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Ser. No. 2

Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore  
for the period 0600 UTC Saturday 02 August to 0600 UTC Sunday 03 August 2014

#### General Situation

A slowly developing low in fastnet will continue drifting north to be over Scotland by midday Sunday, before drifting away northwards on Monday.

#### Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

In north, northeasterly 3 or 4 increasing 5 or 6, in south, northerly or northeasterly veering easterly or southeasterly, 3 or 4, occasionally 5. Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough north and west of Orkney. Occasional rain.

Good, becoming mainly moderate, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Cyclonic becoming west or southwest 5 to 7.

Moderate or rough, but slight or moderate in Moray Firth at first.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

#### Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or 4, becoming northeast 4 or 5 for a time, then southeast 4 or 5 later.

Slight or moderate.

Occasional rain.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southeast 4 or 5, veering southwest 5 to 7, decreasing mainly 4 or 5 later.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough in north.

Occasional rain or showers.

Moderate or good.

#### Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby

24 hour forecast:

Cyclonic becoming south 3 or 4, occasionally 5.

Slight or moderate.

Occasional rain.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South 4 or 5 increasing 5 to 7, then veering southwest, decreasing 3 or 4 later.

Slight or moderate.

Showers.

Moderate or good.

#### Whitby to Gibraltar Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Mainly south or southeast 3 or 4, occasionally 5, increasing 5 or 6 later.

Slight or moderate.

Thundery rain or showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South veering southwest 4 or 5, occasionally 6, becoming variable 3 or 4 later.

Slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Mainly southerly or southeasterly 3 or 4 veering southwesterly 5 or 6.

Slight or moderate.

Thundery rain or showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southerly or southwesterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6, decreasing 3 or 4 later.

Slight or moderate.

Mainly fair.

Good.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or 4 becoming southwesterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6.

Slight or moderate.

Thundery showers.

Good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly 5 or 6, decreasing mainly 4 later.

Moderate or rough, becoming slight or moderate later.

Mainly fair.

Good.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South 3 or 4, occasionally 5, veering southwest 5 or 6.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough except in shelter.

Thundery showers.

Good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 in western solent for a time, decreasing mainly 4 later.

Slight in shelter otherwise moderate or rough.

Showers.

Good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Southerly or southeasterly in east at first, otherwise westerly or northwesterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough except in shelter.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or northwest 5 or 6 backing southwest 3 or 4.

Moderate, becoming slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or 4 becoming westerly or northwesterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in west.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough in west.

Rain in east at first otherwise showers.

Moderate or poor in east at first otherwise good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or northwest 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first, backing southwest 3 or 4 later.

Slight or moderate, but moderate or rough in west at first.

Showers.

Good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Cyclonic 3 or 4, occasionally 5, becoming west or northwest 5 to 7.

Slight, becoming moderate or rough.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or northwest 5 to 7 backing southwest 3 or 4, becoming variable later.

Moderate or rough, becoming slight.

Rain in north at first otherwise showers.

Moderate or poor in north at first otherwise good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or 4 becoming cyclonic 4 or 5, occasionally 6 later.

Slight or moderate.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Cyclonic 4 or 5 occasionally 6, becoming west 5 to 7, then variable 3 or less later.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough for a time.

Occasional rain then showers.

Mainly moderate, occasionally poor, becoming good.

Isle of Man - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

East or northeast becoming cyclonic, then west or southwest later, 3 or 4 increasing 4 or 5, occasionally 6.

Smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate.

Occasional rain.

Good, becoming moderate or poor at times.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest 4 or 5, occasionally 6, decreasing 3 or 4 later.

Slight or moderate.

Occasional rain then fair.

Good, occasionally moderate at first.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

North or northwest 3 or 4 increasing 5 to 7.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough except in shelter.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or poor, occasionally good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northwest 5 to 7, becoming variable 3 or 4.

Mainly slight in shelter, otherwise moderate or rough, becoming slight or moderate.

Rain then showers.

Moderate or poor, becoming good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Northerly or northwesterly 3 or 4 increasing 5 to 7.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough except in shelter.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or poor, occasionally good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northwesterly 5 to 7, becoming variable 3 or 4.

Mainly slight in shelter, otherwise moderate or rough, becoming slight or moderate.

Rain then showers.

Moderate or poor, becoming good.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

North 3 or 4, increasing 5 to 7.

Slight, becoming moderate or rough except in shelter.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or poor, occasionally good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North backing northwest 5 to 7, then west 3 or 4 later.

Mainly slight in shelter, otherwise moderate or rough, becoming slight or moderate.

Occasional rain.

Moderate or poor, occasionally good.

The Minch - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northerly or northeasterly, 3 or 4 in south at first otherwise 4 or 5 increasing 5 to 7, perhaps gale 8 later.

Smooth or slight in south at first otherwise slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough except in shelter.

Showers then occasional rain.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North 6 to gale 8 backing west 4 or 5.

Slight in shelter otherwise moderate or rough.

Occasional rain.

Moderate or poor, occasionally good.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northerly or northeasterly, 3 or 4 in south at first otherwise 4 or 5 increasing 5 to 7, perhaps gale 8 later.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough.

Showers then occasional rain.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North 6 to gale 8 backing west 4 or 5.

Moderate or rough.

Occasional rain.

Moderate or poor, occasionally good.

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

Valid Saturday 02 Aug 2014 at 0600 UTC until Saturday 02 Aug 2014 at 1800 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

A complex area of low pressure, initially in the Southwest Approaches, will

track north to northeast across the Irish Sea on Saturday, eventually reaching Orkney late Sunday.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle: Nil

Northerly or northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally cyclonic 3 or 4 in southeast. Moderate, occasionally rough in far north, occasionally slight in south.

Showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for 12 Hours from 1800 UTC on Saturday 02 Aug until 0600 UTC on Sunday 03 Aug:

Northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in northwest, veering easterly in the east. Moderate, occasionally rough at first in far north, occasionally slight in south.

Rain or Showers, perhaps thundery.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Channel Islands

24 hour forecast:

Southeast to south 4 to 5, veering southwest to west during the morning gusty around showers.

Slight increasing moderate by late morning.

Showers, locally heavy with the risk of thunder, clearing by late morning risk of a shower overnight.

Good, locally moderate to poor in showers.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest to west 3 to 4, veering northwest 2 to 3 near the brittany coast Sunday afternoon.

Slight to moderate.

Fair.

Good.

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