairly slack northerly or northeasterly airflow across the United Kingdom during the next couple of days.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in north.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeasterly 4 or 5, becoming variable 3 or 4 in east.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Good.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed

24 hour forecast:

North or northeast 4 or 5.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Good, occasionally poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North becoming variable, 3 or 4.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Good.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby

24 hour forecast:

North 3 or 4.

Moderate.

Fog patches at first.

Moderate or very poor, becoming mainly good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North 3 or 4, becoming variable 3 or less.

Moderate.

Fair.

Mainly good.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point

24 hour forecast:

North 3 or 4.

Slight or moderate.

Fog banks at first.

Poor or very poor, becoming moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North veering northeast 3 or 4.

Slight or moderate.

Mainly fair.

Moderate or good.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland

24 hour forecast:

Northwesterly veering northerly or northeasterly 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times.
Smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate later in north.
Fog banks for a time.
Poor or very poor, becoming moderate later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in south.
Slight or moderate.
Mainly fair.
Moderate or good.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill

24 hour forecast:

Variable, mainly northerly, but with afternoon onshore sea breezes, 3 or 4, occasionally 5 in far east.
Smooth or slight.
Fog patches for a time in east.
Moderate or good, occasionally very poor until later in east.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or 4 at first in west, otherwise northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in far east.
Smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate, except in sheltered west.
Fair.
Moderate or good.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis

24 hour forecast:

Variable, but with afternoon onshore sea breezes, 3 or 4.
Smooth or slight.
Fair.
Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable becoming northeast later, 3 or 4.
Smooth or slight.
Mainly fair.
Moderate or good.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly

24 hour forecast:

Variable with afternoon onshore sea breezes, 3 or less.
Smooth or slight.
Mainly fair.
Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or less.
Smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate in west.
Mainly fair.
Moderate or good.

Lands End to St Davids Head including the Bristol Channel

24 hour forecast:

Variable, but with afternoon onshore sea breezes, 3 or less.
Smooth or slight.
Mainly fair.
Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or less.
Smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate later.
Thundery showers for a time.

Moderate or good.

St Davids Head to Great Orme Head, including St Georges Channel

24 hour forecast:

Variable, mainly north at first, 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight.

Mainly fair.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or less.

Smooth or slight.

Thundery showers for a time.

Moderate or good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or less, becoming easterly 3 or 4, increasing 5, occasionally 6 in Solway Firth and around headlands further west.

Smooth or slight.

Showers for a time.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Easterly becoming variable at times, 3 or 4, but 5 or 6 at first in north.

Smooth or slight.

Mainly fair.

Moderate or good.

Isle of Man

24 hour forecast:

North or northeast 2 or 3, occasionally 4, veering east or northeast 3 or 4 later.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

East or northeast 3 or 4, decreasing 2 or 3 for a time.

Smooth or slight.

Mainly fair.

Moderate or good.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good.

Mull of Galloway to Mull of Kintyre including the Firth of Clyde and North Channel

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable 3 or 4.
Smooth or slight.
Fair.
Good.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point
24 hour forecast:
Variable, mainly northeast veering east, 3 or 4.
Smooth or slight.
Mainly fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable, mainly east or southeast, 3 or 4.
Smooth or slight.
Fair.
Good.

The Minch - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Variable 3 or 4 in south, otherwise northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in far north.
Slight or moderate north of skye, otherwise smooth or slight.
Showers for a time.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Easterly or northeasterly 3 or 4, but mainly 5 in north.
Smooth or slight in south, slight or moderate in north.
Mainly fair.
Good.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northeasterly, 3 or 4 in south, otherwise 5 or 6.
Slight or moderate.
Showers for a time.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Easterly or northeasterly 3 or 4, but mainly 5 in north.
Slight or moderate.
Mainly fair.
Good.

For Coastal areas up to 60 nautical miles from Lerwick, Shetland
Valid Saturday 04 Jun 2016 at 0600 UTC until Saturday 04 Jun 2016 at 1800 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation
High north of Faeroes extends a ridge southeast over Shetland and surrounding waters.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle: Nil

Northeast 5 or 6.
Moderate or rough.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for 12 Hours from 1800 UTC on Saturday 04 Jun until 0600 UTC on Sunday 05 Jun:
Northeast 5 or 6.
Moderate or rough.
Fair.
Good.

Channel Islands

24 hour forecast:

Northeast to north 1 to 3, locally variable, backing northwesterly late morning, occasionally 4 in the east in the afternoon.
Smooth or slight.
Fair to cloudy risk of mist patches by Sunday morning.
Mainly good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northwesterly 2 to 3, becoming variable by the evening then becoming northeasterly overnight, perhaps locally 4 by morning.
Smooth or slight with a low swell developing overnight.
Fair to cloudy risk of mist patches isolated showers Sunday night.
Mainly good, perhaps moderate to poor at times.

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