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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 0000 UTC Tuesday 05 August to 0000 UTC Wednesday 06 August 2014

General Situation

A weak ridge of high pressure will move away eastwards to be followed by a trough of low pressure moving across from the west later on Tuesday and during Wednesday.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney

24 hour forecast:

West or southwest backing southeast, 4 or 5, decreasing 2 or 3 for a time.

Slight or moderate in north, slight in south.

Fair then showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

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

Slight or moderate.

Showers, then rain later.

Good, becoming moderate or poor later.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed

24 hour forecast:

Variable mainly southwest becoming southeast, 3 or 4, occasionally 2 at first, increasing 5 at times later.

Slight, occasionally moderate later.

Fair then showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

East or southeast becoming cyclonic, 4 or 5, occasionally 3 at first, increasing 6 at times later.

Slight or moderate.

Showers, then rain later.

Good, becoming moderate or poor later.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby

24 hour forecast:

West or southwest backing southeast, 3 or 4, occasionally 2 at first, increasing 5 at times later.

Slight, occasionally moderate later.

Mainly fair.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeast 3 or 4 increasing 5 or 6, becoming cyclonic then southwest 4 or 5 later.

Slight, becoming moderate for a time.

Rain or thundery showers.

Good, becoming moderate or poor for a time.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or less becoming southeast 3 or 4.

Slight.

Mainly fair.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

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

Slight, becoming moderate for a time.
Rain or thundery showers.
Good, becoming moderate or poor for a time.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland

24 hour forecast:

Southerly or southwesterly 3 or 4, occasionally variable 2 at first, increasing 5 at times later.

Slight, occasionally moderate later.

Mainly fair.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southerly or southeasterly 3 or 4 increasing 5 to 7, then veering southwesterly 3 or 4 later.

Slight becoming moderate.

Rain or thundery showers.

Good, becoming moderate or poor for a time.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly backing southeasterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first.

Slight, occasionally moderate at first.

Showers later.

Moderate or good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeasterly veering southwesterly 3 or 4, increasing 5 to 7 for a time.

Slight, becoming moderate or rough.

Rain for a time, then showers.

Good, becoming moderate or poor for a time at first.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 3 or 4 backing south 4 or 5.

Slight, becoming slight or moderate.

Showers, then rain later.

Good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South veering southwest 4 or 5, increasing 6 or 7 for a time at first, then veering west 3 or 4 later.

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

Rain then showers.

Moderate or poor, becoming good.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly

24 hour forecast:

South or southwest 4 or 5, occasionally 3 at first.

Slight or moderate.

Thundery showers, then rain later.

Moderate or good, becoming moderate or poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South veering west 4 or 5, increasing 6 for a time at first, occasionally 3 later.

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

Rain then showers.

Moderate or poor, becoming good.

Lands End to St Davids Head including the Bristol Channel

24 hour forecast:

South or southeast, veering southwest for a time, 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times.

Slight, occasionally moderate.

Thundery showers, then rain later.
Moderate or good, becoming moderate or poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
South 3 or 4 veering west 4 or 5, increasing 6 for a time at first in Bristol Channel.
Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough for a time.
Rain then showers.
Moderate or poor, becoming good.

St Davids Head to Great Orme Head, including St Georges Channel
24 hour forecast:
Southeast veering south 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times.
Slight, occasionally moderate near headlands.
Thundery showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
South becoming cyclonic then west or southwest, 4 or 5, decreasing 3 at times.
Slight or moderate.
Showers.
Moderate or good.

Great Orme Head to the Mull of Galloway
24 hour forecast:
South or southeast 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times.
Slight in south, slight occasionally moderate in north.
Thundery showers later.
Good, occasionally moderate later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
South or southeast veering west or northwest, 4 or 5, decreasing 2 or 3 for a time at first.
Slight or moderate.
Showers, rain for a time at first.
Good, becoming moderate or poor for a time at first.

Isle of Man
24 hour forecast:
Southeast 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times.
Slight, occasionally moderate.
Rain or showers developing.
Good, becoming moderate or poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Southeast veering southwest, then veering northwest later, 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times.
Slight, occasionally moderate.
Rain or showers then fair.
Moderate or poor, becoming good.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough
24 hour forecast:
South or southeast 4 or 5, decreasing 3 at times.
Slight, occasionally moderate.
Thundery showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
South or southeast becoming variable, then becoming west later, 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times.
Slight or moderate.
Showers, becoming fair later.
Good, occasionally poor at first.

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

24 hour forecast:

Easterly or southeasterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 in North Channel.

Slight, occasionally moderate in North Channel.

Thundery showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southeast becoming variable, then becoming west later, 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times.

Slight, occasionally moderate.

Showers, becoming fair later.

Good, occasionally poor at first.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point

24 hour forecast:

Southeast 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times.

Slight, occasionally moderate near islay and Tiree.

Fair then showers.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeast veering west or southwest, 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times.

Slight or moderate.

Rain for a time at first, otherwise showers.

Good, occasionally poor at first.

The Minch

24 hour forecast:

South backing southeast 4 or 5, decreasing 3 at times.

Slight, occasionally moderate.

Fair then showers.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

East or southeast 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first, veering southwest 4 or 5.

Slight or moderate.

Rain or showers.

Good, becoming moderate or poor for a time.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath

24 hour forecast:

South backing southeast 4 or 5, decreasing 3 at times.

Slight or moderate.

Fair then showers.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

East or southeast 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first, veering southwest 4 or 5.

Slight or moderate.

Rain or showers.

Good, becoming moderate or poor for a time.

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

Valid Tuesday 05 Aug 2014 at 0000 UTC until Tuesday 05 Aug 2014 at 1200 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

A ridge of high pressure will move north over Shetland on Tuesday.

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

Southwest 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first.
Slight or moderate.
Showers.
Moderate or good.

Outlook for 12 Hours from 1200 UTC on Tuesday 05 Aug until 0000 UTC on Wednesday 06 Aug:
Southwesterly 3 or 4 becoming variable 3 or less, but southeasterly 4 or 5 in southwest later.
Slight or moderate.
Mainly fair.
Good.

Channel Islands

24 hour forecast:

Southerly 2 to 3, locally variable 1 to 3 near the brittany coast, increasing 3 to 4 by morning, further increasing 4 to 5 late evening.
Smooth becoming slight.
Isolated showers rain spreading in from the west late evening.
Very good, locally moderate in showers or rain.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southerly 4 to 5, perhaps 6 for a time overnight, veering southwest to west by dawn and decreasing 2 to 4 during the afternoon.
Slight, becoming moderate for a time until afternoon.
Rain, possibly heavy at times, clearing to isolated showers Wednesday morning.
Good, locally moderate to poor in rain or showers.

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