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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 0600 UTC Monday 05 November to 0600 UTC Tuesday 06 November 2012

General Situation

An area of low pressure across southwest England will move away southeastwards allowing a ridge of high pressure to move in from the west, although Atlantic fronts will affect northern areas at times.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West or northwest 3 or 4 increasing 4 or 5, backing west or southwest 5 to 7 later.

Slight or moderate.

Showers then occasional rain.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest 5 to 7.

Moderate or rough, becoming rough or very rough north and west of Orkney.

Occasional rain.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northwest 3 or 4, occasionally 5, backing southwest 5 or 6.

Slight or moderate.

Showers then occasional rain.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest 5 to 7.

Slight near shore, otherwise moderate or rough.

Occasional rain then mainly fair.

Moderate or good.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northwest 4 or 5 increasing 5 or 6 for a time, backing west later.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough.

Showers, occasional rain later.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or northwest, backing southwest later, 5 or 6.

Slight near shore, otherwise moderate or rough.

Occasional rain then mainly fair.

Moderate or good.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

North backing northwest 4 or 5, increasing 5 or 6 for a time, backing west later.

Moderate or rough.

Showers, occasional rain later.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or northwest 4 or 5 increasing 5 or 6.

Slight near shore, otherwise moderate or rough.

Occasional rain then mainly fair.

Moderate or good.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

North or northwest 4 or 5, increasing 5 or 6 for a time.

Slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or northwest 4 or 5 increasing 5 or 6.

Slight or moderate.

Occasional rain then mainly fair.

Moderate or good.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

North or northeast 3 or 4 increasing 5 or 6 for a time, backing northwest later.

Moderate or rough, becoming slight or moderate.

Thundery showers, fair later.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or northwest 4 or 5, increasing 5 or 6 for a time.

Slight or moderate.

Occasional rain for a time.

Moderate or good.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northeast 4 or 5 increasing 5 or 6, backing northwest 3 or 4 later.

Moderate or rough, becoming slight or moderate.

Thundery showers, fair later.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or northwest 3 or 4 increasing 5 or 6, decreasing 4 or 5 later.

Slight or moderate.

Mainly fair.

Moderate or good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Cyclonic becoming northeasterly, 4 or 5 in east, 5 to 7 in west, backing northwesterly 4 or 5 later.

Moderate or rough, becoming slight or moderate.

Showers, thundery at first.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or northwest 4 or 5, increasing 5 or 6 for a time.

Slight or moderate.

Mainly fair.

Moderate or good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Northeasterly backing northwesterly 4 or 5, but 6 or 7 west of Lynton and Tenby at first.

Slight in east, moderate or rough in west.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly or northwesterly, 4 or 5, increasing 5 or 6 for a time in west.
Slight in east, moderate in west.
Showers.
Good.

St Davids Head to Great Orme Head, including St Georges Channel - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northeasterly backing northwesterly 4 or 5, but 6 or 7 in far south at first.
Moderate or rough, becoming slight or moderate.
Showers.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northwest, backing southwest later, 4 or 5, increasing 5 or 6.
Slight in shelter, otherwise moderate or rough.
Showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Great Orme Head to the Mull of Galloway
24 hour forecast:
Mainly northerly, backing westerly or northwesterly later, 3 or 4, occasionally 5 in far southwest and far northwest, increasing 4 or 5 later.
Slight or moderate.
Showers.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West or northwest, backing southwest later, 4 or 5, increasing 5 to 7.
Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough.
Showers.
Moderate or good.

Isle of Man
24 hour forecast:
North or northwest 3 or 4 increasing 4 or 5, backing west or northwest 5 later.
Slight or moderate.
Showers, occasional rain later.
Good, occasionally moderate later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West 5 or 6, increasing 6 or 7 later.
Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough.
Occasional rain at first.
Good, occasionally moderate at first.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
North or northwest 3 or 4 increasing 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in North Channel later.
Slight or moderate.
Showers.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West or northwest, backing southwest later, 5 to 7.
Slight in shelter, otherwise moderate or rough.
Occasional rain.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Mull of Galloway to Mull of Kintyre including the Firth of Clyde and North Channel - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
North or northwest 3 or 4 increasing 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in North Channel later.

Slight or moderate.
Showers.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West or northwest, backing southwest later, 5 to 7.
Slight in shelter, otherwise moderate or rough.
Occasional rain.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northwesterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 in west, increasing 5 or 6 later.
Slight in shelter, otherwise moderate or rough.
Showers, occasional rain later.
Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northwest backing southwest 5 to 7.
Slight in shelter, otherwise moderate or rough.
Occasional rain.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

The Minch - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northwest 4 or 5 backing west 5 to 7.
Slight or moderate.
Showers then occasional rain.
Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West or northwest, backing southwest later, 5 to 7.
Slight in shelter, otherwise slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough.
Rain.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northwest 4 or 5 backing west 5 to 7.
Moderate or rough.
Showers then occasional rain.
Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West or northwest, backing southwest later, 5 to 7.
Moderate or rough, becoming rough or very rough.
Rain.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

For Coastal areas up to 60 nautical miles from Lerwick, Shetland
Valid Monday 05 Nov 2012 at 0600 UTC until Monday 05 Nov 2012 at 1800 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation
A ridge will move southeast over Shetland, before a trough swings in from the northwest later.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle: Nil.

West or northwest 4 or 5, occasionally 3 at first.
Slight or moderate, becoming rough for a time in the west.

Showers.
Moderate or good.

Outlook for 12 Hours from 1800 UTC on Monday 05 Nov until 0600 UTC on Tuesday 06 Nov:

West or northwest 4 or 5 backing southwest 5 to 7, veering west or northwest later.

Moderate or rough, occasionally slight at first.

Showers then rain.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor later.

Channel Islands - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest to west 4 to 5, locally 6 at first, decreasing 2 to 4 during the morning and veering northeast, increasing 5 to 6 in the north of the area by midday and generally 4 to 6 in the afternoon, backing north 4 by midnight.

Rather rough, locally rough at first, becoming mainly moderate in the morning.

Scattered rain or hail showers, locally with thunder, dying out this evening.

Good, locally moderate to poor in showers.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North 4, backing northwest 4 to 5 in the afternoon and west overnight.

Moderate, locally rather rough with a swell.

Fair.

Good.

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