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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 1200 UTC Sunday 05 July to 1200 UTC Monday 06 July 2020

General Situation

A deep area of low pressure over southern Norway will move away eastwards, but will leave the United Kingdom in a very strong and showery westerly or northwesterly airflow. A ridge of high pressure will build from the southwest through Monday and Tuesday, allowing things to quieten down in most areas.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West 4 to 6, veering northwest 5 or 6, occasionally 7 later.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough later except in Moray Firth.

Occasional rain or showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly or northwesterly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 at first in north, decreasing 3 or 4 later.

Slight or moderate becoming smooth or slight later in Moray Firth, otherwise moderate or rough becoming slight or moderate later.

Showers.

Good.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Westerly or southwesterly, veering northwesterly later, 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 at first in south, then decreasing 4 later in south.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough later near Rattray Head.

Showers, thundery at first.

Mainly good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northwesterly backing westerly, 4 to 6, becoming variable 3 or less later in north.

Moderate or rough until later near Rattray Head, otherwise slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West or southwest 6 to gale 8, veering northwest 4 or 5 later.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough offshore.

Showers, thundery at first.

Mainly good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North or northwest 4 or 5, becoming variable 3 or less, then west 4 or 5.

Mainly moderate.

Mainly fair.

Good.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West or southwest 6 or 7, increasing gale 8 for a time, then veering northwest 4 or 5 later.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough later in north.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northwest 4 or 5, becoming variable 3 or 4, then west 4 or 5.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough in north.

Showers at first.

Good.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Westerly or southwesterly 6 or 7, increasing gale 8 at times, veering northwesterly 4 to 6 later.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough later in northeast.

Showers, mainly in north.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly or northwesterly 4 to 6, becoming variable 3 or 4, then westerly or southwesterly 4 or 5 later.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough at first in northeast, becoming smooth or slight in south.

Showers, fair for a time.

Good.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Westerly or southwesterly 6 or 7, occasionally gale 8 in east, veering westerly or northwesterly 4 or 5 later.

Moderate or rough, becoming slight or moderate later.

Mainly fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly or northwesterly, backing southwesterly later, 3 to 5.

Slight or moderate, becoming smooth or slight later.

Fair.

Good.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West or southwest 5 to 7, veering northwest 4 or 5 later.

Moderate or rough, becoming slight or moderate later.

Mainly fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or northwest, backing southwest later, 3 to 5.

Slight or moderate, becoming smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good.

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

24 hour forecast:

West 5 to 7, veering northwest 4 or 5 later.

Mainly rough west of Lizard Point, otherwise slight or moderate.

Showers for a time.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northwest, backing southwest later, 3 to 5.

Rough at first in far southwest, otherwise slight or moderate, becoming smooth or slight later east of the Lizard peninsula.

Fair.

Good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Westerly 6 or 7, occasionally gale 8 north and east of lundy, veering northwesterly 4 or 5 later.

Rough, occasionally very rough at first in west, becoming mainly moderate later. Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northwest backing west, then southwesterly later, 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in Bristol Channel.

Moderate, occasionally slight in north.

Fair.

Good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Southwest veering west, 6 or 7, increasing gale 8 at times, then veering northwest 4 or 5 later.

Moderate or rough, becoming moderate later.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northwest, backing west or southwest, 3 to 5.

Slight or moderate, becoming smooth or slight in north.

Showers at first, rain later.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

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

24 hour forecast:

Southwest veering west, 6 to gale 8, then veering northwest 5 or 6 later.

Moderate or rough, becoming slight or moderate later.

Showers, thundery at first, fair later.

Mainly good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or northwest 5 or 6, decreasing 3 or 4, then backing southwest 4 or 5 later.

Slight or moderate, becoming smooth or slight.

Showers.

Good.

Isle of Man - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 6 or 7, veering west 5 or 6, then northwest 4 or 5 later.

Moderate or rough, becoming mainly moderate later.

Showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northwest 4 or 5, becoming variable 3 or less, then southwest 3 or 4 later.

Slight or moderate, becoming slight.

Rain later.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest veering west, 6 to gale 8, then veering northwest 4 to 6 later.

Moderate or rough, becoming slight or moderate south of rathlin island.

Showers, thundery at first.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly or northwesterly, backing southwesterly later, 3 to 5, occasionally 6

at first in North Channel.

Moderate or rough at first west of Rathlin Island, otherwise slight or moderate, becoming smooth or slight in east.

Showers, occasional rain later.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

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

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly veering northwesterly, 6 to gale 8, decreasing 4 to 6 later.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough until later.

Showers, thundery at first.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northwesterly backing westerly, then southwesterly later, 3 to 5, occasionally 6 at first in North Channel.

Slight or moderate, becoming smooth or slight later.

Showers.

Mainly good.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest veering northwest, 6 to gale 8, decreasing 4 or 5 later.

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

Showers, thundery at first.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or northwest 4 or 5, becoming variable 3 or 4 later.

Moderate or rough, becoming slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

The Minch - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West or southwest 4 or 5, veering northwest 5 to 7, then backing west 4 to 6 later.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough for a time in far north and in far south.

Showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

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

Slight or moderate, becoming smooth or slight later in central waters.

Showers.

Good.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West or southwest 4 or 5, veering northwest 5 to 7, then backing west 4 to 6 later.

Moderate or rough, becoming rough or very rough for a time.

Showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 at first in north, becoming variable 3 or 4 later.

Moderate or rough, becoming moderate later.

Showers.

Good.

For Coastal areas up to 60 nautical miles from Lerwick, Shetland
Valid Sunday 05 Jul 2020 at 1200 UTC until Monday 06 Jul 2020 at 0000 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

A strong, showery northwesterly flow will become established over Shetland waters over the next 24 hours

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

Northerly or northwesterly, 3 or 4, increasing 5 or 6, occasionally 7 in west later

Moderate becoming rough in north and west

Occasional rain or showers

Moderate or good

Outlook for 12 Hours from 0000 UTC on Monday 06 Jul until 1200 UTC on Monday 06 Jul:

Northwest 5 to 7

Rough but very rough in east for a time

Showers

Mainly good

Channel Islands - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Westerly 4 to 6, perhaps locally 7 mid-channel this evening, veering northwesterly after midnight, decreasing 4 to 5 later.

Rather rough to rough in the west and north, moderate in the south and east, with a low swell.

Occasional drizzle, mist and fog patches in the far south, soon clearing risk of isolated showers overnight and Monday morning.

Moderate to very poor in the south at first, otherwise good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northwesterly 3 to 5, decreasing 2 to 3 overnight, perhaps locally variable later.

Occasionally rather rough in the west at first, otherwise slight to moderate with a low swell, occasionally smooth later.

Fair or fine.

Good.

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