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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 0600 UTC Monday 03 October to 0600 UTC Tuesday 04 October 2011

General Situation

A rapidly deepening area of low pressure will pass close to northwestern Scotland today.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 5 or 6, increasing 7 or gale 8, occasionally severe gale 9 for a time later.

Moderate or rough, becoming very rough or high in west.

Rain then squally showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest 6 to gale 8, occasionally severe gale 9 at first.

Very rough or high.

Occasional rain or showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor in north.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 4 or 5, increasing 6 or 7, occasionally gale 8 for a time later near Rattray Head.

Moderate, becoming rough or very rough.

Rain then squally showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 at first near Rattray Head.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in north.

Occasional rain or showers.

Moderate or good.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 3 or 4, increasing 5 or 6.

Slight or moderate.

Occasional rain then showers.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest 5 or 6.

Slight or moderate.

Occasional rain or showers.

Moderate or good.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 3 or 4, occasionally 5 later.

Slight or moderate.

Occasional rain for a time.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest, 4 or 5.

Slight or moderate.

Mainly fair, rain later.

Moderate or good.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Southwesterly 3 or 4, increasing 5 or 6 later.
Slight or moderate.
Occasional rain or drizzle later.
Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Westerly or southwesterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first.
Slight or moderate.
Mainly fair.
Moderate or good.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Southwesterly 3 or 4, increasing 5 or 6 later.
Slight or moderate.
Occasional rain or drizzle later.
Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Westerly or southwesterly, 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first.
Slight or moderate.
Occasional rain or drizzle.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis
24 hour forecast:
Southwest 2 or 3, increasing 4 or 5.
Slight or moderate.
Occasional rain or drizzle later.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West or southwest, 4 or 5.
Slight or moderate.
Occasional rain or drizzle.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly
24 hour forecast:
Southwest 3, increasing 4 or 5.
Slight or moderate.
Fog patches at first, occasional rain or drizzle later.
Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West or southwest, 4 or 5.
Slight or moderate.
Occasional rain or drizzle.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Lands End to St Davids Head including the Bristol Channel - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Southwest 4 or 5, occasionally 6 for a time near St Davids Head.
Slight or moderate.
Occasional rain or drizzle, fog patches at first.
Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West or southwest, 4 or 5.
Slight or moderate.
Occasional rain or drizzle.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

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

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 3 or 4, increasing 5 or 6, occasionally 7 for a time near Anglesey.
Slight or moderate.

Occasional rain, fog patches, fair later.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor for a time.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first.

Moderate.

Mainly fair, occasional rain or drizzle later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor later.

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

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 3 or 4, increasing 5 to 7.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough later in north.

Occasional rain, fog patches, fair later.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor for a time.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

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

Moderate.

Mainly fair, occasional rain later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor later.

Isle of Man - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 3 or 4, increasing 5 or 6.

Slight or moderate.

Occasional drizzle with fog patches, then showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor for a time.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

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

Moderate.

Mainly fair, occasional rain later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor later.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 3 or 4, increasing 5 to 7.

Moderate, becoming rough or very rough in northwest.

Rain then showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest 5 to 7, decreasing 4 at times.

Moderate in southeast, rough or very rough in northwest.

Occasional rain or showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

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

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 3 or 4, increasing 5 to 7.

Moderate, becoming rough or very rough.

Rain then showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Westerly or southwesterly 5 to 7, decreasing 4 at times.

Rough or very rough.
Occasional rain or showers.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:
Southwest 4 or 5, increasing 6 to gale 8.
Rough, becoming very rough or high.
Rain then squally showers.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest 6 to gale 8, decreasing 5 at times later.
Very rough or high.
Occasional rain or showers.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

The Minch - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:
Southwest 7 or gale 8, increasing severe gale 9 for a time.
Moderate, becoming rough or very rough.
Rain then squally showers.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest 7 or gale 8, decreasing 5 or 6.
Rough or very rough.
Occasional rain or squally showers.
Moderate or good.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:
Southwesterly 7 to severe gale 9, increasing storm 10 for a time west of Lewis.
Rough, becoming very rough or high.
Rain then squally showers.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or southwest gale 8 or severe gale 9, decreasing 5 to 7.
Very rough or high.
Occasional rain or squally showers.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

For Coastal areas up to 60 nautical miles from Lerwick, Shetland
Valid Monday 03 Oct 2011 at 0600 UTC until Monday 03 Oct 2011 at 1800 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

A mobile airflow has become established across Shetland. Fronts embedded in this flow will bring rain, at times.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle: Southwesterly gale force 8, increasing violent storm force 11 later, issued 2150 on Sunday.

Southerly or southwesterly 5 to 7 increasing gale 8 to storm 10.
Moderate or rough becoming very rough or high in north and west.
Rain then showers.
Moderate or good.

Outlook for 12 Hours from 1800 UTC on Monday 03 Oct until 0600 UTC on Tuesday 04 Oct:

Westerly or southwesterly gale 8 or severe gale 9.
Very rough or high, occasionally rough in east.
Blustery showers.
Moderate or good.

Channel Islands

24 hour forecast:

South 3 to 4, veering southwest to west 4 to 5 in the afternoon.

Slight becoming moderate in the afternoon.

Mist and fog patches with occasional drizzle by early evening.

Good, becoming moderate to very poor by early evening.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West to southwest 3 to 4, occasionally 5.

Slight to moderate.

Some mist and fog patches with occasional drizzle, especially Tuesday.

Moderate to very poor.

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