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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 1200 UTC Friday 03 June to 1200 UTC Saturday 04 June 2016

General Situation

Pressure will remain high near Iceland but relatively low over central Europe. This will maintain a north to northeasterly airflow across the British Isles.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northerly or northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in north.

Slight or moderate.

Thundery showers with fog patches, then fair.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeasterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 in north.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Good.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed

24 hour forecast:

North or northeast 3 or 4, occasionally 5 later.

Slight or moderate.

Thundery showers and fog patches for a time at first.

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North or northeast 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first, decreasing 3 at times later.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate later.

Fair.

Good.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby

24 hour forecast:

North or northwest 4 or 5, decreasing 3 later.

Moderate, becoming slight or moderate.

Showers for a time at first, fog banks developing.

Moderate or good, becoming moderate to very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate.

Fog banks at first, otherwise fair.

Moderate to very poor, becoming good.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point

24 hour forecast:

North or northwest 4 or 5, occasionally 3 later.

Slight or moderate.

Showers at first, fog banks later.

Moderate or good, becoming poor or very poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North 4 or 5.

Slight or moderate.

Fog banks at first, otherwise fair.

Poor or very poor, becoming good.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland

24 hour forecast:

Northerly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first.
Slight or moderate, becoming slight later.
Showers at first, fog banks later.
Moderate or good, becoming poor or very poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northerly or northeasterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 later.
Slight, becoming slight or moderate later.
Fog patches or banks.
Moderate or good, occasionally very poor.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill

24 hour forecast:

Northerly 4 or 5, becoming variable mainly northwesterly 3 or 4.
Slight or moderate at first in east, otherwise slight.
Showers, mainly in east, and fog patches later in east.
Moderate or good, occasionally very poor later in east.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northerly or northwesterly, becoming variable for a time, 3 or 4, occasionally 5 later in east.
Smooth or slight.
Thundery showers at first, fog patches in east.
Moderate or good, occasionally very poor in east.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis

24 hour forecast:

Northeast becoming variable with sea breezes, 3 or 4.
Smooth in shelter, otherwise slight.
Mainly fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or less, increasing 4 at times.
Smooth or slight.
Thundery showers for a time.
Moderate or good.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly

24 hour forecast:

Northeast becoming variable with sea breezes, 3 or 4.
Slight or moderate, becoming slight.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or less, increasing 4 at times.
Smooth or slight in east, slight in west.
Thundery showers for a time.
Moderate or good.

Lands End to St Davids Head including the Bristol Channel

24 hour forecast:

East or northeast 3 or 4, becoming variable later.
Slight, occasionally moderate at first.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or less, increasing 4 at times.
Smooth or slight.
Fair then thundery showers, mainly in east.
Moderate or good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or 4.

Slight, occasionally moderate at first.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or less, increasing 4 at times.

Smooth or slight.

Thundery showers for a time.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Great Orme Head to the Mull of Galloway

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or 4, occasionally northerly 5 in north.

Smooth or slight in south, slight occasionally moderate in north.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or less at first in south, otherwise northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 later in Solway Firth.

Smooth or slight at first in south, slight occasionally moderate in north.

Thundery showers for a time.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Isle of Man

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or 4.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable mainly northeast 3 or 4, decreasing 2 at times.

Smooth or slight.

Showers.

Moderate or good.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or 4, occasionally easterly 5 in north.

Slight or moderate at first in north, otherwise slight.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable becoming mainly northeast, 3 or 4.

Slight.

Showers later.

Good.

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

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or 4, becoming northeast 4 or 5 later.

Slight, occasionally moderate later.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable mainly northeast 3 or 4, increasing 5 at times.

Slight, occasionally moderate.
Thundery showers for a time.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point
24 hour forecast:
Variable 3 or 4, becoming easterly 5 at times.
Slight or moderate becoming smooth or slight.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable 3 or 4, occasionally northeasterly 5 at first.
Smooth or slight.
Thundery showers for a time.
Good, occasionally moderate.

The Minch - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Easterly or northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in north, becoming variable 3 at times in south.
Slight or moderate, becoming slight in south.
Showers at first, mainly in north.
Good, occasionally moderate at first in north.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in north, becoming variable 3 at times in south.
Slight in south, slight or moderate in north.
Fair.
Good.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Easterly or northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in north, becoming variable 3 at times in south.
Slight or moderate in south, but in north moderate, occasionally rough at first.
Showers at first, mainly in north.
Good, occasionally poor at first in north.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in north, becoming variable 3 at times in south.
Slight or moderate.
Fair.
Good.

For Coastal areas up to 60 nautical miles from Lerwick, Shetland
Valid Friday 03 Jun 2016 at 1200 UTC until Saturday 04 Jun 2016 at 0000 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation
Troughs clear southwest as a ridge builds southeast over Shetland and surrounding waters.

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

Northeast 5 or 6 increasing 7 for a time later in east.
Moderate or rough.
Mainly fair.
Mainly good.

Outlook for 12 Hours from 0000 UTC on Saturday 04 Jun until 1200 UTC on Saturday 04 Jun:

Northeast 5 or 6, occasionally 7 at first in east.

Moderate or rough.

Mainly fair.

Mainly good.

Channel Islands

24 hour forecast:

Northeasterly 2 to 3, occasionally 4 this afternoon, locally variable 1 to 3 this evening, becoming north to northwest by morning.

Smooth or slight.

Fair to cloudy risk of a little drizzle and mist patches Saturday morning.

Good, perhaps moderate to poor for a time in the morning.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northwesterly or variable 1 to 3.

Smooth or slight with a low swell at times.

Fair to cloudy risk of mist patches and perhaps a shower Sunday morning.

Mainly good, perhaps moderate to poor for a time Sunday morning.

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