

AND NOW THE SHIPPING FORECAST ISSUED BY THE MET OFFICE,  
ON BEHALF OF THE MARITIME AND COASTGUARD AGENCY, AT 1725  
UTC ON MONDAY 01 FEBRUARY 2016 FOR THE PERIOD 1800 UTC  
MONDAY 01 FEBRUARY TO 1800 UTC TUESDAY 02 FEBRUARY 2016

THERE ARE WARNINGS OF GALES IN ALL AREAS EXCEPT BISCAY  
TRAFALGAR FITZROY AND SOLE

THE GENERAL SYNOPSIS AT MIDDAY  
LOW JUST WEST OF BAILEY 948, EXPECTED SOUTH UTSIRE 971 BY  
MIDDAY TOMORROW

THE AREA FORECASTS FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS

VIKING NORTH UTSIRE SOUTH UTSIRE  
SOUTHWESTERLY, BECOMING CYCLONIC THEN NORTHWESTERLY, 7 TO  
SEVERE GALE 9, OCCASIONALLY STORM 10 IN VIKING,  
DECREASING 5 AT TIMES. VERY ROUGH OR HIGH, OCCASIONALLY  
VERY HIGH LATER. RAIN OR SQUALLY SHOWERS. GOOD,  
OCCASIONALLY POOR

FORTIES CROMARTY FORTH TYNE DOGGER  
SOUTHWESTERLY VEERING WESTERLY 7 TO SEVERE GALE 9,  
INCREASING STORM 10 FOR A TIME, THEN VEERING  
NORTHWESTERLY 5 TO 7 LATER IN NORTH FORTIES AND CROMARTY.  
VERY ROUGH OR HIGH, OCCASIONALLY VERY HIGH LATER IN  
FISHER, BECOMING MODERATE OR ROUGH IN NORTHWEST FORTIES,  
CROMARTY, FORTH AND TYNE. RAIN OR SQUALLY SHOWERS. GOOD,  
OCCASIONALLY POOR

FISHER GERMAN BIGHT HUMBER  
SOUTHWEST VEERING WEST 7 TO SEVERE GALE 9, PERHAPS STORM  
10 LATER EXCEPT IN HUMBER. VERY ROUGH OR HIGH,  
OCCASIONALLY VERY HIGH LATER IN FISHER, BECOMING MODERATE  
OR ROUGH IN NORTHWEST FORTIES, CROMARTY, FORTH AND TYNE.  
RAIN OR SQUALLY SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

THAMES DOVER WIGHT  
SOUTHWEST VEERING WEST 6 TO GALE 8, OCCASIONALLY SEVERE  
GALE 9 AT FIRST. MODERATE OR ROUGH. RAIN OR SHOWERS.  
GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

PORTLAND PLYMOUTH  
WEST OR SOUTHWEST 5 TO 7, OCCASIONALLY GALE 8 AT FIRST.  
ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH, BECOMING HIGH FOR A TIME IN  
SOUTHWEST PLYMOUTH. RAIN OR SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD

BISCAY FITZROY SOLE  
WEST OR SOUTHWEST, OCCASIONALLY NORTHWEST, 5 TO 7,  
DECREASING 4 AT TIMES. VERY ROUGH OR HIGH, OCCASIONALLY  
ROUGH IN BISCAY AND FITZROY. RAIN OR SHOWERS. MODERATE OR  
GOOD

LUNDY FASTNET  
WEST, VEERING NORTHWEST LATER, 6 TO GALE 8. VERY ROUGH OR  
HIGH, OCCASIONALLY VERY HIGH AT FIRST IN WEST FASTNET,  
BECOMING ROUGH LATER IN NORTH. SQUALLY SHOWERS. GOOD

IRISH SEA  
SOUTHWEST 7 TO SEVERE GALE 9, OCCASIONALLY STORM 10 AT  
FIRST, VEERING WEST 6 TO GALE 8 LATER. ROUGH OR VERY  
ROUGH, OCCASIONALLY MODERATE. SQUALLY SHOWERS. GOOD,  
OCCASIONALLY POOR

SHANNON

WESTERLY 7 TO SEVERE GALE 9, OCCASIONALLY STORM 10 AT FIRST IN FAR NORTH, VEERING NORTHWESTERLY 6 TO GALE 8 LATER. VERY HIGH, BECOMING VERY ROUGH OR HIGH. SQUALLY SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

ROCKALL MALIN

WEST OR SOUTHWEST GALE 8 TO STORM 10, OCCASIONALLY VIOLENT STORM 11 AT FIRST, DECREASING 6 AT TIMES. PHENOMENAL, BECOMING HIGH OR VERY HIGH. SQUALLY SHOWERS. POOR, OCCASIONALLY GOOD

HEBRIDES BAILEY FAIR ISLE

CYCLONIC BECOMING NORTH GALE 8 TO STORM 10, OCCASIONALLY VIOLENT STORM 11 AT FIRST IN HEBRIDES AND BAILEY, DECREASING 5 TO 7 AT TIMES. VERY HIGH, OCCASIONALLY PHENOMENAL AT FIRST IN HEBRIDES AND BAILEY, BECOMING VERY ROUGH OR HIGH. RAIN OR SQUALLY SHOWERS. POOR, OCCASIONALLY GOOD

FAEROES SOUTHEAST ICELAND

CYCLONIC, BECOMING NORTHERLY OR NORTHEASTERLY, 6 TO GALE 8, OCCASIONALLY SEVERE GALE 9 AT FIRST. HIGH OR VERY HIGH, BECOMING VERY ROUGH. RAIN OR SQUALLY SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR