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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 0600 UTC Sunday 03 August to 0600 UTC Monday 04 August 2014

General Situation

An area of low pressure currently centred over the Irish Sea will move slowly north with pressure rising steadily from the south.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northeasterly 6 or 7 in northwest at first, otherwise easterly or southeasterly veering southerly later, 4 or 5, occasionally 6.

Slight or moderate, but very rough in northwest for a time.

Rain then thundery showers, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South veering southwest 4 or 5, occasionally 6, becoming variable 2 or 3 in Moray Firth later.

Slight or moderate.

Showers then fair.

Good.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southeast veering southwest 3 or 4, increasing 5 or 6.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate.

Showers, fog patches at first.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest 5 or 6, decreasing 3 or 4, becoming variable 2 or 3 later.

Moderate becoming slight.

Showers then fair.

Good.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

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

Slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest 5 or 6, decreasing 3 or 4, becoming variable 2 or 3 later.

Slight, occasionally moderate at first.

Mainly fair.

Good.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southerly or southwesterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in north at first.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest becoming variable 3 or 4.

Slight.

Fair.

Good.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southerly or southwesterly 4 or 5, increasing 6 for a time.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable, mainly southwesterly 3 or 4.

Slight.

Showers for a time.

Good.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5.

Slight or moderate.

Mainly fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly 3 or 4, becoming variable 3 or less later.

Slight.

Mainly fair.

Good.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 3 or 4, occasionally 5.

Slight or moderate.

Mainly fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest 3 or 4, becoming variable 3 or less later.

Slight.

Fair.

Good.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 4 or 5, becoming variable 3 or 4 later.

Slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable becoming south 3 or 4, occasionally 5 later.

Slight.

Showers.

Good.

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

24 hour forecast:

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

Slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or 4, becoming southeast 4 or 5 later.

Mainly slight.

Showers.

Good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 6 or 7, decreasing 4 or 5, veering west 3 or 4 later.

Moderate or rough, becoming slight or moderate.

Rain or showers, squally at first.

Good, occasionally poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West becoming variable, then becoming southeast, 3 or 4.

Slight.

Showers.

Good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 5 to 7, veering west later 4 or 5.

Moderate or rough, becoming slight or moderate.

Rain or squally showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West backing southeast 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first.

Slight, occasionally moderate at first.

Fair.

Good.

Isle of Man - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 5 or 6, occasionally 7, veering west 4 or 5 later.

Moderate, becoming slight or moderate later.

Occasional rain, fair later.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West 4 or 5, backing southwest 3 or 4, then backing south or southeast later.

Slight or moderate, becoming smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Cyclonic 4 or 5, becoming west or southwest 5 to 7.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough except in shelter.

Rain or thundery showers, fair later.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in north at first, becoming variable 3, then becoming southeasterly later 4 or 5.

Moderate becoming slight.

Mainly fair.

Good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Northeasterly becoming cyclonic, then becoming southwesterly, 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first and later.

Slight or moderate.

Rain or thundery showers.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first, becoming variable 3, then becoming southeasterly later 4 or 5.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Good.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northeasterly 5 or 6 in northwest at first, otherwise variable 3 or 4, becoming westerly 5 to 7.

Slight or moderate in east, moderate or rough in west.

Rain or thundery showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West 5 to 7, decreasing 3 or 4, backing southeast later 4 or 5.

Moderate, occasionally rough at first, becoming slight or moderate.

Showers becoming fair.

Good.

The Minch - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northeast 5 to 7, becoming variable 3 or 4, then becoming southwest 4 or 5, occasionally 6 later.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough in north.

Rain or thundery showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest 4 or 5, occasionally 6, backing southeast 4 or 5 later.

Slight or moderate.

Rain or showers, becoming fair.

Good, occasionally moderate at first.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

North or northeast 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8, becoming cyclonic 3 or 4, then becoming west or southwest later, 5 or 6.

Moderate or rough, becoming very rough in far west for a time.

Rain or thundery showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest 4 or 5, occasionally 6, backing southeast 4 or 5 later.

Moderate.

Rain or showers, becoming fair.

Good, occasionally moderate at first.

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

Valid Sunday 03 Aug 2014 at 0600 UTC until Sunday 03 Aug 2014 at 1800 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

Low pressure over northern UK drifts north.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle: Northeasterly Gale Force 8 in force.

Easterly or northeasterly 5 to 7, perhaps gale 8 at first in west, veering southeasterly 4 or 5.

Moderate, occasionally rough in west at first.
Rain or thundery showers at first.
Good, occasionally poor at first.

Outlook for 12 Hours from 1800 UTC on Sunday 03 Aug until 0600 UTC on Monday 04 Aug:

Southeast 4 or 5 increasing 6 or 7.
Moderate.
Isolated showers later.
Mainly good.

Channel Islands

24 hour forecast:

West to southwest 3 to 4, becoming variable or northwest 2 near the brittany coast this afternoon.

Slight.

Risk of a shower Sunday morning.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest 2 to 3 becoming variable 1 to 3 Monday afternoon, then mainly southerly overnight.

Smooth or slight.

Risk of showers overnight.

Good.

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