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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore from 0001 UTC to 2359 UTC

General Situation

Pressure will remain low just north of Scotland for the next couple of days, with strong winds and gales for many areas of the United Kingdom.

From Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Cyclonic becoming west 6 to gale 8, occasionally severe gale 9 at first, backing southeast 4 or 5 later.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough at first.

Rain then squally showers.

Moderate or poor becoming good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southeast 4 or 5, increasing 6 to gale 8, veering southwest 4 or 5 later.

Moderate or rough.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good.

Rattray Head to Berwick on Tweed - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West 7 to severe gale 9, decreasing 5 or 6, backing south 5 or 6.

Rough becoming slight or moderate.

Showers, rain at first.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South 5 or 6, backing southeast 6 to gale 8, veering southwest 4 or 5 later.

Slight or moderate.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good.

Berwick on Tweed to Whitby - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West 6 to gale 8, decreasing 4 or 5, backing south 5 or 6 later.

Moderate or rough becoming slight.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South 5 or 6, increasing 7 or gale 8 for a time, veering west or southwest 4 or 5 later.

Slight or moderate.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 6 to gale 8, veering west 5 or 6, backing south 4 or 5 later.

Moderate becoming slight.

Mainly fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South 4 or 5, increasing 6 or 7, veering west 5 or 6 later.

Slight or moderate.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly veering westerly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first in north, backing southerly 4 later.

Slight occasionally moderate at first.

Showers at first in south.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southerly 4, increasing 5 to 7, veering westerly 5 or 6 later.

Slight or moderate.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first, backing southerly later.

Rough becoming moderate.

Showers, rain later.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southerly 4 or 5, increasing 6 for a time, veering westerly or southwesterly 5 to 7.

Moderate becoming rough.

Rain or squally showers.

Moderate or good.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West or southwest 5 to 7.

Rough becoming moderate.

Squally showers, rain later.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest 6 to gale 8, occasionally 5 at first.

Moderate becoming rough.

Rain or squally showers.

Moderate or good.

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

24 hour forecast:

West or southwest 6 to gale 8.

Rough or very rough.

Squally showers, rain later.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest 6 to gale 8.

Rough or very rough, occasionally high later in west.

Rain or squally showers.

Moderate or good.

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

24 hour forecast:

West 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 at first, backing southwest 4 or 5, veering west 6 to gale 8 later.

Rough occasionally very rough in southwest.

Squally showers, rain later.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West 5 to 7 occasionally gale 8.
Rough or very rough.
Rain or squally showers.
Moderate or good.

St Davids Head to Great Ormes Head, including St Georges Channel - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
West 5 or 6, backing south 4 or 5, veering southwest 5 or 6 later.
Moderate or rough.
Squally showers, rain later.
Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Southwest 5 or 6, veering west 5 to 7.
Moderate or rough.
Rain or squally showers.
Moderate or good.

Great Ormes Head to the Mull of Galloway - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
West 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 at first.
Moderate or rough.
Squally showers, rain later.
Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West or southwest 5 to 7, increasing gale 8 at times.
Moderate or rough.
Rain or squally showers.
Moderate or good.

Isle of Man - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
West 5 or 6, occasionally 7 at first, backing southwest 4 or 5 later.
Moderate occasionally rough at first.
Showers, rain later.
Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Southwest 5 or 6, occasionally 4 at first, occasionally 7 later.
Moderate occasionally rough later.
Rain or showers.
Moderate or good.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
West 6 to gale 8, backing southwest 5 or 6.
Slight or moderate, occasionally rough in north.
Squally showers, rain later.
Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West or southwest 5 to 7.
Slight or moderate, occasionally rough in north.
Rain or squally showers.
Moderate or good.

The Mull of Galloway to Mull of Kintyre including the Firth of Clyde and the North Channel - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
West 6 to gale 8, backing southwest 5 or 6.
Slight or moderate, occasionally rough in north.
Squally showers, rain later.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest 5 to 7.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough in north.

Rain or squally showers.

Moderate or good.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West 6 to gale 8, backing south 5 or 6.

Rough becoming very rough for a time.

Squally showers, rain at first.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South veering west or southwest 5 to 7.

Rough occasionally very rough later.

Rain or squally showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath including the Outer Hebrides - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northwest 6 to gale 8, backing south 5 or 6.

Rough.

Squally showers, rain at first.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South 5 or 6, veering southwest 4 or 5.

Rough becoming very rough later.

Rain or squally showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

The Minch - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northwest 6 to gale 8, backing south 5 or 6.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough in south and far north.

Squally showers, rain at first.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South 5 or 6, veering southwest 4 or 5.

Moderate or rough, occasionally slight near portree, occasionally very rough later in far south.

Rain or squally showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

The Channel Islands - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West 6 or 7 locally gale 8 at first, veering northwest 5 to 6 by dawn, backing southwest 4 to 5 by

evening then south, veering west 5 to 6 by midnight.

Very rough slowly moderating.

Scattered showers with a risk of thunder, then rain by evening, possibly heavy.

Good except in showers becoming moderate to poor in rain.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West 6 to gale 8.

Rough or very rough.

Rain, perhaps heavy at times, clearing to scattered showers during Tuesday afternoon.

Moderate to poor becoming good except in showers.

For Coastal areas up to 60 nautical miles from Lerwick, Shetland
Valid Monday 02 Nov 2009 at 0000 UTC until Monday 02 Nov 2009 at 1200 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

A deep depression centred off northeast Scotland will move north and run over Shetland during Monday morning.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle: Easterly severe gale 9

East or northeast 7 to severe gale 9 becoming cyclonic 6 to gale 8.
Rough or very rough, but occasionally high in east and through the Fair Isle gap.
Occasionally heavy rain.
Moderate or poor.

Outlook for 12 Hours from 1200 UTC on Monday 02 Nov until 0000 UTC on Tuesday 03 Nov:

Cyclonic 6 to gale 8 becoming west or southwest and decreasing 5 to 7.
Rough, occasionally very rough at first.
Rain then occasional showers.
Moderate or poor becoming mostly good.

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