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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore  
for the period 1200 UTC Wednesday 01 July to 1200 UTC Thursday 02 July 2015

#### General Situation

A very warm or hot and humid southerly airflow will bring sporadic thundery showers northwards across the country through the remainder of today and Thursday. Fresher and more settled conditions will develop across western areas later on Thursday.

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

24 hour forecast:

Southeasterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 in east, becoming variable 2 or 3 later.

Slight or moderate.

Thundery showers, fog patches developing in northwest.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor in northwest.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 2 or 3 becoming southeasterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 later in north.

Slight, occasionally moderate later in north.

Thundery showers at first, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

#### Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

East or southeast 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first, becoming variable 2, then southwest 3 or 4 later.

Slight or moderate.

Thundery showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southwest 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first, becoming variable 2 or 3.

Slight or moderate, becoming slight.

Thundery showers then fair.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

#### Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southeast 5 or 6 decreasing 3 or 4, then veering southwest later.

Slight or moderate, becoming slight later.

Thundery showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable mainly southwest 2 or 3, increasing 4 at times.

Slight.

Thundery showers then fair.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

#### Whitby to Gibraltar Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southeast 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first, veering southwest 3 or 4 later.

Slight or moderate, becoming slight later.

Thundery showers.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest 3 or 4 becoming variable 2 or 3.

Slight.

Thundery showers then fair.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southeasterly veering southwesterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first in north, decreasing 3 at times later.

Slight or moderate, becoming slight.

Thundery showers.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first, becoming variable 3 or less, then easterly 3 or 4 later.

Slight.

Thundery showers then fair.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or 4, becoming westerly or southwesterly 4 or 5 for a time.

Slight, occasionally moderate.

Thundery showers, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable mainly southwesterly, becoming easterly or northeasterly later, 3 or 4, decreasing 2 for a time.

Slight.

Thundery showers at first, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or 4, becoming west or southwest 4 or 5 for a time.

Slight, occasionally moderate.

Thundery showers, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable mainly southwest, becoming east or northeast later, 3 or 4, decreasing 2 for a time.

Slight.

Thundery showers and fog patches at first, becoming fair.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor at first.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly

24 hour forecast:

Variable mainly southwest 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first.

Slight or moderate.

Thundery showers, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest becoming variable, then east later, 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times.

Slight in east, slight or moderate in west.

Mainly fair.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Lands End to St Davids Head including the Bristol Channel

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or 4, becoming west 4 or 5 for a time at first in Bristol Channel.

Slight or moderate.

Thundery showers, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable, becoming east later, 3 or 4, decreasing 2 for a time.

Slight.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

St Davids Head to Great Orme Head, including St Georges Channel

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or 4, becoming southwest 4 or 5 for a time.

Slight or moderate.

Thundery showers, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly backing easterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first in north.

Slight, occasionally moderate at first in north.

Fair.

Moderate or good.

Great Orme Head to the Mull of Galloway

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or 4, becoming south or southwest 4 or 5 for a time.

Slight, occasionally moderate.

Thundery showers, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable mainly southwesterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first in north, then becoming northeasterly later.

Slight, occasionally moderate at first in north.

Fog patches at first.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor at first.

Isle of Man

24 hour forecast:

Variable mainly southeast, becoming south or southwest, 3 or 4, occasionally 5 later.

Slight, occasionally moderate.

Thundery showers, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southwest 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first, then backing east later.

Slight, occasionally moderate at first.

Fog patches then fair.

Moderate, occasionally very poor, becoming good.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough

24 hour forecast:

South or southeast 4 or 5, becoming variable 2 or 3 for a time.

Slight, occasionally moderate.

Thundery showers, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or 4 at first in north, otherwise southerly backing southeasterly 4 or 5.

Slight, occasionally moderate.

Thundery showers until later, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Mull of Galloway to Mull of Kintyre including the Firth of Clyde and North Channel

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or 4, becoming southerly 5 at times.

Slight, occasionally moderate.

Thundery showers, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southerly or southeasterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 except in Firth of Clyde.

Slight, occasionally moderate except in Firth of Clyde.

Thundery showers until later, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point

24 hour forecast:

Variable, becoming southwest later, 2 or 3, increasing 4 at times.

Slight or moderate, becoming slight.

Thundery showers, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 2 or 3 becoming southeast 4 or 5, occasionally 6 later.

Slight, becoming slight or moderate.

Thundery showers until later, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

The Minch

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or less, increasing 4 at times.

Slight or moderate at first in south, otherwise slight.

Thundery showers, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable becoming southeasterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 later in south.

Slight, occasionally moderate later in far south.

Thundery showers until later, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or less, increasing 4 at times.

Slight or moderate, becoming slight.

Thundery showers, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable becoming southeasterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 later in south.

Slight, occasionally moderate later in south.

Thundery showers until later, fog patches.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

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

Valid Wednesday 01 Jul 2015 at 1200 UTC until Thursday 02 Jul 2015 at 0000 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

High over the Baltic and low to west of UK, bringing a warm, strengthening southerly airflow across the area.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle: Nil.

Southerly or southeasterly 5 to 7, occasionally 4 at first in northwest.  
Moderate or rough.  
Occasional showers, perhaps heavy later with a risk of thunder.  
Good, occasionally moderate or poor.

Outlook for 12 Hours from 0000 UTC on Thursday 02 Jul until 1200 UTC on Thursday 02 Jul:

Southerly or southeasterly 5 to 7, decreasing 4 later in west.  
Moderate or rough.  
Showers, perhaps heavy and thundery at times.  
Good, occasionally moderate or poor.

Channel Islands

24 hour forecast:

Westerly 3 to 4, locally variable f1 to 3 in the east early afternoon, becoming variable or southerly 1 to 3 by midnight.

Slight.

Isolated thundery showers fog patches especially on Wednesday.

Moderate to good, locally poor or very poor in fog.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 1 to 3, becoming easterly 3 to 4 by noon Friday.

Smooth or slight with a low swell on Thursday.

Isolated thundery showers risk of fog patches.

Moderate to good, perhaps very poor in fog.

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