

AND NOW THE SHIPPING FORECAST ISSUED BY THE MET OFFICE,
ON BEHALF OF THE MARITIME AND COASTGUARD AGENCY, AT 1725
UTC ON FRIDAY 04 MARCH 2011 FOR THE PERIOD 1800 UTC
FRIDAY 04 MARCH TO 1800 UTC SATURDAY 05 MARCH 2011

THERE ARE WARNINGS OF GALES IN VIKING NORTH UTSIRE AND
SOUTH UTSIRE

THE GENERAL SYNOPSIS AT MIDDAY
HIGH HUMBER 1035 DISSIPATING BY MIDDAY TOMORROW. LOW
TRAFALGAR 1014 SLOW MOVING, DEEPENING 1010 BY SAME TIME.
HIGH 200 MILES SOUTH OF ICELAND 1038 EXPECTED 200 MILES
EAST OF ICELAND WITH LITTLE CHANGE BY THAT TIME

THE AREA FORECASTS FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS

VIKING NORTH UTSIRE SOUTH UTSIRE FORTIES
NORTHWESTERLY VEERING NORTHERLY 5 TO 7, OCCASIONALLY GALE
8 EXCEPT FORTIES. MODERATE OR ROUGH, BECOMING VERY ROUGH
IN NORTH VIKING AND NORTH UTSIRE. RAIN THEN WINTRY
SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD

CROMARTY FORTH TYNE DOGGER
WEST VEERING NORTHEAST, 4 OR 5. SLIGHT OR MODERATE. FAIR.
MODERATE OR POOR, BECOMING GOOD

FISHER GERMAN BIGHT
WEST VEERING NORTHWEST 5 TO 7, PERHAPS GALE 8 LATER.
MODERATE OR ROUGH. OCCASIONAL RAIN THEN FAIR. MODERATE OR
POOR, BECOMING GOOD

HUMBER
VARIABLE 3 BECOMING NORTHEASTERLY 4 OR 5. MAINLY SLIGHT.
MAINLY FAIR. MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY POOR, BECOMING GOOD

THAMES DOVER WIGHT PORTLAND PLYMOUTH
NORTHEAST 5 TO 7. MODERATE OR ROUGH. MAINLY FAIR.
MODERATE OR GOOD

BISCAY FITZROY
EASTERLY OR NORTHEASTERLY 5 TO 7, PERHAPS GALE 8 LATER.
MODERATE OR ROUGH. SHOWERS. GOOD

SOLE LUNDY FASTNET
EAST OR NORTHEAST 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6. SLIGHT OR
MODERATE. FAIR. MODERATE OR GOOD

IRISH SEA
VARIABLE 3 BECOMING NORTHEAST 3 OR 4. SLIGHT. FAIR.
MODERATE OR POOR, OCCASIONALLY GOOD

SHANNON
MAINLY EASTERLY 3 OR 4, OCCASIONALLY 5 IN SOUTH.
MODERATE. FAIR. MODERATE OR GOOD

ROCKALL MALIN
VARIABLE 3 OR 4 BECOMING MAINLY SOUTHERLY OR
SOUTHEASTERLY 4 OR 5. MODERATE OR ROUGH. OCCASIONAL RAIN.
MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

HEBRIDES
NORTH OR NORTHWEST 3 OR 4 VEERING SOUTHEAST 4 OR 5.
MODERATE OR ROUGH. OCCASIONAL RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD,
OCCASIONALLY POOR

BAILEY

NORTHWESTERLY IN NORTH AT FIRST, OTHERWISE NORTHEASTERLY,
VEERING SOUTHERLY, 4 OR 5. MODERATE OR ROUGH. OCCASIONAL
RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

FAIR ISLE

NORTHWESTERLY VEERING NORTHERLY 4 OR 5, BUT 6 OR 7 IN
NORTHEAST AT FIRST AND VEERING SOUTHEASTERLY IN WEST
LATER. MODERATE OR ROUGH, OCCASIONALLY VERY ROUGH IN
NORTHEAST LATER. MAINLY FAIR. MODERATE OR GOOD

FAEROES

NORTHWESTERLY 5 TO 7 BECOMING VARIABLE 4, THEN
SOUTHEASTERLY 5 TO 7 IN WEST LATER. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH.
FAIR. GOOD

SOUTHEAST ICELAND

NORTHWESTERLY VEERING SOUTHEASTERLY 5 TO 7, DECREASING 4
FOR A TIME. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH. RAIN LATER. GOOD,
BECOMING MODERATE OR POOR