

AND NOW THE SHIPPING FORECAST ISSUED BY THE MET OFFICE,
ON BEHALF OF THE MARITIME AND COASTGUARD AGENCY, AT 1725
UTC ON THURSDAY 03 DECEMBER 2015 FOR THE PERIOD 1800 UTC
THURSDAY 03 DECEMBER TO 1800 UTC FRIDAY 04 DECEMBER 2015

THERE ARE WARNINGS OF GALES IN ALL AREAS EXCEPT TRAFALGAR

THE GENERAL SYNOPSIS AT MIDDAY
LOW FASTNET 1004 EXPECTED SWEDEN 982 BY MIDDAY TOMORROW

THE AREA FORECASTS FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS

VIKING NORTH UTSIRE

SOUTHERLY 5 TO 7 BECOMING VARIABLE 4, THEN CYCLONIC,
MAINLY NORTHWESTERLY 5 TO 7, OCCASIONALLY GALE 8 LATER.
MODERATE OR ROUGH, BECOMING VERY ROUGH LATER. RAIN LATER.
MODERATE OR GOOD

SOUTH UTSIRE FORTIES

SOUTHWESTERLY 4 OR 5, BECOMING CYCLONIC MAINLY
NORTHWESTERLY, 7 TO SEVERE GALE 9, OCCASIONALLY STORM 10
LATER IN FORTIES. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH. RAIN OR SHOWERS.
GOOD, BECOMING MODERATE OR POOR

CROMARTY FORTH

CYCLONIC 4 OR 5, BECOMING NORTHWEST THEN WEST OR
SOUTHWEST AND INCREASING 6 TO GALE 8. MODERATE OR ROUGH.
SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

TYNE DOGGER

CYCLONIC 5 TO 7, BECOMING MAINLY WEST, 7 TO SEVERE GALE
9. MODERATE BECOMING ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH. RAIN. GOOD,
OCCASIONALLY POOR

FISHER

CYCLONIC, BECOMING MAINLY WEST, 7 TO SEVERE GALE 9,
INCREASING STORM 10, PERHAPS VIOLENT STORM 11 LATER.
MODERATE BECOMING ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH. RAIN. GOOD,
OCCASIONALLY POOR

GERMAN BIGHT HUMBER THAMES DOVER

SOUTH 6 TO GALE 8, VEERING WEST 7 TO SEVERE GALE 9 FOR A
TIME. MODERATE BECOMING ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH. RAIN. GOOD,
OCCASIONALLY POOR

WIGHT PORTLAND PLYMOUTH

SOUTH VEERING WEST OR SOUTHWEST 6 TO GALE 8. MODERATE OR
ROUGH, OCCASIONALLY VERY ROUGH. RAIN FOR A TIME. GOOD,
OCCASIONALLY POOR

BISCAY

CYCLONIC, MAINLY NORTHWEST, 5 TO 7, OCCASIONALLY GALE 8
AT FIRST, BECOMING VARIABLE 3 OR 4 LATER. MODERATE OR
ROUGH, OCCASIONALLY VERY ROUGH. RAIN FOR A TIME. GOOD,
OCCASIONALLY POOR

FITZROY

VARIABLE 4 AT TIMES IN SOUTH, OTHERWISE CYCLONIC,
BECOMING NORTHWESTERLY 5 TO 7, BACKING SOUTHWESTERLY
LATER AND INCREASING GALE 8 IN NORTH. ROUGH OR VERY
ROUGH. RAIN. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

SOLE LUNDY FASTNET IRISH SEA

CYCLONIC, BECOMING NORTHWEST 5 TO 7, BACKING SOUTHWEST 6

TO GALE 8, OCCASIONALLY SEVERE GALE 9 IN SOLE AND IRISH SEA. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH. RAIN. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

SHANNON ROCKALL MALIN HEBRIDES

WEST 5 TO 7, BACKING SOUTHWEST 6 TO GALE 8, INCREASING SEVERE GALE 9 OR STORM 10 LATER. VERY ROUGH OR HIGH. RAIN OR SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD

BAILEY

WEST OR SOUTHWEST, BACKING SOUTH FOR A TIME, 7 TO SEVERE GALE 9, PERHAPS STORM 10 LATER. VERY ROUGH OR HIGH. RAIN OR SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD

FAIR ISLE FAEROES

SOUTHWEST 6 TO GALE 8, PERHAPS SEVERE GALE 9 LATER. VERY ROUGH OR HIGH. SHOWERS. GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

SOUTHEAST ICELAND

SOUTHWESTERLY 5 OR 6, BECOMING CYCLONIC 6 TO GALE 8, PERHAPS SEVERE GALE 9 LATER. VERY ROUGH OR HIGH. WINTRY SHOWERS. MODERATE OR POOR