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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 1800 UTC Monday 01 December to 1800 UTC Tuesday 02 December 2014

General Situation

A frontal system will gradually move southeast across the United Kingdom during this evening and through tomorrow, with a ridge of high pressure building behind.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Westerly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 in north.

Rough or very rough in northwest, moderate in east, but slight in Moray Firth.

Occasional rain, then showers, squally in north.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly backing southwesterly, 5 or 6, occasionally 7 in north, decreasing 4 later near Rattray Head.

Rough or very rough in northwest, slight or moderate in east.

Mainly fair.

Good.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest veering west or northwest 4 or 5, increasing 6 for a time near Rattray Head.

Slight or moderate.

Rain for a time.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northwest backing southwest, 4 or 5.

Slight, occasionally moderate at first.

Fair.

Good.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South 3 or 4, veering northwest 5 to 7, then veering north 4 or 5 later.

Slight, becoming moderate.

Rain for a time.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor for a time.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North or northwest 4 or 5, becoming variable 3 or 4.

Moderate, becoming slight.

Fair.

Good.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3, becoming northerly 5 to 7 later.

Slight, becoming moderate later.

Occasional rain or drizzle.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northerly 5 to 7, veering northeasterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 in south.

Moderate, becoming slight later.

Mainly fair.

Good, occasionally moderate at first.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northerly or northeasterly, 3 or 4, increasing 5 to 7.

Slight, becoming moderate later.

Occasional rain or drizzle.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeasterly 5 to 7, decreasing 4 at times in north.

Moderate, occasionally rough, becoming slight later in north.

Occasional rain or drizzle.

Good, occasionally poor.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northerly or northeasterly 4, increasing 5 to 7, perhaps gale 8 later.

Slight becoming moderate later.

Occasional rain or drizzle.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeasterly 5 to 7, perhaps gale 8 for a time.

Moderate, occasionally rough, but becoming slight later in shelter in west.

Occasional rain or drizzle.

Good, occasionally poor.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

North or northeast, 3 or 4, increasing 5 to 7.

Slight, occasionally moderate later.

Occasional rain or drizzle.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeast 5 to 7.

Slight or moderate.

Occasional rain or drizzle, becoming mainly fair later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northerly or northeasterly 3 or 4, increasing 6 or 7 later, occasionally gale 8 in far west.

Slight or moderate, becoming rough in west.

Rain for a time.

Good, occasionally poor for a time.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeasterly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 at first in west.

Slight in shelter in east, otherwise moderate or rough.

Fair.

Good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Northwesterly 3 or 4, veering northerly or northeasterly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 in west.

Slight in far east, otherwise moderate or rough.

Rain for a time.

Good, occasionally poor for a time.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeasterly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 at first in west, decreasing 4 or 5 later.
Slight in far east, otherwise moderate or rough.
Fair.
Good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or 4, becoming northerly 6 or 7, occasionally gale 8 for a time in south, decreasing 5 at times later in north.

Smooth or slight, becoming moderate, occasionally rough for a time.

Rain for a time.

Good, occasionally poor for a time.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northerly or northeasterly 5 or 6, decreasing 3 or 4 later.

Moderate, becoming smooth or slight.

Mainly fair.

Good.

Great Orme Head to the Mull of Galloway - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West 4, veering northwest 5 to 7, then veering north 4 or 5 later.

Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate for a time.

Rain for a time.

Good, occasionally poor for a time.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North 4 or 5, becoming variable 3 or less.

Slight, occasionally smooth later.

Mainly fair.

Good.

Isle of Man - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northwest 6 or 7, veering north 4 or 5 later.

Slight, becoming moderate, occasionally rough for a time.

Rain or drizzle at first.

Good, occasionally moderate at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North 4 or 5, decreasing 3, then becoming variable 3 or less.

Slight or moderate, occasionally smooth later.

Mainly fair.

Good.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northwesterly 6 or 7, decreasing 4 or 5.

Slight at first in south, otherwise moderate, becoming rough in northwest.

Rain at first.

Moderate or poor, becoming good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northwesterly backing southwesterly 4 or 5, decreasing 3 at times later in south.

Moderate, occasionally rough in northwest, becoming slight later in south.

Mainly fair.

Good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Northwesterly 4 or 5, increasing 6 or 7 for a time in North Channel, decreasing

3 at times later in Firth of Clyde.
Slight or moderate, occasionally rough near Mull of Kintyre.
Rain at first.
Moderate or poor, becoming good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northwesterly backing southwesterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 near Mull of Kintyre.
Slight or moderate, occasionally rough near Mull of Kintyre.
Mainly fair.
Good.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northwest backing west 4 or 5, increasing 6 or 7 for a time.
Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough later in far northwest.
Rain then showers.
Moderate or poor, becoming good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West backing southwest, 4 or 5.
Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in northwest.
Showers.
Good.

The Minch - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Westerly backing southwesterly later, 5 or 6, occasionally 7 in north,
decreasing 4 at times in south.
Slight or moderate, becoming rough or very rough in far north and far south.
Squally showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Southwesterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 in north.
Rough or very rough in far north and far south, otherwise slight or moderate.
Showers.
Good.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Westerly backing southwesterly later, 5 or 6, occasionally 7 in north.
Rough, becoming very rough.
Squally showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Southwesterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 in north.
Very rough.
Showers.
Good.

For Coastal areas up to 60 nautical miles from Lerwick, Shetland
Valid Monday 01 Dec 2014 at 1800 UTC until Tuesday 02 Dec 2014 at 0600 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation
Frontal troughs track east over Shetland waters rest of Monday and at first Tuesday, then a ridge of high pressure extends north.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle: Southerly gale force 8 at time of issue

Southerly 7 or gale 8 at first in far east otherwise westerly 5 or 6, but 4 for a time and occasionally 7 later in west.

Rough or very rough, becoming moderate in lee of east Shetland.

Rain soon clearing to showers.

Moderate or poor, becoming good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for 12 Hours from 0600 UTC on Tuesday 02 Dec until 1800 UTC on Tuesday 02 Dec:

Westerly 5 or 6 occasionally 7 at first in west and north.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in southwest.

Showers, squally at times in west.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Channel Islands - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

North to northeast 4 to 5 decreasing 3 to 4 for a time early evening, increasing 5 to 6 after midnight, and 6 to 7 around midday.

Slight to moderate increasing moderate to rather rough overnight, locally rough in the west by midday.

Patchy light rain or drizzle.

Moderate, locally poor at times.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North to northeast 6 to 7, perhaps locally gale 8.

Moderate in the southeast to rough in the west.

Occasional rain.

Moderate to poor.

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