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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 1800 UTC Monday 04 June to 1800 UTC Tuesday 05 June 2018

General Situation

High pressure will remain slow moving to the north of the United Kingdom with a complex area of low pressure to the south. This will maintain the fairly gentle northeasterly airflow, and will spread cleaner and fresher air southwestwards during the next two days.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Easterly or northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in north.

In north, slight or moderate, in east, smooth or slight, becoming moderate, occasionally rough later.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Easterly or northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in north.

Moderate or rough at first in east, otherwise slight or moderate.

Fair.

Good.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

North or northeast 3 or 4, increasing 5 or 6 later.

Smooth or slight, becoming moderate or rough later.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North veering northeast later 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.

Moderate, occasionally rough at first.

Fair.

Good, occasionally poor later.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby

24 hour forecast:

North 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times.

Smooth or slight becoming moderate, occasionally rough later.

Mainly fair.

Good, occasionally poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North or northwest, becoming cyclonic later, 4 or 5.

Moderate, occasionally rough at first.

Occasional drizzle with fog patches later.

Good, becoming moderate, occasionally very poor later.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point

24 hour forecast:

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

Smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate.

Fog banks at first.

Moderate, occasionally very poor, becoming mainly good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North 3 or 4, becoming variable 3 or less later.

Slight or moderate.

Mainly fair.

Good, occasionally poor later.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northerly or northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in south.

Smooth or slight, becoming slight, occasionally moderate.

Fog banks in north, fog patches in south, becoming mainly fair.

Moderate to very poor, becoming mainly good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northerly or northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in south.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in east.

Smooth at times in sheltered west, otherwise slight or moderate.

Fog patches at first.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeasterly 4 or 5, increasing 6 or 7 at times in east.

Smooth at times in sheltered west, otherwise slight or moderate.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis

24 hour forecast:

East or northeast 4 or 5, becoming variable 3 at times.

Smooth or slight close inshore, otherwise slight or moderate.

Mainly fair.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

East or northeast 4 or 5, becoming variable 3 at times.

Smooth or slight close inshore, otherwise slight or moderate.

Mainly 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 at times.

Smooth at times in lyme bay, otherwise slight or moderate.

Showers at first, perhaps thundery.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeast 4 or 5, becoming variable 3 at times.

Smooth or slight in lyme bay, otherwise slight or moderate.

Mainly fair.

Moderate or good.

Lands End to St Davids Head including the Bristol Channel

24 hour forecast:

Variable, mainly northerly veering easterly for a time, 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times.

Smooth or slight in east and near coast of south Wales, otherwise slight or moderate.

Showers at first, perhaps thundery.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable, mainly northeasterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 in south.
Smooth or slight in east and near coast of south Wales, otherwise slight or moderate.
Mainly fair.
Moderate or good.

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

24 hour forecast:
Variable, mainly north or northeast 3 or 4.
Smooth or slight.
Mainly fair.
Mainly good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable, mainly north or northeast, 3 or 4.
Smooth or slight.
Mainly fair.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Great Orme Head to the Mull of Galloway

24 hour forecast:
Variable becoming easterly or northeasterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 in north.
Smooth or slight.
Showers at first.
Good, occasionally poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable, mainly northeasterly 3 or 4, increasing 5 or 6 at times in north.
Smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate at times in north.
Fair.
Good.

Isle of Man

24 hour forecast:
Northeasterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at times in north.
Smooth or slight.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northeasterly 3 or 4, increasing 4 or 5 for a time.
Slight becoming slight or moderate for a time.
Fair.
Good.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough

24 hour forecast:
Variable, but mainly northeasterly in southeast, 3 or 4, occasionally 5 in southeast.
Smooth or slight.
Showers at first, perhaps thundery.
Mainly good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable, mainly easterly or northeasterly, 3 or 4, occasionally 5 in southeast.
Smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate at times in southeast.
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.

Showers at first, perhaps thundery.
Mainly good.

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

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point
24 hour forecast:
Variable, mainly north, veering southeast, 3 or 4.
Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate in far northwest.
Showers at first, perhaps thundery.
Mainly good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable, mainly east or southeast, 3 or less.
Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate in northwest.
Fair.
Good.

The Minch - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northeasterly, veering, 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in north, becoming variable 3 or 4 at times in south.
Smooth in shelter, otherwise slight, occasionally moderate.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable 3 or 4 at times in south, otherwise easterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in north.
Smooth in shelter, otherwise slight, occasionally moderate.
Fair.
Good.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northeasterly, veering, 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in north, becoming variable 3 or 4 at times in south.
Slight or moderate.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable 3 or 4 at times in south, otherwise easterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in north.
Slight or moderate.
Fair.
Good.

For Coastal areas up to 60 nautical miles from Lerwick, Shetland
Valid Monday 04 Jun 2018 at 1800 UTC until Tuesday 05 Jun 2018 at 0600 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation
Ridge of high pressure to north combining with a complex low across southern Scandinavia to keep a North-NE flow across the area.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle: Nil at time of issue.

Northerly or northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in east
Moderate, occasionally rough later in east, but locally slight near southwest
coasts of Shetland
Fair
Good

Outlook for 12 Hours from 0600 UTC on Tuesday 05 Jun until 1800 UTC on Tuesday
05 Jun:

Northerly or northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in east
Moderate, occasionally rough in east, but locally slight near southwest coasts
of Shetland
Fair
Good

Channel Islands - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northeast to east 4 to 5, occasionally 6.

Slight to moderate.

Scattered showers, perhaps heavy, with a risk of thunder mist or fog patches.

Good, locally moderate to poor in showers and poor or very poor in mist or fog.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeasterly 4 to 5, decreasing 3 to 4 during the afternoon.

Slight occasionally moderate.

Isolated showers, with a risk of thunder risk of mist patches at times.

Good, occasionally moderate to poor.

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