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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 0600 UTC Tuesday 04 August to 0600 UTC Wednesday 05 August 2015

General Situation

A deep area of low pressure to the west of the British Isles will gradually move northwards towards Iceland as a filling feature during the next two days. A new area of low pressure will move northwards across western areas on Wednesday.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southeast veering south, 5 to 7.

Moderate or rough, becoming slight or moderate later.

Showers.

Good, occasionally poor at first in north.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southeast veering southwest later, 5 or 6, decreasing 4 at times.

Slight or moderate.

Showers, occasional rain later.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South 5 or 6, occasionally 7 for a time.

Moderate or rough, becoming slight or moderate.

Showers.

Mainly good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South 5 or 6, decreasing 4 at times.

Slight or moderate.

Rain or showers later.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South or southwest 5 or 6.

Slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southeast 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.

Slight or moderate.

Showers later.

Good.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point

24 hour forecast:

South or southwest 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times.

Mainly slight.

Mainly fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southeast 4 or 5.

Slight.

Thundery showers for a time later.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 3 or 4, increasing 5 or 6 for a time.

Smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate for a time.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly backing southeasterly 3 or 4, becoming variable 3 or less later.

Slight becoming smooth or slight.

Thundery showers for a time later.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times, backing southerly 3 or 4 later.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southerly 3 or 4, becoming variable 3 or less for a time.

Slight, occasional moderate at first and again later.

Thundery showers for a time later.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 5 or 6, backing south 3 or 4 later.

Slight or moderate.

Rain or showers later.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times.

Slight or moderate.

Occasional rain or thundery showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

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

24 hour forecast:

Southwest backing south later, 5 or 6.

Slight or moderate, but very rough becoming rough in far west.

Occasional rain or showers later.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South 5 or 6, veering northwest 4 or 5 later.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough in far west.

Rain or showers.

Good, occasionally poor.

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

24 hour forecast:

Southwest backing south later, 5 to 7.

Rough or very rough, becoming moderate or rough.

Rain or showers.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

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

Moderate or rough, becoming slight or moderate.

Rain or showers.

Good, occasionally poor.

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

24 hour forecast:

Southwest backing south later, 5 to 7.

Moderate or rough becoming slight or moderate later, but very rough at first in far south.

Rain or showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

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

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough for a time.

Rain or showers.

Good, occasionally poor.

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

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 5 to 7, backing south 4 or 5 later.

Moderate or rough, becoming slight or moderate.

Rain or showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South 4 or 5, increasing 6 or 7 for a time, becoming variable 4 later.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough for a time in northwest.

Rain or showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Isle of Man - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

South or southwest 6 or 7, occasionally gale 8 at first, decreasing 5 or 6, then 4 or 5 later.

Moderate or rough, becoming slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South 4 or 5, backing south or southeast 5 to 7, veering west or southwest 4 later.

Slight, becoming moderate for a time.

Rain or showers.

Good, occasionally moderate or poor.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 5 to 7, backing south 4 or 5 later.

Moderate or rough, becoming slight or moderate.

Rain or showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest becoming cyclonic for a time, 5 to 7, veering west 3 or 4 later.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough, then slight later.

Rain or showers.

Good, occasionally poor.

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

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 5 to 7, backing southerly 4 or 5 later.

Moderate or rough, becoming slight or moderate.

Rain or showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly becoming cyclonic for a time, 5 to 7, veering westerly 3 or 4 later.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough, then slight later.

Rain or showers.

Good, occasionally poor.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 at first.

Rough or very rough, becoming moderate or rough later.

Rain or showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southwest 5 or 6, becoming variable 4, then southwest 4 or 5 later.

Moderate or rough, becoming slight or moderate.

Rain or showers.

Good, occasionally poor.

The Minch - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southeast veering south or southwest 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough at first in south, becoming slight or moderate later.

Rain or showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southwest 5 or 6, decreasing 4 at times.

Slight or moderate, becoming smooth in shelter.

Showers, rain for a time.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southeast veering south or southwest 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8.

Moderate or rough, but very rough until later in south.

Rain or showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southwest 5 or 6, decreasing 4 at times.

Moderate or rough, becoming slight or moderate.

Showers, rain for a time.

Good, occasionally moderate.

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

Valid Tuesday 04 Aug 2015 at 0600 UTC until Tuesday 04 Aug 2015 at 1800 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

Low west of Scotland will slowly move north or northeast towards west of Faeroes during Tuesday and Wednesday.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle: Nil

South or southeast 5 to 7.

Moderate or rough.

Mainly fair, with occasional fog patches.

Good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for 12 Hours from 1800 UTC on Tuesday 04 Aug until 0600 UTC on Wednesday 05 Aug:
South or southeast 5 or 6, occasionally 7 at first.
Moderate or rough.
Isolated showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Channel Islands - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Southwest to west 4 to 5, locally 6 mid-channel in the morning, then locally variable 1 to 3 in the south of the area late afternoon, becoming generally southerly 2 to 4 by midnight.
Moderate to rather rough, decreasing slight this evening.
Risk of a shower at first.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Southerly 2 to 4, occasionally 5 in the afternoon and evening, especially in the north and west.
Slight to moderate with a low swell.
Occasional rain especially late morning and in the evening.
Good, occasionally moderate to poor in rain.

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