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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 0000 UTC Friday 02 June to 0000 UTC Saturday 03 June 2023

General Situation

High pressure remains slow-moving over the northeastern Atlantic during the next couple of days. As a consequence settled conditions will prevail across the United Kingdom, although strong northeasterly winds will continue to affect some southern areas, especially the Strait of Dover.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney

24 hour forecast:

Easterly veering southeasterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first in north, then becoming variable 2 to 4 later.

Slight or moderate until later to the north and west of Orkney and near Rattray Head, but elsewhere smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable, mainly northerly, 2 to 4.

Smooth or slight.

Mainly fair.

Good, occasionally poor in north.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed

24 hour forecast:

North or northeast, becoming variable, 2 to 4.

Slight, occasionally moderate further offshore until later.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 2 to 4.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby

24 hour forecast:

North or northeast 3 or 4, becoming variable 3 or less later.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable, mainly east, 3 or less.

Slight, occasionally moderate at first in south.

Fair.

Good.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point

24 hour forecast:

Northerly or northeasterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeasterly 3 or 4, decreasing 2 at times in north.

Slight, occasionally moderate at first.

Fair.

Good.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in south.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first in south, decreasing 3 at times in north.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Good.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Easterly or northeasterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 in east, decreasing 4 at times in west.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeasterly 4 to 6, veering easterly 3 or 4 for a time in far west.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Good.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Easterly or northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in south, becoming variable 2 to 4 for a time.

Slight or moderate, occasionally smooth in the solent.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeasterly 4 or 5, becoming variable 3 or 4 in west.

Slight or moderate, becoming smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Easterly or northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in south, decreasing 2 or 3 later.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable mainly northeasterly 2 to 4, becoming easterly or northeasterly 5 for a

time in south.
Slight or moderate, occasionally smooth in lyme bay.
Fair.
Good.

Lands End to St Davids Head including the Bristol Channel - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Easterly or northeasterly 3 to 5, occasionally variable 2 near Cornwall and in northwest, increasing 6 at times elsewhere.
Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate in west.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Easterly or northeasterly 3 to 5, occasionally 6 at first in Bristol Channel and severn estuary, becoming variable 2 at times elsewhere.
Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate at first.
Fair.
Good.

St Davids Head to Great Orme Head, including St Georges Channel
24 hour forecast:
East, backing north at times, 3 to 5, occasionally variable 2 in Cardigan Bay and caernarfon bay.
Smooth or slight.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
North or northeast, veering east for a time, 3 to 5, occasionally variable 2 in Cardigan Bay and caernarfon bay.
Smooth or slight.
Fair.
Good.

Great Orme Head to the Mull of Galloway
24 hour forecast:
East or northeast 3 to 5, becoming variable 2 to 4 at times.
Smooth or slight.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable 2 to 4.
Smooth or slight.
Fair.
Good.

Isle of Man
24 hour forecast:
East or northeast 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times, becoming variable 3 or less.
Smooth or slight.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable 3 or less, increasing 4 at times.
Smooth or slight.
Fair.

Good.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough

24 hour forecast:

East or southeast 3 to 5, becoming variable 2 to 4.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or less, increasing 4 at times.

Smooth, occasionally slight.

Fair.

Good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Easterly or southeasterly 3 to 5, becoming variable 2 to 4.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or less, increasing 4 at times.

Smooth, occasionally slight.

Fair.

Good.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point

24 hour forecast:

Variable 2 to 4, becoming south or southeast 3 to 5 for a time.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or less, becoming north or northwest 2 to 4 at times.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good.

The Minch

24 hour forecast:

Variable, mainly northeast, 2 to 4.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North or northeast 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times.

Smooth or slight.

Mainly fair.

Good, occasionally poor later.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath

24 hour forecast:

Variable, mainly northeast, 2 to 4.

Slight, occasionally smooth between barra and canna.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North or northeast 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times.

Slight, occasionally smooth between barra and canna.

Mainly fair.

Good, occasionally poor later.

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

Valid Friday 02 Jun 2023 at 0000 UTC until Friday 02 Jun 2023 at 1200 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

High pressure covers Shetland waters.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle at time of issue: Nil.

North or northeast 3 or 4 becoming variable 3 or less.

Slight or moderate

Fair

Good

Outlook for 12 Hours from 1200 UTC on Friday 02 Jun until 0000 UTC on Saturday 03 Jun:

Variable 3 or less becoming west 3 or 4

Slight or moderate

Fair

Good

Channel Islands - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northeast to east 4 to 6 with gusts to 35kt, generally decreasing 4 to 5 from mid-afternoon.

Moderate to rather rough, locally slight in southeast, becoming slight to moderate in afternoon.

Fine, occasionally cloudy.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeast to east 4 to 5.

Slight to moderate, perhaps locally rather rough in far northeast at first.

Fine, occasionally cloudy.

Good.

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