

AND NOW THE SHIPPING FORECAST ISSUED BY THE MET OFFICE,  
ON BEHALF OF THE MARITIME AND COASTGUARD AGENCY, AT 1130  
UTC ON FRIDAY 04 APRIL 2014 FOR THE PERIOD 1200 UTC  
FRIDAY 04 APRIL TO 1200 UTC SATURDAY 05 APRIL 2014

THE GENERAL SYNOPSIS AT 0600

LOW 300 MILES WEST OF SHANNON 983 EXPECTED 350 MILES WEST  
OF ROCKALL 970 BY 0600 TOMORROW. LOW LINCOLNSHIRE 1003  
MOVING SLOWLY NORTH AND LOSING ITS IDENTITY

THE AREA FORECASTS FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS

VIKING NORTH UTSIRE SOUTH UTSIRE NORTHEAST FORTIES  
SOUTHEASTERLY 5 TO 7, PERHAPS GALE 8 LATER. MODERATE OR  
ROUGH. RAIN LATER. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR  
LATER

SOUTHWEST FORTIES CROMARTY

SOUTHEASTERLY 5 OR 6, VEERING SOUTHERLY 4 OR 5 LATER.  
MODERATE OCCASIONAL ROUGH AT FIRST IN NORTHEAST. RAIN OR  
SHOWERS, FOG PATCHES. MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

FORTH TYNE SOUTHWEST DOGGER

CYCLONIC 3 OR 4, BECOMING SOUTHERLY 4 OR 5 LATER. SLIGHT  
OR MODERATE. RAIN OR SHOWERS, FOG PATCHES. MODERATE,  
OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

NORTHEAST DOGGER FISHER GERMAN BIGHT

SOUTHEAST 5 TO 7, VEERING SOUTHWEST 3 OR 4 LATER. SLIGHT  
OR MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH IN NORTHWEST FISHER. RAIN  
OR SHOWERS, FOG PATCHES. MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

HUMBER THAMES DOVER WIGHT

SOUTH OR SOUTHWEST 3 OR 4, INCREASING 5 AT TIMES. SLIGHT,  
OCCASIONALLY MODERATE. FOG PATCHES, FAIR LATER. MODERATE  
TO VERY POOR, BECOMING MODERATE OR GOOD LATER

PORTLAND PLYMOUTH

SOUTH OR SOUTHWEST 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6 IN PLYMOUTH.  
SLIGHT OR MODERATE. RAIN, FOG PATCHES LATER. MODERATE OR  
POOR, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR LATER

BISCAY

VARIABLE 3 AT FIRST IN EAST, OTHERWISE SOUTHERLY OR  
SOUTHWESTERLY 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6 IN WEST. MODERATE,  
OCCASIONALLY ROUGH IN WEST. RAIN OR SHOWERS. MODERATE OR  
GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

FITZROY SOLE

SOUTHERLY OR SOUTHEASTERLY 5 TO 7 AT FIRST IN EAST,  
OTHERWISE SOUTHWEST 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6 IN FAR WEST.  
MODERATE OR ROUGH. RAIN OR SHOWERS, FOG PATCHES LATER.  
MODERATE OR POOR, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR LATER

LUNDY FASTNET IRISH SEA

SOUTH 4 OR 5, INCREASING 6 AT TIMES. MODERATE OR ROUGH IN  
SOUTHWEST FASTNET, OTHERWISE SLIGHT OR MODERATE. RAIN AT  
TIMES, FOG PATCHES. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY VERY  
POOR

SHANNON

SOUTHEASTERLY 5 TO 7, VEERING SOUTHWESTERLY 4 OR 5,  
OCCASIONALLY 6 LATER IN SOUTHEAST. MODERATE OR ROUGH.  
RAIN AT TIMES. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

ROCKALL

SOUTHEAST 5 TO 7, VEERING SOUTH OR SOUTHWEST 4 OR 5  
LATER. MODERATE OR ROUGH. RAIN AT TIMES. MODERATE OR  
GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

MALIN

SOUTHEAST 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6 LATER. SLIGHT OR  
MODERATE. RAIN AT TIMES. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY  
POOR

HEBRIDES BAILEY

SOUTHEASTERLY 4, INCREASING 5 TO 7, VEERING SOUTHWESTERLY  
4 LATER IN SOUTH. SLIGHT OR MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH  
IN WEST BAILEY. RAIN AT TIMES. MODERATE OR GOOD,  
OCCASIONALLY POOR

FAIR ISLE FAEROES SOUTHEAST ICELAND

EASTERLY OR SOUTHEASTERLY 4 OR 5, INCREASING 6 AT TIMES.  
MODERATE OCCASIONALLY ROUGH IN FAIR ISLE. RAIN OR  
SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR