

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