

AND NOW THE SHIPPING FORECAST ISSUED BY THE MET OFFICE,  
ON BEHALF OF THE MARITIME AND COASTGUARD AGENCY, AT 0405  
UTC ON MONDAY 04 OCTOBER 2010 FOR THE PERIOD 0600 UTC  
MONDAY 04 OCTOBER TO 0600 UTC TUESDAY 05 OCTOBER 2010

THERE ARE WARNINGS OF GALES IN VIKING NORTH UTSIRE SOUTH  
UTSIRE BISCAY IRISH SEA SHANNON ROCKALL MALIN HEBRIDES  
BAILEY FAIR ISLE FAEROES AND SOUTHEAST ICELAND

THE GENERAL SYNOPSIS AT MIDNIGHT  
LOW BISCAY 986 MOVING STEADILY NORTHEAST AND LOSING ITS  
IDENTITY BY MIDNIGHT TONIGHT. LOW JUST WEST OF BAILEY 973  
LOSING ITS IDENTITY BY SAME TIME. DEVELOPING ATLANTIC LOW  
EXPECTED 50 MILES WEST OF BAILEY 952 BY THAT TIME

THE AREA FORECASTS FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS

VIKING NORTH UTSIRE SOUTH UTSIRE  
SOUTHERLY OR SOUTHEASTERLY 6 TO GALE 8, DECREASING 4 OR 5  
FOR A TIME, PERHAPS SEVERE GALE 9 LATER. ROUGH,  
OCCASIONALLY VERY ROUGH AT FIRST AND LATER. RAIN AT  
TIMES. MAINLY MODERATE

FORTIES CROMARTY FORTH TYNE DOGGER  
SOUTH 4 OR 5 BACKING SOUTHEAST 5 TO 7, PERHAPS GALE 8  
LATER IN FORTIES AND CROMARTY. MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY  
ROUGH IN FORTIES AND CROMARTY, OCCASIONALLY SLIGHT IN  
FORTH, TYNE AND DOGGER. OCCASIONAL RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD

FISHER GERMAN BIGHT  
SOUTHEASTERLY 5 TO 7, DECREASING 3 FOR A TIME IN WEST.  
MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH IN FISHER AND SLIGHT IN  
SOUTH GERMAN BIGHT. OCCASIONAL RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD

HUMBER THAMES DOVER  
VARIABLE 3 OR 4 BECOMING SOUTH OR SOUTHWEST 4 OR 5,  
OCCASIONALLY 6 LATER. SLIGHT OR MODERATE. OCCASIONAL  
RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD

WIGHT PORTLAND PLYMOUTH  
VARIABLE 3 AT FIRST IN EAST WIGHT OTHERWISE NORTHERLY  
BACKING SOUTHWESTERLY 4 OR 5, INCREASING 6 AT TIMES.  
SLIGHT OR MODERATE, BUT MAINLY ROUGH IN WEST PLYMOUTH.  
OCCASIONAL RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD

BISCAY  
CYCLONIC BECOMING NORTHWEST GALE 8 TO STORM 10 BACKING  
SOUTHWEST 5 TO 7. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH. RAIN. MAINLY  
MODERATE

FITZROY WEST SOLE  
WESTERLY OR SOUTHWESTERLY 5 TO 7, PERHAPS GALE 8 LATER.  
ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH, BECOMING HIGH OR VERY HIGH LATER IN  
NORTHWEST FITZROY AND WEST SOLE. RAIN OR SHOWERS.  
MODERATE OR GOOD

EAST SOLE LUNDY FASTNET IRISH SEA  
WESTERLY OR SOUTHWESTERLY 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 3 AT  
FIRST, BACKING SOUTHERLY OR SOUTHWESTERLY 5 TO 7,  
OCCASIONALLY GALE 8 IN IRISH SEA. MODERATE OR ROUGH,  
OCCASIONALLY SLIGHT IN LUNDY AND IRISH SEA, BECOMING VERY  
ROUGH OR HIGH LATER IN EAST SOLE AND FASTNET. RAIN OR  
SQUALLY SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD

SHANNON ROCKALL MALIN HEBRIDES BAILEY  
CYCLONIC, MAINLY SOUTH OR SOUTHWEST, 6 TO GALE 8,  
INCREASING SEVERE GALE 9 AT TIMES. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH  
BECOMING VERY ROUGH OR HIGH, THEN VERY HIGH FOR A TIME  
LATER IN SHANNON AND ROCKALL. RAIN OR SQUALLY SHOWERS.  
MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

FAIR ISLE FAEROES  
CYCLONIC OR SOUTHEAST 5 TO 7, INCREASING GALE 8 AT TIMES.  
ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH. RAIN OR SQUALLY SHOWERS. MODERATE OR  
GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

SOUTHEAST ICELAND  
CYCLONIC 5 OR 6 BECOMING EASTERLY OR NORTHEASTERLY 6 TO  
GALE 8, PERHAPS SEVERE GALE 9 LATER. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH.  
RAIN OR SHOWERS. MAINLY MODERATE