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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 1800 UTC Sunday 03 November to 1800 UTC Monday 04 November 2013

General Situation

An area of low pressure in the northern North Sea will pass to the east today, but another deep Atlantic low will run eastwards across southern England for Sunday night, before eventually clearing into Sweden by Tuesday morning.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northerly or northwesterly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 at first in northeast, occasionally 4 later.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in far north.

Showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northerly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first in northeast, becoming variable 3, then cyclonic 4 or 5 later.

Moderate or rough.

Showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Westerly, veering northerly or northwesterly, 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 at first in far north.

Moderate or rough.

Showers, mainly in north.

Good, occasionally moderate in north.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northerly or northwesterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first in north, becoming variable 3, then westerly or southwesterly 4 or 5 later.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough at first in north.

Showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West, veering northwest, 5 to 7, decreasing 4 or 5 for a time.

Moderate or rough.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or northwest 5 to 6, backing southwest 4 for a time.

Slight or moderate.

Showers later.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West, veering northwest, 5 or 6, occasionally 7 at first, decreasing 4 for a time.

Moderate or rough.

Rain or showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northwest 5 to 7, backing west or southwest 4 or 5 for a time.
Slight or moderate.
Showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Westerly or southwesterly 6 to gale 8, becoming cyclonic 5 to 7, then northerly 6 to gale 8, veering northwesterly 5 to 7 later.

Moderate or rough.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northwesterly 5 to 7, backing westerly or southwesterly 4 or 5 for a time.

Moderate or rough, becoming slight or moderate later.

Showers, then rain later.

Good, becoming moderate later.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Westerly or southwesterly, becoming cyclonic, then northwesterly later, 6 to gale 8, decreasing 4 or 5 later.

Rough or very rough, becoming moderate or rough for a time.

Rain or squally showers.

Moderate or good, occasional poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly or northwesterly, 4 or 5 increasing 6 or 7 later.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough later.

Showers, then rain.

Good, becoming moderate later.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest, becoming cyclonic, then west or northwest later, 6 to gale 8, decreasing 4 or 5 later.

Moderate or rough.

Rain then showers.

Moderate or poor, becoming good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or northwest 4, increasing 5 to 7 later.

Moderate or rough.

Rain for a time.

Good, becoming moderate or poor for a time.

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

24 hour forecast:

Cyclonic 6 to gale 8, becoming north or northwest 5 or 6, then variable 3 or 4 later.

Rough or very rough.

Rain then showers.

Moderate or poor, becoming good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or 4, becoming southwest 4 or 5, veering west 5 or 6 later.

Rough or very rough.

Rain for a time.

Good, becoming moderate or poor for a time.

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

24 hour forecast:

Cyclonic 6 to gale 8, becoming north 4 or 5, then variable 3 or 4 later.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in west.
Rain then showers.
Moderate or poor, becoming good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable 3 or 4, becoming southwest 4 or 5, veering west 5 or 6 later.
Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in west.
Rain for a time.
Good, becoming moderate or poor for a time.

St Davids Head to Great Orme Head, including St Georges Channel
24 hour forecast:
Southeasterly, backing northerly, then northwesterly later, 4 or 5, occasionally 3 in north.
Slight or moderate, occasionally rough in far south.
Rain then showers.
Good, occasionally moderate at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West or northwest, backing southwest for a time, 5 or 6, occasionally 4 at first.
Slight or moderate, occasionally rough in far south.
Rain for a time.
Good, becoming moderate for a time.

Great Orme Head to the Mull of Galloway
24 hour forecast:
Variable 3 or 4, becoming north or northwest 4 or 5.
Slight or moderate.
Showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West or northwest, backing southwest for a time, 5 or 6, occasionally 4 at first.
Slight or moderate.
Rain for a time.
Good, becoming moderate for a time.

Isle of Man
24 hour forecast:
Northwest 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times.
Slight or moderate.
Showers.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northwest, backing southwest, 4 or 5, veering west 7 later.
Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough.
Rain or showers for a time.
Good, occasionally moderate or poor.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough
24 hour forecast:
Northwest 4 or 5.
Slight or moderate.
Showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Westerly or northwesterly, backing southwesterly for a time, 3 or 4, increasing 5 or 6, occasionally 7 in north.
Slight or moderate.
Rain for a time.

Good, becoming moderate for a time.

Mull of Galloway to Mull of Kintyre including the Firth of Clyde and North Channel

24 hour forecast:

Northwest 4 or 5.

Slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly or northwesterly, backing southwesterly for a time, 3 or 4, increasing 5 or 6, occasionally 7 in north.

Slight or moderate.

Rain for a time.

Good, becoming moderate for a time.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point

24 hour forecast:

Northwest, veering north, 4 or 5, becoming variable 3 or less later.

Moderate or rough.

Showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3, becoming south 5 or 6, then veering west 5 to 7 later.

Moderate or rough, becoming very rough later in west.

Rain or showers.

Good, becoming moderate.

The Minch - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northwesterly, veering northerly, 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in far north, becoming variable 3 or less later.

Moderate or rough, but slight in shelter.

Showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3, becoming south or southeast 5 to 7, veering west later.

Moderate or rough, but slight in shelter.

Rain or showers.

Good, becoming moderate.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northwesterly, veering northerly, 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in far north, becoming variable 3 or less later.

Rough.

Showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3, becoming south or southeast 5 to 7, veering west later.

Rough or very rough.

Rain or showers.

Good, becoming moderate.

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

Valid Sunday 03 Nov 2013 at 1800 UTC until Monday 04 Nov 2013 at 0600 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

Low pressure centred over the east Shetland basin moves slowly into Norway.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle: Northwesterly gale 8

North or north 6 to gale 8.

Rough or very rough.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for 12 Hours from 0600 UTC on Monday 04 Nov until 1800 UTC on Monday 04 Nov:

North 6 to gale 8, decreasing 4 or 5 later.

Rough or very rough.

Showers.

Moderate or good.

Channel Islands - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South 6 to gale 8, veering southwest 7 to severe gale 9 with gusts to 60kt this evening, further veering northwest to north 5 to 6 around dawn, decreasing 4 to 5 by midday, backing northwest to west 2 to 4 in the afternoon.

Rough to very rough gradually decreasing after dawn to become slight.

Rain, locally heavy this evening, becoming patchy by midnight, clearing soon after dawn.

Moderate to poor becoming good by dawn.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northwest to west 2 to 4, backing southwest to south in the evening, veering southwest to west 4 to 5 after midnight, increasing 5 to 6 by afternoon.

Slight increasing moderate to rather rough during the morning, locally rough in the afternoon, with swell persisting.

Occasional rain.

Moderate to good, occasionally moderate to poor.

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