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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore from 1700 UTC to 1700 UTC.

From Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney.

24 hour forecast:

Wind: southwest 5 or 6 backing south or southeast 7 to severe gale 9.

Weather: rain or showers.

Visibility: moderate or good.

Sea State: rough or very rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Wind: south or southeast veering southwest 6 to gale 8, increasing 7 to severe gale 9, perhaps storm 10 later.

Weather: rain or showers.

Visibility: moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Sea State: rough or very rough, occasionally high.

Rattray Head to Berwick on Tweed.

24 hour forecast:

Wind: southwest 5 to 7 backing south or southeast 7 to severe gale 9, perhaps storm 10 later.

Weather: rain or showers.

Visibility: moderate or good, occasionally poor later.

Sea State: moderate to rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Wind: south or southeast veering southwest 7 to severe gale 9, occasionally storm 10.

Weather: rain or showers.

Visibility: moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Sea State: rough or very rough.

Berwick on Tweed to Whitby.

24 hour forecast:

Wind: southwest 6 or 7 backing south or southeast 7 to severe gale 9, occasionally storm 10.

Weather: rain or showers.

Visibility: moderate or good, occasionally poor later.

Sea State: moderate or rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Wind: south or southeast veering west 7 to severe gale 9, occasionally storm 10.

Weather: rain or showers.

Visibility: moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Sea State: rough becoming very rough.

Whitby to the Wash.

24 hour forecast:

Wind: southwest 6 or 7 backing south or southeast 7 to severe gale 9, occasionally storm 10.

Weather: rain then squally showers.

Visibility: moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Sea State: moderate or rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Wind: south or southeast veering west 7 to severe gale 9, occasionally storm 10.

Weather: squally showers.

Visibility: moderate or good.

Sea State: rough becoming very rough.

The Wash to North Foreland.

24 hour forecast:

Wind: south or southwest 6 increasing 7 to severe gale 9, occasionally storm 10.
Weather: rain or squally showers.
Visibility: moderate or good, occasionally poor.
Sea State: moderate or rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Wind: south or southwest 7 to severe gale 9 decreasing 5 to 7 later.
Weather: squally showers.
Visibility: moderate or good.
Sea State: rough or very rough.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill.

24 hour forecast:

Wind: south or southwest 6 to gale 8 increasing 7 to severe gale 9, occasionally storm 10 later.
Weather: rain or squally showers.
Visibility: moderate or good, occasionally poor.
Sea State: moderate or rough becoming very rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Wind: south or southwest 7 to severe gale 9 decreasing 6 to gale 8.
Weather: squally showers.
Visibility: moderate or good.
Sea State: rough or very rough.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis.

24 hour forecast:

Wind: south or southwest 6 to gale 8 increasing gale 8 to storm 10, occasionally violent storm 11 in west.
Weather: rain or squally showers.
Visibility: moderate or good, occasionally poor.
Sea State: moderate or rough becoming very rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Wind: southwest 7 to severe gale 9 decreasing 6 to gale 8.
Weather: squally showers.
Visibility: moderate or good.
Sea State: rough or very rough.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly.

24 hour forecast:

Wind: south or southwest 6 to gale 8 increasing gale 8 to storm 10, occasionally violent storm 11.
Weather: rain or squally showers.
Visibility: moderate or good, occasionally poor.
Sea State: rough or very rough becoming high.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Wind: southwest 7 to severe gale 9 decreasing 6 to gale 8.
Weather: squally showers then rain.
Visibility: moderate or good.
Sea State: very rough or high.

Lands End to St Davids Head including the Bristol Channel.

24 hour forecast:

Wind: south or southwest 6 to gale 8 increasing gale 8 to storm 10, occasionally violent storm 11.
Weather: rain or squally showers.
Visibility: moderate or good, occasionally poor.
Sea State: very rough becoming high.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Wind: southwest 7 to severe gale 9 decreasing 6 to gale 8.

Weather: squally showers then rain.
Visibility: moderate or good.
Sea State: high.

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

24 hour forecast:

Wind: south or southwest 6 to gale 8 increasing gale 8 to storm 10, occasionally violent storm 11.

Weather: rain or squally showers.

Visibility: moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Sea State: rough or very rough becoming high.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Wind: southwest 7 to severe gale 9 decreasing 6 to gale 8.

Weather: squally showers then rain.

Visibility: moderate or good.

Sea State: very rough or high.

Colwyn Bay to the Mull of Galloway.

24 hour forecast:

Wind: south or southwest 6 to gale 8 increasing gale 8 to storm 10, occasionally violent storm 11.

Weather: rain or squally showers.

Visibility: moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Sea State: rough or very rough becoming high.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Wind: southwest gale 8 to storm 10 decreasing 5 to 7 later.

Weather: squally showers then rain.

Visibility: moderate or good.

Sea State: very rough or high.

Isle of Man.

24 hour forecast:

Wind: south or southwest 6 or 7 increasing gale 8 or severe gale 9, occasionally storm 10.

Weather: rain at times.

Visibility: moderate or good.

Sea State: rough or very rough, occasionally high.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Wind: southwest gale 8 or severe gale 9 decreasing 6 or 7 later.

Weather: showers.

Visibility: moderate or good.

Sea State: very rough or high becoming rough.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough.

24 hour forecast:

Wind: south or southeast veering west 7 or gale 8 increasing gale 8 to storm 10, occasionally violent storm 11 later.

Weather: rain then squally showers.

Visibility: moderate or poor, occasionally good.

Sea State: very rough becoming high or very high in west.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Wind: west gale 8 to storm 10, occasionally violent storm 11, decreasing 6 to gale 8 later.

Weather: squally showers.

Visibility: moderate or good.

Sea State: high or very high.

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

24 hour forecast:

Wind: south or southeast, veering west later, 6 to gale 8 increasing gale 8 to storm 10.
Weather: rain then squally showers.
Visibility: moderate or good, occasionally poor.
Sea State: rough or very rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Wind: west gale 8 to storm 10, occasionally violent storm 11.
Weather: squally showers.
Visibility: moderate or good.
Sea State: very rough or high.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point.

24 hour forecast:

Wind: south or southeast, veering west later, 6 to gale 8 increasing gale 8 to storm 10.
Weather: rain or squally showers.
Visibility: moderate or good, occasionally poor.
Sea State: rough or very rough becoming high.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Wind: west or southwest gale 8 to storm 10, occasionally violent storm 11.
Weather: rain or squally showers.
Visibility: moderate or good, occasionally poor.
Sea State: very rough or high.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath including the Outer Hebrides.

24 hour forecast:

Wind: south or southeast 6 increasing 7 to severe gale 9, decreasing 5 to 7 later.
Weather: rain or squally showers.
Visibility: moderate or good, occasionally poor.
Sea State: rough or very rough, occasionally high.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Wind: south 5 to 7 veering west or southwest gale 8 to storm 10, occasionally violent storm 11.
Weather: rain or squally showers.
Visibility: moderate or good, occasionally poor.
Sea State: very rough or high.

Shetland Isles.

24 hour forecast:

Wind: southwest 4 or 5 backing south or southeast 7 to severe gale 9 later.
Weather: rain or squally showers.
Visibility: moderate or good.
Sea State: rough or very rough.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Wind: south becoming cyclonic then southwest 6 to gale 8, occasionally severe gale 9, perhaps storm 10 later.
Weather: rain or squally showers.
Visibility: moderate or good.
Sea State: very rough becoming high.

Outlook for all UK Inshore Waters for following 3 days: strong to gale winds all areas with severe gales at times on Monday.

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