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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 0000 UTC Saturday 03 December to 0000 UTC Sunday 04 December 2022

General Situation

A ridge of high pressure extends from Scandinavia across northern parts of the United Kingdom whereas a cold, brisk east to northeasterly wind is affecting the south.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southerly or southeasterly 3 to 5, occasionally 6 in east and near Orkney.

Moderate or rough to the west and north of Orkney, smooth or slight in inner Moray Firth, slight or moderate elsewhere.

Showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Easterly or southeasterly 3 to 5, occasionally 6 in east.

Slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southeast 3 to 5, occasionally variable 2 in St Andrews Bay and Firth of Forth, backing east 4 to 6 later.

Moderate in north, slight or moderate in south.

Showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

East 4 to 6.

Moderate, occasionally rough later.

Showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

East 4 or 5, occasionally 3 at first, then increasing 6 at times.

Moderate.

Showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

East 5 or 6, occasionally 4 at first.

Moderate, becoming moderate or rough.

Showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

East or northeast 4 to 6.

Moderate.

Showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
East or northeast 4 to 6.
Moderate, becoming rough in north.
Showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Easterly or northeasterly 4 to 6, occasionally 7 at first.
Moderate, occasionally rough at first.
Showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Easterly or northeasterly 4 to 6.
Moderate, occasionally slight in the wash and in Thames estuary.
Showers, mainly in north.
Good.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Easterly or northeasterly 4 to 6, occasionally 7 at first.
Moderate, becoming slight or moderate.
Showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Easterly or northeasterly 4 to 6.
Slight or moderate.
Mainly fair.
Good.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northeast 4 to 6.
Slight or moderate.
Showers.
Good, occasionally moderate at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northeast 4 to 6.
Slight or moderate.
Showers, becoming fair later.
Good.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northeast 5 or 6, occasionally 7 near Start Point, decreasing 4 at times elsewhere.
Slight or moderate in east, moderate or rough in west.
Showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
East or northeast 5 or 6, decreasing 4 at times.
Moderate, occasionally slight in lyme bay and rough near the Isles of Scilly.
Showers.
Good, occasionally moderate at first.

Lands End to St Davids Head including the Bristol Channel - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

East or northeast 4 to 6.

Slight or moderate.

Fair then showers.

Good, occasionally moderate at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

East or northeast 4 to 6.

Slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

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

24 hour forecast:

East or northeast 3 to 5, occasionally 6 later.

Slight or moderate near st david's head, smooth or slight elsewhere.

Fair then showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

East or northeast 4 to 6.

Smooth or slight in Cardigan Bay, but elsewhere slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

Great Orme Head to the Mull of Galloway

24 hour forecast:

East or northeast 3 to 5.

Smooth or slight.

Fair then showers.

Good, occasionally moderate at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

East or northeast 4 to 6.

Smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate in west.

Showers.

Good.

Isle of Man

24 hour forecast:

East 3 or 4, occasionally 5 later.

Slight.

Mainly fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

East or northeast 4 to 6.

Slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough

24 hour forecast:

East or southeast 3 to 5.

Moderate in far north, but slight elsewhere.

Showers.

Good, occasionally moderate at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Easterly 4 to 6, occasionally 7 later in southeast.
Slight or moderate.
Showers.
Good.

Mull of Galloway to Mull of Kintyre including the Firth of Clyde and North Channel
24 hour forecast:
Easterly or southeasterly 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times in North Channel.
Smooth or slight in Firth of Clyde, mainly slight elsewhere, but occasionally moderate near the Mull of Kintyre.
Mainly fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Easterly or northeasterly 4 to 6.
Smooth or slight in Firth of Clyde, but elsewhere slight or moderate.
Mainly fair.
Good.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Southeast 4 or 5, occasionally 6 near Coll and Tiree, decreasing 3 at times elsewhere.
Moderate or rough, but slight in shelter.
Showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
East or southeast backing east or northeast, 4 to 6.
Slight or moderate.
Showers then fair.
Good.

The Minch - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
South 4 to 6, backing southeast 3 to 5 later.
Smooth or slight to the east and north of skye, but elsewhere slight or moderate.
Rain or showers.
Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Southeast backing east, 3 to 5.
Slight or moderate at first in west and south, otherwise smooth or slight.
Showers.
Good.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
South 4 to 6, backing southeast 3 to 5 later.
Slight or moderate near Sutherland, but elsewhere moderate or rough.
Rain or showers.
Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Southeast backing east, 3 to 5.
Moderate or rough at first to the west of the Outer Hebrides, otherwise slight or moderate.
Showers.

Good.

For Coastal areas up to 60 nautical miles from Lerwick, Shetland
Valid Saturday 03 Dec 2022 at 0000 UTC until Saturday 03 Dec 2022 at 1200 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

Weak trough over west of Shetland Waters will move away as ridge of high pressure builds over the next 24 hours

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

South 5 or 6

Moderate or rough

Rain or drizzle becoming fair in east

Moderate occasionally poor, becoming good in east

Outlook for 12 Hours from 1200 UTC on Saturday 03 Dec until 0000 UTC on Sunday 04 Dec:

South 5 or 6 backing southeast 3 or 4

Moderate or rough

Occasional drizzle becoming mostly fair

Good, occasionally moderate or poor at first in west

Channel Islands - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northeast 4 to 6, occasionally 7 at first, gradually veering east 3 to 5 from late morning.

Rough until mid afternoon in mid channel, otherwise moderate to rather rough, locally slight in the southeast.

Scattered showers, dying out except in the far north of the area.

Good, locally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Easterly 3 to 5.

Slight to moderate, becoming mainly smooth in the sheltered southeast.

Scattered showers, mainly in the north of the area mist and fog patches at times near french coasts.

Good, occasionally moderate, locally poor to very poor.

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