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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 1800 UTC Sunday 02 November to 1800 UTC Monday 03 November 2014

General Situation

A strong locally gale force southwesterly airflow is currently affecting the British Isles bringing showers or longer spells of rain to many areas. A developing area of low pressure out in the Atlantic will move eastwards across Northern Ireland during Monday before filling over great Britain during Tuesday.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 5 or 6 becoming variable 3 or 4, then cyclonic 4 or 5 later.

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

Showers.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Cyclonic 4 or 5 becoming north or northeast 6 to gale 8, perhaps severe gale 9 later.

Slight or moderate becoming rough or very rough.

Rain or thundery showers.

Moderate or good.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South or southwest 5 or 6, decreasing 4 at times, then becoming variable 3 or 4 later.

Slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or 4 becoming northwest 4 or 5, then veering north 6 to gale 8 later.

Slight or moderate, becoming rough later near Rattray Head.

Rain or thundery showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South or southwest 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.

Slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South 4 becoming variable 2 or 3, then north or northwest 5 to 7 later.

Slight, occasionally moderate at first.

Showers, thundery later.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South or southwest 4 or 5, increasing 6 or 7 for a time.

Slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest 4 or 5, veering northwest 3 or 4 later.

Slight, occasionally moderate at first.

Showers.
Good.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southerly or southwesterly 4 or 5, increasing 6 to gale 8 for a time.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough.

Rain or showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly 4 or 5, veering westerly 3 or 4 later.

Slight or moderate, becoming slight.

Rain or showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 6 to gale 8, backing southerly 7 to severe gale 9 for a time, then decreasing 4 or 5 later.

Moderate or rough.

Rain or squally showers.

Good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly or southwesterly 4 or 5, increasing 6 or 7 for a time, veering northwesterly 3 or 4 later.

Moderate, occasionally rough at first, becoming slight later.

Rain or thundery showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West or southwest 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 at first, decreasing 4 at times later.

Moderate or rough.

Rain or squally showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest veering west 5 or 6, then northwest 4 or 5 later.

Moderate, becoming slight or moderate.

Thundery showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

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

24 hour forecast:

West or southwest 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 at first, decreasing 4 at times later.

Moderate or rough, becoming very rough near the Isles of Scilly.

Rain or squally showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest veering northwest, 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.

Very rough at first near the Isles of Scilly, otherwise moderate or rough.

Thundery showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

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

24 hour forecast:

West or southwest 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 at first, decreasing 4 at times later.

Moderate or rough.

Rain or squally showers.
Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West or southwest 4 or 5 veering west or northwest 5 to 7.
Moderate or rough.
Thundery showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

St Davids Head to Great Orme Head, including St Georges Channel - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
South or southwest 5 to 7, veering west or southwest 4 or 5 later.
Moderate or rough.
Rain or squally showers.
Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West or southwest 4 or 5 veering northwest 5 to 7, then north 4 or 5 later.
Moderate, occasionally rough at first.
Thundery showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Great Orme Head to the Mull of Galloway - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
South or southwest 5 to 7, decreasing 4 for a time.
Slight or moderate in south, moderate or rough in north.
Rain or squally showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Southerly or southwesterly becoming cyclonic then northerly, 4 or 5,
occasionally 6 at first in south.
Moderate or rough at first in north, otherwise slight or moderate.
Thundery showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Isle of Man - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
South or southwest 5 to 7, occasionally 4 at first, veering west or southwest 4
or 5 later.
Slight or moderate becoming moderate or rough.
Showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West or southwest veering north, 4 or 5.
Moderate or rough becoming slight or moderate.
Showers.
Moderate or good.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Southerly or southwesterly veering westerly, but becoming cyclonic later in
north, 5 or 6, decreasing 4 at times.
Slight or moderate, occasionally rough.
Thundery showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Cyclonic at first in north, otherwise westerly veering northerly, 4 or 5,
increasing 6 at times.
Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough in north.
Thundery showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

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

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 5 or 6 backing south 4 or 5, then becoming cyclonic 3 or 4 later. Slight or moderate, occasionally rough in North Channel.

Thundery showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Cyclonic 3 or 4 becoming north or northeast 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.

Slight or moderate.

Thundery showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South or southwest 5 to 7 backing southeast 3 or 4, then northeast 4 or 5 later. Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough near Tiree.

Thundery showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeast 4 or 5 backing north 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 later near Coll and Tiree.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough near Tiree.

Thundery showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

The Minch - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South or southwest 5 to 7 backing southeast 3 or 4, then backing northeast later.

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

Thundery showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North or northeast 3 or 4 increasing 6 to gale 8.

Slight or moderate becoming moderate or rough, then very rough later in north. Showers, squally later.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South or southwest 5 to 7 backing southeast 3 or 4, then backing northeast later.

Moderate or rough.

Thundery showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North or northeast 3 or 4 increasing 6 to gale 8.

Moderate or rough becoming rough or very rough.

Showers, squally later.

Good, occasionally moderate.

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

Valid Sunday 02 Nov 2014 at 1800 UTC until Monday 03 Nov 2014 at 0600 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

A fresh to strong southwesterly flow over Shetland waters eases during Monday.

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

Southwest 6 backing south 4 or 5.
Moderate in the east, otherwise rough.
Isolated showers.
Mainly good.

Outlook for 12 Hours from 0600 UTC on Monday 03 Nov until 1800 UTC on Monday 03 Nov:
South backing east or northeast 4 or 5.
Mainly moderate, but rough in the north and west.
Isolated showers.
Mainly good.

Channel Islands - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest to west 5 to 6 increasing 6 to 7 overnight, occasionally gale 8 in the north, decreasing 5 to 6 in the morning.
Moderate to rather rough, becoming rather rough to rough for a time.
Isolated showers turning to a period of rain overnight, locally heavy later, clearing mid-morning, then further showers in the afternoon with a risk of thunder.
Good except in rain or showers.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest to west 5 to 6 decreasing 4 to 5 overnight, then 3 to 4 on Tuesday, veering northwest in the afternoon.
Moderate to rather rough with swell, becoming slight.
Scattered showers, with a risk of thunder, dying out.
Good except in showers.

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