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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 1200 UTC Saturday 01 June to 1200 UTC Sunday 02 June 2019

General Situation

A warm and moist southwesterly airflow will persist across most areas during today, before an area of low pressure moves towards the British Isles during Sunday. The associated cold front will bring cooler and fresher conditions, but strong winds will develop across northwestern areas.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 4 or 5, backing southerly 3 or 4, then southeasterly 4 or 5 later. Slight or moderate, occasionally smooth in Moray Firth. Showers, rain later. Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeasterly 4 or 5, becoming variable 3 or 4 for a time in west, increasing 6 or 7 later, then veering southwesterly 6 to gale 8 later. Slight or moderate, occasionally smooth until later in Moray Firth, then occasionally rough later near Rattray Head. Occasional rain or showers. Good, occasionally poor.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed

24 hour forecast:

Southwest backing south or southeast, 4 or 5. Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate in north. Rain later. Good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southwest 4 or 5, increasing 6 or 7, perhaps gale 8 later. Slight or moderate, occasionally rough later in far north. Rain at first. Good, occasionally poor at first.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby

24 hour forecast:

Southeast 3 or 4, veering south 4 or 5 later. Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate later in north. Rain at times. Good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South 4 or 5, veering southwest 5 or 6. Slight or moderate. Rain at first. Good, occasionally moderate at first.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point

24 hour forecast:

South or southeast 3 or 4, occasionally 5 later. Smooth or slight. Mainly fair. Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeast veering southwest 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times. Slight, occasionally moderate later.

Rain at first.
Good, occasionally moderate at first.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland

24 hour forecast:
Southerly or southeasterly, backing easterly at times in north, 3 or 4,
increasing 5 at times.
Smooth or slight.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southerly or southeasterly, veering southwesterly, 4 or 5, increasing 6 at
times.
Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate in north.
Showers for a time, perhaps thundery.
Good, occasionally moderate.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill

24 hour forecast:
Variable 3 or less, becoming southerly or southeasterly 3 or 4, then veering
southwesterly 4 or 5 later.
Smooth or slight.
Mainly fair.
Good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in east.
Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate later in far west.
Showers for a time, perhaps thundery.
Good, occasionally poor.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis

24 hour forecast:
Variable, mainly southeast, veering southwest, 3 or 4.
Smooth or slight.
Fog patches developing in west, otherwise mainly fair.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor, but occasionally very poor in west.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southwest 4 or 5.
Slight, occasionally moderate.
Occasional rain with fog patches at first.
Moderate or good, occasionally very poor at first.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly

24 hour forecast:
Southeasterly veering southwesterly 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times, mainly in
west.
Moderate in far west, otherwise smooth or slight, occasionally moderate
offshore.
Fog patches developing, rain later.
Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest 4 or 5.
Slight or moderate, becoming rough at times in far west.
Occasional rain with fog patches at first.
Moderate or poor, occasionally very poor, becoming good.

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

24 hour forecast:
Southeasterly 3 or 4, becoming variable for a time in east, veering southerly or
southwesterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 later in west.

Smooth or slight in far east, otherwise moderate.
Fog patches developing, rain later.
Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Southwesterly 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.
Slight or moderate, becoming rough in west.
Occasional rain with fog patches at first.
Moderate or poor, occasionally very poor, becoming good.

St Davids Head to Great Orme Head, including St Georges Channel - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
South becoming variable for a time, 3 or 4, increasing 5 or 6.
Slight or moderate, occasionally smooth at first in north.
Occasional rain or drizzle, mainly in north, fog patches developing.
Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
South or southwest 5 to 7.
Moderate, occasionally rough.
Occasional rain with fog patches at first.
Moderate or poor, occasionally very poor, becoming mainly good.

Great Orme Head to the Mull of Galloway - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
South becoming variable 3 or 4, then southwest 5 or 6 later.
Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate later.
Occasional rain or drizzle, fog patches.
Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Southwest 5 or 6, increasing 7 or gale 8 for a time.
Slight or moderate, occasionally rough.
Occasional rain or showers, fog patches at first.
Moderate, occasionally very poor, becoming mainly good.

Isle of Man - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
South backing east or southeast 3 or 4, veering south 5 or 6 later.
Slight becoming moderate.
Occasional rain or drizzle, fog patches.
Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
South or southwest 5 to 7.
Moderate, occasionally rough later.
Occasional rain or drizzle, becoming mainly fair.
Moderate or poor, becoming good.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
South or southeast 3 or 4, increasing 5 or 6.
Smooth or slight until later in east, otherwise slight or moderate.
Fog patches in southeast, occasional rain.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor, but occasionally very poor in southeast.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
South 4 or 5, veering southwest 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 for a time.
Slight or moderate, occasionally rough.
Occasional rain or showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Mull of Galloway to Mull of Kintyre including the Firth of Clyde and North Channel - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southerly or southeasterly 4 or 5, decreasing 3 at times in Firth of Clyde, then occasionally 6 later.

Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate later.

Occasional rain, fog patches in North Channel.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor, but occasionally very poor in North Channel.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southerly 5 or 6, veering southwesterly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 for a time. Slight or moderate, occasionally rough in North Channel.

Occasional rain or showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South or southwest, backing southeast for a time, 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times. Slight in shelter, otherwise moderate, occasionally rough in northwest.

Rain at times.

Good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southwest 4 or 5, increasing 6 to gale 8 for a time, perhaps severe gale 9 later.

Moderate, becoming rough or very rough.

Occasional rain or showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

The Minch - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest backing east or southeast for a time later, 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.

Slight or moderate, occasionally smooth later in central areas.

Rain at times.

Good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southwest 4 or 5, backing southeast 3 or 4, then becoming cyclonic, then southwest later, 5 or 6.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough in south.

Occasional rain or showers.

Good, occasionally poor.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest backing east or southeast for a time later, 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.

Moderate, occasionally rough at first in west.

Rain at times.

Good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southwest 4 or 5, backing southeast 3 or 4, then becoming cyclonic, then southwest later, 5 or 6.

Moderate, occasionally rough later in west.

Occasional rain or showers.

Good, occasionally poor.

For Coastal areas up to 60 nautical miles from Lerwick, Shetland

Valid Saturday 01 Jun 2019 at 1200 UTC until Sunday 02 Jun 2019 at 0000 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

A complex area of low pressure and associated weather fronts will affect Shetland and surrounding waters.

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

Cyclonic becoming southerly or southwesterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 in north
Slight or moderate
Rain, drizzle and mist. Occasional fog patches.
Moderate or poor, occasionally very poor

Outlook for 12 Hours from 0000 UTC on Sunday 02 Jun until 1200 UTC on Sunday 02 Jun:

Southerly or southwesterly 3 or 4, backing easterly or southeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 later
Slight or moderate
Rain, drizzle and mist. Occasional fog patches.
Good, occasionally poor or very poor

Channel Islands

24 hour forecast:

Southeast to east 2 to 3, locally 4, but variable 1 to 3 at times late afternoon, veering south to southwest during the evening and night late morning veering southwest to west 3 to 4, locally 5 mid-channel.

Smooth locally slight, becoming mostly slight from mid-morning.

Fine with isolated mist and fog patches becoming more extensive across the west and north of the area overnight and during the morning showers from late morning.

Good, locally poor or very poor, especially overnight and during the morning in the west and north.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest 3 to 4, but 5 in north and west of area, whilst locally variable 1 to 3 in southeast of area, then veering westerly 3 to 4 late evening, locally northwesterly across southeast of area, before backing southwesterly by noon Monday.

Slight, occasionally smooth in southeast of area till mid-afternoon, then locally moderate across the northwest of the area till midnight, with a low swell.

Mist and fog patches, perhaps extensive in north, with occasional rain or showers becoming fair overnight.

Moderate to very poor, improving good overnight.

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