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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore from 0500 UTC to 0500 UTC.

From Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney.

24 hour forecast:

Wind: south or southwest, 6 to gale 8.

Weather: rain then showers.

Visibility: moderate or good.

Sea State: moderate or rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Wind: southwest backing southeast, 7 to severe gale 9.

Weather: showers then rain.

Visibility: moderate or good.

Sea State: rough to high.

Rattray Head to Berwick on Tweed.

24 hour forecast:

Wind: southwest 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8.

Weather: rain then showers.

Visibility: moderate or good.

Sea State: moderate or rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Wind: southwest backing southeast, 7 to severe gale 9.

Weather: showers then rain.

Visibility: moderate or good.

Sea State: moderate or rough.

Berwick on Tweed to Whitby.

24 hour forecast:

Wind: southwest 5 to 7.

Weather: rain then showers.

Visibility: moderate or good.

Sea State: rough becoming moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Wind: southwest 5 to 7, backing south 7 to severe gale 9.

Weather: showers then rain.

Visibility: moderate or good.

Sea State: moderate or rough.

Whitby to the Wash.

24 hour forecast:

Wind: southwest 5 to 7.

Weather: rain then showers.

Visibility: moderate or good.

Sea State: moderate becoming rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Wind: southwest 5, backing south 7 to severe gale 9.

Weather: showers then rain.

Visibility: moderate or good.

Sea State: moderate.

The Wash to North Foreland.

24 hour forecast:

Wind: southwest 5 to 7.

Weather: occasional rain.

Visibility: moderate or good.

Sea State: moderate or rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Wind: southwest 5, backing south 7 to severe gale 9.

Weather: rain or showers.

Visibility: moderate or good.

Sea State: moderate.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill.

24 hour forecast:

Wind: southwest 5 to 7, veering west 4.

Weather: occasional rain.

Visibility: moderate or good.

Sea State: moderate or rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Wind: west 4, backing south 7 to severe gale 9.

Weather: rain or showers.

Visibility: moderate or good.

Sea State: moderate or rough.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis.

24 hour forecast:

Wind: southwest 5 to 7, veering west 4.

Weather: occasional rain.

Visibility: moderate or good.

Sea State: moderate or rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Wind: west 4, backing south 7 to severe gale 9.

Weather: rain or showers.

Visibility: moderate or good.

Sea State: moderate or rough.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly.

24 hour forecast:

Wind: southwest 5, occasionally 6.

Weather: rain then showers.

Visibility: moderate or good.

Sea State: moderate to very rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Wind: southwest 5, increasing 7 to severe gale 9.

Weather: showers then rain.

Visibility: moderate or good.

Sea State: rough becoming high.

Lands End to St Davids Head including the Bristol Channel.

24 hour forecast:

Wind: southwest 5 or 6, occasionally 7.

Weather: rain then showers.

Visibility: moderate or good.

Sea State: rough or very rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Wind: southwest 5, increasing 7 to severe gale 9.

Weather: showers then rain.

Visibility: moderate or good.

Sea State: rough becoming high.

St Davids Head to Colwyn Bay, including St Georges Channel.

24 hour forecast:

Wind: southwest 5 or 6, occasionally 7.

Weather: rain then showers.

Visibility: moderate or good.

Sea State: rough or very rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Wind: southwest 5, increasing 7 to severe gale 9.

Weather: showers then rain.

Visibility: moderate or good.

Sea State: rough becoming high.

Colwyn Bay to the Mull of Galloway.

24 hour forecast:

Wind: southwest 5 or 6, occasionally 7.

Weather: rain then showers.

Visibility: moderate or good.

Sea State: moderate or rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Wind: southwest 5, backing south 7 to severe gale 9.

Weather: showers then rain.

Visibility: moderate or good.

Sea State: rough or very rough.

Isle of Man.

24 hour forecast:

Wind: southwest 6, soon easing 4 or 5 for a time, then increasing south to southwest 6 or 7.

Weather: fine, then rain for a time.

Visibility: good, falling moderate or poor in rain.

Sea State: rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Wind: south to southwest 6 or 7, increasing south gale 8 or severe gale 9 later.

Weather: scattered showers, then rain later.

Visibility: good, falling moderate or poor in showers or rain.

Sea State: rough, becoming very rough or high.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough.

24 hour forecast:

Wind: southwest 5 to 7, backing southeast 7 to severe gale 9 for a time.

Weather: rain then showers.

Visibility: moderate or good.

Sea State: moderate or rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Wind: southwest 5, backing south 7 to severe gale 9.

Weather: showers then rain.

Visibility: moderate or good.

Sea State: rough or very rough.

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

24 hour forecast:

Wind: south or southwest 5 to 7.

Weather: rain then showers.

Visibility: moderate or good.

Sea State: moderate or rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Wind: southwest 5, backing southeast 7 to severe gale 9.

Weather: showers then rain.

Visibility: moderate or good.

Sea State: rough or very rough.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point.

24 hour forecast:

Wind: south or southwest 5 to 7.
Weather: rain then showers.
Visibility: moderate or good.
Sea State: rough or very rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Wind: southwest 5, backing southeast 7 to severe gale 9.
Weather: showers then rain.
Visibility: moderate or good.
Sea State: very rough.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath including the Outer Hebrides.
24 hour forecast:
Wind: southwest backing southeast 5 to 7, increasing severe gale 9 for a time.
Weather: rain then showers.
Visibility: moderate or good.
Sea State: rough to high.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Wind: southwest backing southeast 5 to 7, increasing severe gale 9 later.
Weather: showers then rain.
Visibility: moderate or good.
Sea State: very rough.

Shetland Isles.
24 hour forecast:
Wind: south or southwest 5 or 6, increasing 7 to severe gale 9.
Weather: rain then showers.
Visibility: moderate or good.
Sea State: rough to high.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Wind: southwest backing southeast 7 to severe gale 9.
Weather: showers then rain.
Visibility: moderate or good.
Sea State: high.

Outlook for all UK Inshore Waters for following 3 days: strong to gale, occasionally severe gale, winds moderating for a time in the north on Monday night.

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