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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore from 0600 UTC to 0600 UTC

General Situation

Frontal trough moves southeastwards to clear all areas by midday, followed by showers for most areas, some squally. More fronts reach the west Wednesday night to affect all areas on Thursday, the fronts becoming slow moving later over southern England. Gales or severe gales in many areas with a risk of storm force winds in the northwest.

From Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney

24 hour forecast:

Southerly veering southwesterly 5 to 7, later veering westerly 7 to severe gale 9, perhaps storm 10.

Rain or squally showers.

Moderate or good.

Rough or very rough, perhaps high in far north later, but mainly moderate in western Moray Firth.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8, backing southerly 4 or 5 for a time, increasing 7 to severe gale 9 later.

Rain or squally showers.

Moderate or good.

Rough or very rough, occasionally high in north, but mainly moderate in Moray Firth.

Rattray Head to Berwick on Tweed

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8, veering west 6 to gale 8 for a time, perhaps severe gale 9 later.

Rain in south at first then squally showers, becoming mainly fair later.

Moderate or good.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in north later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest 5 to 7 increasing gale 8 or severe gale 9, perhaps storm 10 later, backing south 4 or 5 for a time.

Rain or squally showers.

Moderate or good.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in north.

Berwick on Tweed to Whitby

24 hour forecast:

South or southwest, veering west for a time, 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8, perhaps severe gale 9 in north later.

Rain then squally showers, becoming fair later.

Moderate or good.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in north later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southwest, veering west for a time, 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8.

Rain or squally showers.

Moderate or good.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in north.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8.
Rain then showers, becoming fair later.
Moderate or good.
Moderate or rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southwest veering west 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8,
decreasing 4 or 5 later.
Rain or showers.
Moderate or good.
Moderate or rough.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8.
Rain then showers, becoming fair later.
Moderate or good.
Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in east.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8, increasing severe gale 9
in south at times, veering westerly 3 or 4 in north later.
Rain or squally showers.
Moderate or good.
Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in south.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill

24 hour forecast:

Southwest, veering west for a time, 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8.
Rain then squally showers, becoming fair later.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor in rain.
Rough or very rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly 5 to 7 increasing 7 or gale 8, occasionally severe gale
9.
Rain at times.
Good becoming moderate or poor.
Rough or very rough, occasionally high later.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis

24 hour forecast:

Southwest, veering west for a time, 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 at
first.
Rain or squally showers, becoming fair for a time.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor in rain.
Rough or very rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest 5 to 7 increasing 7 or gale 8, occasionally severe gale 9.
Rain.
Moderate or poor.
Rough or very rough, occasionally high in east later.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly

24 hour forecast:

Southwest, veering west for a time, 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8.
Rain or squally showers, becoming fair for a time.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor in rain.
Rough or very rough, occasionally high in west.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest 6 to gale 8 veering west 7 to severe gale 9.

Rain.
Moderate or poor, occasionally very poor.
Rough or very rough, occasionally high in west.

Lands End to St Davids Head including the Bristol Channel
24 hour forecast:
Southwest, veering west for a time, 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8.
Squally showers dying out, rain later.
Mainly good, becoming moderate or poor later.
Rough or very rough, occasionally high in west.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West or southwest 6 to gale 8, occasionally severe gale 9.
Rain at times.
Moderate or poor, occasionally very poor.
Rough or very rough, occasionally high in west.

St Davids Head to Great Ormes Head, including St Georges Channel
24 hour forecast:
Southwest, veering west for a time, 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8.
Squally showers dying out, rain later.
Mainly good, becoming moderate or poor later.
Rough or very rough, occasionally high in St Georges Channel.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Southwest 6 to gale 8, occasionally severe gale 9, veering west 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8.
Rain at times, showers in north later.
Moderate or poor, becoming good in north.
Rough or very rough, occasionally high in west.

Great Ormes Head to the Mull of Galloway
24 hour forecast:
Southwest, veering west for a time, 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8.
Squally showers dying out, rain later.
Mainly good, becoming moderate or poor later.
Rough or very rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
South or southwest veering west or northwest 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8.
Rain then squally showers.
Moderate or poor, becoming mainly good later.
Rough or very rough.

Isle of Man
24 hour forecast:
South or southwest, veering west for a time, 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8.
Showers then rain.
Good becoming moderate, occasionally poor later.
Rough or very rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Southwest veering west 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8.
Rain then showers.
Moderate, occasionally poor, becoming mainly good.
Rough or very rough.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough
24 hour forecast:
South or southwest 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8, veering west 7 to severe gale 9 for a time, later decreasing 4 or 5, occasionally 6.
Squally showers dying out, rain later.

Mainly good, becoming moderate or poor later.
Rough or very rough, occasionally high in north later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
South or southwest veering west or northwest 5 to 7 increasing 6 to gale 8, occasionally severe gale 9.
Rain then squally showers.
Moderate or poor becoming mainly good.
Rough or very rough, occasionally high in north.

The Mull of Galloway to Mull of Kintyre including the Firth of Clyde and the North Channel
24 hour forecast:
South or southwest, 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8, veering west 7 to severe gale 9 for a time.
Squally showers dying out, rain later.
Mainly good, becoming moderate or poor later.
Rough or very rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
South or southwest veering west 5 to 7, increasing 6 to gale 8, occasionally severe gale 9.
Rain or showers.
Moderate or good.
Rough or very rough.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point
24 hour forecast:
South or southwest 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8, veering west for a time 7 to severe gale 9, occasionally storm 10.
Squally showers dying out, rain later.
Mainly good, becoming moderate or poor later.
Rough or very rough increasing very rough or high.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Southerly veering westerly 5 to 7 increasing 6 to gale 8, occasionally severe gale 9, perhaps storm 10 in north later.
Rain or showers.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor in rain.
Very rough or high.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath including the Outer Hebrides
24 hour forecast:
Southwest 6 to gale 8, occasionally severe gale 9, veering west gale 8 to storm 10, later backing south or southeast 5 to 7.
Squally showers dying out, rain later.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.
Very rough or high, occasionally very high in west later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
South or southeast 5 to 7 veering west or northwest 7 to severe gale 9, perhaps storm 10 later.
Rain or squally showers.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor in rain.
Very rough or high.

Shetland Isles
24 hour forecast:
South or southwest 5 to 7, later veering west or northwest 6 to gale 8, occasionally severe gale 9.
Rain or squally showers.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.
Rough or very rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly 6 to gale 8, occasionally severe gale 9, backing southeasterly 4 or 5 for a time.

Rain or squally showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor in rain.

Rough or very rough, occasionally high in south.

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