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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore  
for the period 0600 UTC Thursday 01 August to 0600 UTC Friday 02 August 2019

#### General Situation

A showery low, initially centred off the yorkshire coast, will move slowly towards the Netherlands, while gradually filling. This will allow a ridge of high pressure to build from the west.

#### Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney

24 hour forecast:

Variable 1 to 3, becoming north or northeast 3 or 4 at times.

Slight or moderate.

Showers in south, otherwise occasional drizzle, fog patches in north.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor, or very poor in north.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 1 to 3, becoming east or northeast 3 or 4 at times.

Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate at first.

Showers at first in south, fog patches in north.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor, or very poor in north.

#### Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed

24 hour forecast:

Variable 1 to 3 at times in far west, otherwise northerly or northeasterly 2 to 4, occasionally 5 at first.

Moderate, occasionally slight.

Showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeasterly 2 to 4, becoming variable 3 or less.

Slight, occasionally smooth later.

Showers at first.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

#### Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby

24 hour forecast:

North or northwest 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first.

Moderate, occasionally slight later.

Showers, thundery at first.

Good, occasionally moderate at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North or northeast 3 or 4, becoming variable 3 or less.

Slight, occasionally moderate at first.

Showers at first.

Good.

#### Whitby to Gibraltar Point

24 hour forecast:

Northwest 4 or 5, veering north 3 to 5.

Slight or moderate.

Showers, thundery at first.

Good, occasionally moderate at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North or northeast 2 to 4, becoming variable 3 or less.

Slight, occasionally moderate at first.

Showers at first.

Good.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland

24 hour forecast:

Westerly 4 or 5, veering northwesterly 3 to 5, but becoming variable 2 to 4 for a time in south.

Slight or moderate, occasionally smooth.

Showers, thundery at times in north.

Good, occasionally moderate in north.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northwesterly, veering northeasterly, 3 to 5, but becoming variable 2 to 4 at times.

Slight or moderate, occasionally smooth.

Showers, thundery at first in northeast.

Good, occasionally moderate at first in northeast.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly, veering northerly later, 3 or 4, occasionally 5 in far east, but becoming variable 2 or 3 at times.

Slight, occasionally smooth later.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northerly or northeasterly 3 to 5 at times in far east, otherwise variable 2 to 4.

Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate in far east.

Showers at first in east.

Good.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis

24 hour forecast:

Northwest 2 or 3, backing west or southwest 3 or 4, veering north or northeast 2 or 3 later.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeast 2 or 3, becoming variable 2 to 4.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly

24 hour forecast:

Variable 1 to 3, becoming southwesterly veering northerly or northwesterly 3 or 4 at times mainly in east.

Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate at first in west.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 1 to 3.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Lands End to St Davids Head including the Bristol Channel

24 hour forecast:

Variable 2 to 4.

Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate at first in west.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable, becoming easterly or northeasterly at times in east, 2 to 4.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good, occasionally moderate.

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

24 hour forecast:

Variable, mainly north or northwest, 2 to 4.

Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate at first.

Fair.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or less, becoming east or southeast 3 or 4 at times.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Great Orme Head to the Mull of Galloway

24 hour forecast:

Northwest, becoming variable, 2 to 4.

Smooth or slight.

Thundery showers for a time in far northeast.

Good, occasionally moderate in far northeast.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 2 to 4, becoming east or southeast 3 to 5 later.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Isle of Man

24 hour forecast:

Northwest 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first, becoming variable 3 or less later.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable, becoming east or southeast, 3 or less.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough

24 hour forecast:

Northerly or northwesterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first in North Channel, becoming variable 1 to 3.

Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate in far north.

Fair.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 1 to 3, becoming easterly or southeasterly 3 or 4 at times.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good, occasionally moderate.

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

24 hour forecast:

Northwesterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first in North Channel, becoming variable 2 to 4.  
Smooth or slight.  
Thundery showers for a time in far northeast.  
Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
Variable 2 to 4, becoming southeasterly 3 or 4 at times later.  
Smooth or slight.  
Fair.  
Good, occasionally moderate.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point  
24 hour forecast:  
Northwesterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 at first in south, becoming variable 1 to 3 later.  
Slight or moderate, occasionally smooth in east.  
Fair.  
Good, occasionally moderate later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
Variable 1 to 3, becoming easterly or southeasterly 3 or 4.  
Smooth or slight.  
Fair.  
Good, occasionally moderate.

The Minch  
24 hour forecast:  
Variable 1 to 3, becoming north or northeast 3 or 4 at times.  
Slight or moderate, occasionally smooth in central areas.  
Fair.  
Good, occasionally moderate in north.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
East or northeast 2 to 4, becoming variable 1 to 3 at times.  
Smooth or slight.  
Fair.  
Good, occasionally moderate.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath  
24 hour forecast:  
Variable 1 to 3, becoming north or northeast 3 or 4 at times.  
Moderate, occasionally slight.  
Fair.  
Good, occasionally moderate in north.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:  
East or northeast 2 to 4, becoming variable 1 to 3 at times.  
Slight or moderate.  
Fair.  
Good, occasionally moderate.

For Coastal areas up to 60 nautical miles from Lerwick, Shetland  
Valid Thursday 01 Aug 2019 at 0600 UTC until Thursday 01 Aug 2019 at 1800 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation  
A weak ridge of high pressure extends south across Shetland waters.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle at time of issue: Nil at time of issue.

Variable 3 or less

Moderate

Fog patches, isolated showers

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor

Outlook for 12 Hours from 1800 UTC on Thursday 01 Aug until 0600 UTC on Friday 02 Aug:

Variable 3 or less becoming north 3 or 4

Slight or moderate

Fog patches, isolated showers

Moderate or good, occasionally very poor

Channel Islands

24 hour forecast:

Westerly 2 to 3, locally variable 1 to 2 mid-channel, generally veering northwesterly through the day, locally northerly 4 in the far southeast of the area late afternoon and evening generally becoming variable 1 to 2 overnight. Smooth occasionally slight.

Risk of isolated showers this morning risk of mist or fog patches near french coast early tomorrow morning.

Good, locally moderate to very poor in any showers, mist or fog patches.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 1 to 3, mainly westerly at first, becoming mainly northerly by evening, then mainly easterly by Saturday morning.

Smooth occasionally slight, with a low swell.

Risk of mist or fog patches near french coast early Friday morning and early Saturday morning.

Good, locally poor to very poor in any mist or fog patches.

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