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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 0000 UTC Tuesday 02 December to 0000 UTC Wednesday 03 December
2014

General Situation

A ridge of high pressure will extend east across the United Kingdom, with fronts over central and southeastern areas moving very slowly southeast, but not clearing the far southeast until later on Wednesday.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Westerly backing southwesterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 in north.

Rough or very rough in northwest, slight or moderate in east.

Showers, squally in north, becoming mainly fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 in north, decreasing 4 in Moray Firth.

Rough or very rough in northwest, slight or moderate in east.

Occasional rain or drizzle in northwest.

Good, occasionally moderate in northwest.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northwest 5 or 6, backing west 4 or 5.

Moderate becoming slight.

Rain at first, then fair.

Moderate becoming good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West backing southwest 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times.

Slight.

Fair.

Good.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northerly or northwesterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 in south, backing westerly or northwesterly later, 3 or 4.

Slight, becoming moderate for a time.

Rain at first, then fair.

Moderate becoming good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly backing southwesterly, becoming variable later in south, 3 or 4.

Slight, becoming smooth later.

Fair.

Good.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West or northwest 3 or 4, veering north 6 to gale 8, then veering northeast 5 or 6 later.

Slight, becoming moderate or rough.

Occasional rain, becoming fair.

Moderate, occasionally poor, becoming good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeast 5 or 6, decreasing 3 or 4.

Moderate becoming slight.

Mainly fair.
Good.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northerly or northeasterly 3 or 4, increasing 5 to 7.
Slight becoming moderate, occasionally rough in north.
Occasional rain or drizzle.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeasterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 at first.
Moderate, occasionally rough.
Occasional rain or drizzle.
Moderate or good.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northerly veering northeasterly 4 or 5, increasing 5 to 7, perhaps gale 8 in east later.
Slight becoming moderate, occasionally rough in east later.
Occasional rain or drizzle.
Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeasterly 6 or 7, perhaps gale 8 at first, decreasing 4 or 5 later.
Moderate, occasionally rough in east, becoming slight or moderate later.
Occasional rain or drizzle.
Moderate or good.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

North 4 or 5, increasing 6 or 7.
Slight, becoming moderate offshore.
Occasional rain or drizzle for a time.
Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North veering northeast, 5 to 7.
Slight or moderate.
Occasional rain or drizzle in east, mainly fair in west.
Moderate or good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Northerly veering northeasterly, 3 or 4 in east at first, otherwise 6 or 7, occasionally gale 8 in west.
Slight at first in east, otherwise moderate or rough, but very rough in far west for a time.
Rain for a time, showers later in far west.
Good, occasionally moderate for a time.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeasterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 until later.
Moderate or rough.
Showers in far west, otherwise fair.
Good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Northwesterly 3 or 4 in east at first, otherwise northerly veering northeasterly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 in west.
Slight in far east, otherwise moderate or rough.
Rain for a time.

Good, becoming moderate for a time.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeasterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 at first, decreasing 4 or 5 later.

Slight or moderate, but rough at first in west.

Showers near St Davids Head, otherwise fair.

Good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Northerly 6 or 7, occasionally gale 8 at first, veering northeasterly 5 or 6 later.

Moderate or rough, becoming slight later in north.

Rain at first, then showers.

Good, occasionally moderate at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeasterly 5 or 6, decreasing 3 or 4, veering easterly later.

Slight or moderate, becoming smooth in north.

Showers in west.

Good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Northwest veering north 5 to 7, decreasing 3 or 4 later.

Moderate or rough, becoming slight.

Rain at first.

Moderate or poor, becoming good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North 4, becoming variable 3 or less.

Slight becoming smooth.

Mainly fair.

Good.

Isle of Man - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northwest 6 or 7, veering north 4 or 5, decreasing 3 or 4 later.

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

Rain or drizzle at first, then mainly fair.

Moderate or poor at first, becoming mainly good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North 3 or 4, becoming variable 3 or less.

Slight or moderate, becoming smooth or slight.

Showers.

Good.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northwesterly 5 to 7, decreasing 3 or 4.

Moderate or rough, becoming slight in southeast.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly or northwesterly backing southwesterly, then becoming variable later in south, 3 or 4.

Moderate or rough in north, smooth or slight in southeast.

Occasional rain in northwest.

Good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Northwesterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 in North Channel at first, backing westerly 3 or 4 later.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough near Mull of Kintyre.

Mainly fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly backing southwesterly 3 or 4.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough near Mull of Kintyre.

Mainly fair.

Good.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northwest 5 or 6, occasionally 7 at first, backing west 4 or 5.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough later in far northwest.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly backing southwesterly, 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in northwest.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in northwest.

Rain or showers.

Mainly good.

The Minch - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Westerly or northwesterly backing southwesterly, 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.

Slight or moderate, becoming rough in far south and rough or very rough in far north.

Squally showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 in north.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in far north.

Showers.

Good.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Westerly backing southwesterly later, 5 or 6, occasionally 7 at first and in north later.

Rough, becoming very rough.

Squally showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 in north.

Very rough.

Showers.

Good.

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

Valid Tuesday 02 Dec 2014 at 0000 UTC until Tuesday 02 Dec 2014 at 1200 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

A fresh to strong westerly flow covers Shetland waters.

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

Westerly 5 to 7.

Rough.

Showers, occasionally wintry.

Mainly good.

Outlook for 12 Hours from 1200 UTC on Tuesday 02 Dec until 0000 UTC on Wednesday 03 Dec:

Westerly 6 or 7, perhaps occasional gale 8 later.

Rough or very rough.

Isolated rain showers.

Good.

Channel Islands - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

North to northeast 4 to 5, increasing 5 to 6 by dawn and 6 to 7 by midday, perhaps locally gale 8.

Slight to moderate, increasing moderate to rather rough, then rather rough to rough by midday.

Occasional rain or drizzle.

Moderate, locally poor at times.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North to northeast 6 to 7, perhaps locally gale 8 at first, decreasing 5 to 6 during the afternoon, locally 4 in the south later.

Rather rough or rough, decreasing rather rough in the north to moderate in the south late Wednesday evening.

Occasional rain.

Moderate to good, occasionally poor.

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