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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore  
for the period 0600 UTC Saturday 04 September to 0600 UTC Sunday 05 September  
2010

#### General Situation

Over the next 3 days, a large area of high pressure will remain slow moving near Norway while low pressure over the north Atlantic gradually moves eastwards, the associated weather fronts edging slowly eastwards across all except some northeastern parts of the United Kingdom.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeast 5 to 7.

Slight or moderate.

Mainly fair.

Moderate or good.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed

24 hour forecast:

Southeast 4 or 5.

Slight, occasionally moderate later.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeast 4 or 5 increasing 5 to 7.

Slight, occasionally moderate.

Mainly fair.

Moderate or good.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby

24 hour forecast:

Southeast 3 or 4 increasing 4 or 5.

Slight, occasionally moderate later.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeast 4 or 5 increasing 5 or 6.

Slight to moderate.

Mainly fair.

Moderate or good.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point

24 hour forecast:

Southeast 2 or 3 increasing 3 or 4.

Slight.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeast 4 or 5 increasing 5 or 6.

Slight, occasionally moderate later.

Mainly fair.

Moderate or good.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland

24 hour forecast:

East or southeast 3 or 4.

Slight.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in north.

Slight, occasionally moderate later.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill

24 hour forecast:

East or northeast 4 or 5.

Slight or moderate.

Fair, showers later.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

East or southeast 4 or 5.

Slight or moderate.

Mainly fair.

Moderate or good.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

East 4 or 5, occasionally 6 near headlands.

Slight or moderate.

Fair, occasional rain or showers later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

East or southeast 4 or 5.

Moderate.

Showers.

Moderate or good.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly

24 hour forecast:

East or southeast 3 or 4, occasionally 5 near headlands.

Slight or moderate.

Fair then occasional rain or showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Easterly or southeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in far west.

Mainly moderate.

Occasional rain or showers, fog patches.

Moderate or poor, occasionally very poor.

Lands End to St Davids Head including the Bristol Channel

24 hour forecast:

Easterly or southeasterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 in west.

Smooth or slight in east, moderate in west.

Fair then occasional rain or showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Easterly or southeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in far west.

Slight in east, moderate in west.

Occasional rain or showers, fog patches in west.  
Moderate or poor, occasionally very poor in west and good in east.

St Davids Head to Great Orme Head, including St Georges Channel - (SWW)  
24 hour forecast:  
Southeast 4 or 5, occasionally 6.  
Slight or moderate.  
Fair then occasional rain or showers.  
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
Southeast 3 or 4 increasing 5 or 6.  
Slight or moderate.  
Occasional rain or showers.  
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Great Orme Head to the Mull of Galloway - (SWW)  
24 hour forecast:  
Southeast 4 or 5, occasionally 6.  
Slight or moderate.  
Fair then occasional rain or showers.  
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
Southeast 5 to 7.  
Slight or moderate.  
Occasional rain or showers.  
Moderate or good.

Isle of Man  
24 hour forecast:  
Southeast 4 or 5.  
Slight or moderate.  
Occasional rain later.  
Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
Southeast 4 or 5, increasing 5 or 6.  
Moderate.  
Occasional rain.  
Moderate or good.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough - (SWW)  
24 hour forecast:  
Southeast 4 or 5, occasionally 6.  
Slight to moderate.  
Occasional rain.  
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
Southeast 5 to 7.  
Slight to moderate, occasionally rough in west.  
Rain or showers.  
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Mull of Galloway to Mull of Kintyre including the Firth of Clyde and North Channel - (SWW)  
24 hour forecast:  
Southeast 4 or 5, occasionally 6.  
Slight or moderate.  
Occasional rain.  
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeast 5 to 7.  
Slight or moderate.  
Occasional rain or showers.  
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point - (SWW)  
24 hour forecast:  
Southeast 4 or 5, occasionally 6.  
Slight or moderate.  
Occasional rain.  
Moderate or good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
Southeast 5 to 7.  
Slight or moderate, occasionally rough in northwest.  
Occasional rain or showers.  
Moderate or good.

The Minch - (SWW)  
24 hour forecast:  
Southeast 4 or 5, occasionally 6.  
Smooth or slight in north, slight or moderate in south.  
Fair then rain.  
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
Southeast 4 or 5 increasing 5 to 7.  
Smooth or slight in north, slight or moderate in south.  
Occasional rain or showers.  
Moderate or good.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)  
24 hour forecast:  
Southeast 4 or 5, occasionally 6.  
Slight or moderate, occasionally rough in far west.  
Fair then rain.  
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
Southeast 4 or 5 increasing 5 to 7.  
Slight or moderate, occasionally rough in west.  
Occasional rain or showers.  
Moderate or good.

For Coastal areas up to 60 nautical miles from Lerwick, Shetland  
Valid Saturday 04 Sep 2010 at 0600 UTC until Saturday 04 Sep 2010 at 1800 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation  
A ridge of high pressure over Shetland will move slowly east over the next few days.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle: Nil

Southeasterly 3 or 4 increasing 5 or 6 in west.  
Slight in east, moderate in west.  
Fair.  
Mostly good.

Outlook for 12 Hours from 1800 UTC on Saturday 04 Sep until 0600 UTC on Sunday 05 Sep:

Southeasterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 in west.  
Slight in east, moderate in west.  
Fair.  
Mostly good.

Channel Islands

24 hour forecast:

Southeast 2 to 4, becoming variable this afternoon then east tonight, veering southeast to south by dawn tomorrow.

Slight.

Mist or fog patches, especially near french coasts, this morning and again overnight risk of a shower from this afternoon onwards.

Moderate locally poor or very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeast to south 2 to 4, veering south to southwest on Monday.

Slight with swell.

Occasional showers.

Moderate to good, perhaps locally poor.

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