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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore from 1200 UTC to 1200 UTC

General Situation

Areas of low pressure will remain to the north and west of the United Kingdom with a strengthening southwesterly airflow bringing a risk of gales to southern areas.

From Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney

24 hour forecast:

Variable or cyclonic becoming southerly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 in east.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough at first around Orkney.

Rattray Head to Berwick on Tweed

24 hour forecast:

South or southwest 3 or 4, increasing 5 for a time.

Rain or showers at first.

Moderate or good.

Slight, occasionally moderate at first.

Berwick on Tweed to Whitby

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 4 or 5, becoming variable 3 or less later.

Showers at first.

Good.

Smooth or slight.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 4 or 5, increasing 6 or 7 at times in south, then veering westerly 3 or 4 later.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor later.

Slight or moderate.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 5 to 7, perhaps gale 8 later.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor later.

Slight or moderate.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 5 to 7, perhaps gale 8 later.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor later.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough later.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 5 or 6, increasing 7 or perhaps gale 8 later, then decreasing 3 or 4.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Slight or moderate becoming rough.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly

24 hour forecast:

South or southwest 5 to 7, perhaps gale 8 for a time later, then veering west or southwest 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in west.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough.

Lands End to St Davids Head including the Bristol Channel

24 hour forecast:

South or southwest 5 to 7, veering west or southwest and decreasing 4 or 5 for a time.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Moderate or rough, increasing very rough for a time in south.

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

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.

Showers.

Good.

Moderate or rough.

Great Ormes Head to the Mull of Galloway

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 4 or 5, increasing 6 at times.

Showers.

Good.

Slight or moderate.

Isle of Man

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 5 or 6, decreasing 3 or 4.

Showers.

Good.

Slight or moderate.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first, becoming cyclonic later.

Squally showers.

Moderate or good.

Slight or moderate.

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

24 hour forecast:

South or southwest 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times, becoming variable 3 later.

Squally showers.

Moderate or good.

Slight or moderate.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point

24 hour forecast:

South or southwest 3 or 4.

Squally showers.

Moderate or good.

Moderate.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath including the Outer Hebrides

24 hour forecast:

Variable or cyclonic 3 or 4.

Squally showers.
Moderate or good.
Slight or moderate.

Shetland Isles

24 hour forecast:

Southeasterly or cyclonic 5 to 7, becoming mainly southerly 3 or 4.

Rain or showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Moderate or rough.

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