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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 0000 UTC Monday 05 December to 0000 UTC Tuesday 06 December 2022

General Situation

A ridge of high pressure across Scandinavia will maintain a fresh to strong, cold and showery easterly flow across the British Isles at first. High pressure near Iceland will become dominant through Monday, slowly extending colder northerly winds southwards across all areas during Tuesday.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Variable 2 to 4, mainly east, becoming northerly 4 to 6 later.

Slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North 4 to 6, occasionally 7 later.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough except in Moray Firth.

Showers, occasionally wintry later.

Good, occasionally poor later.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Easterly or northeasterly 4 to 6, backing northerly or northwesterly 3 to 5 later.

Moderate, occasionally rough at first.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northerly or northwesterly 4 to 6, occasionally 7 in east.

Moderate, occasionally slight in west, becoming moderate or rough later in east.

Showers, perhaps wintry later.

Good, occasionally poor later.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

East backing northeast backing north or northwest later, 4 to 6.

Moderate or rough, becoming moderate.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North or northwest, 4 to 6, occasionally 7 later.

Moderate, occasionally rough later.

Showers.

Good.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

East backing northeast, 4 to 6.

Moderate, occasionally rough at first.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northeast, backing north or northwest, 4 to 6.
Moderate, occasionally slight.
Showers.
Good.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Easterly or northeasterly backing northerly later, 4 to 6.
Slight or moderate.
Showers, rain at times in south.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northerly or northwesterly, 4 to 6, decreasing 3 for a time.
Slight or moderate.
Showers.
Good.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Easterly or northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in west, becoming variable 2 to 4 for a time in east.
Slight or moderate.
Showers, rain or drizzle for a time.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor for a time.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northeasterly 4 to 6, backing northerly 3 to 5.
Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate offshore and near North Foreland.
Showers at first.
Good.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
East or northeast 4 or 5, occasionally 6 later.
Slight or moderate, becoming smooth or slight.
Showers.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northeast 3 to 5, occasionally 6 at first.
Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate offshore.
Showers at first.
Good.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
East or northeast 4 to 6.
Slight or moderate.
Showers.
Good, occasionally moderate at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
East or northeast 4 to 6.
Slight or moderate.
Showers, becoming mainly fair.
Good.

Lands End to St Davids Head including the Bristol Channel - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

East or northeast 4 to 6.

Slight or moderate in west, smooth or slight in east.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

East or northeast 4 to 6, decreasing 3 to 5 later.

Slight or moderate in west, smooth or slight in east.

Showers at first.

Good.

St Davids Head to Great Orme Head, including St Georges Channel - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

East or northeast 4 to 6.

Smooth or slight, but slight or moderate in far north and in far south.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

East or northeast 3 to 5, occasionally 6 at first.

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

Showers.

Good.

Great Orme Head to the Mull of Galloway - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

East or northeast 4 to 6.

Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate in far northwest.

Mainly fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North or northeast 3 to 5.

Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate at first in far northwest.

Mainly fair.

Good.

Isle of Man - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

East or northeast 4 to 6.

Slight or moderate.

Mainly fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North or northeast 3 to 5.

Slight, occasionally moderate at first.

Mainly fair.

Good.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

East or northeast 4 to 6, decreasing 3 to 5 later.

Slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
North or northeast 3 to 5.
Slight or moderate, becoming smooth or slight.
Mainly fair.
Good.

Mull of Galloway to Mull of Kintyre including the Firth of Clyde and North Channel
- (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Easterly or northeasterly 4 to 6, decreasing 3 to 5 later.
Smooth or slight, but slight or moderate in North Channel.
Showers at first in North Channel.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northerly or northeasterly 3 to 5.
Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate at first in North Channel.
Mainly fair.
Good.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
East or northeast 3 to 5, occasionally 6 at first.
Slight or moderate, but smooth or slight in sheltered east.
Mainly fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Easterly or northeasterly, backing northerly or northeasterly, 3 to 5, occasionally 6 for a time in north.
Slight or moderate, but smooth or slight in sheltered east.
Showers developing, mainly in north.
Good.

The Minch - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
East backing north or northeast, 3 to 5, occasionally 6 later.
Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate later in far north.
Showers later.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
North or northeast 4 to 6, increasing 7 for a time.
Slight or moderate northeast of skye, otherwise smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate later, occasionally rough later in far north.
Showers, perhaps wintry later.
Good, occasionally poor later.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
East backing north or northeast, 3 to 5, occasionally 6 later.
Slight or moderate.
Showers later.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
North or northeast 4 to 6, increasing 7 for a time.
Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough later in north.
Showers, perhaps wintry later.

Good, occasionally poor later.

For Coastal areas up to 60 nautical miles from Lerwick, Shetland
Valid Monday 05 Dec 2022 at 0000 UTC until Monday 05 Dec 2022 at 1200 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

A cold front edges south across Shetland waters through Monday morning introducing an increasingly cold, showery northerly airstream.

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

Southwesterly 3 to 5, occasionally 2 at first in south, veering northerly 4 or 5
Slight at first in sheltered eastern waters, otherwise moderate
Occasional rain clearing southwards
Moderate or good

Outlook for 12 Hours from 1200 UTC on Monday 05 Dec until 0000 UTC on Tuesday 06 Dec:

North 5 or 6, occasionally 4 at first
Moderate, becoming rough later
Showers
Mainly good

Channel Islands

24 hour forecast:

Easterly 3 to 5, occasionally east to southeast 2 in the south and east of the area.

Smooth or slight, locally moderate mid-channel at times.

Occasional haze scattered showers, mainly in the north of the area local mist with a risk of fog patches near french coasts for a time Monday morning.

Moderate to good, locally poor or perhaps very poor for a time.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Easterly 3 to 5, perhaps locally 6 mid-channel at times, backing northeasterly 2 to 4 Tuesday evening, locally 5 later.

Smooth or slight with a low swell, locally moderate mid-channel at times.

Showers, mainly in the north of the area risk of mist near french coasts at times.

Good, occasionally moderate, perhaps locally poor for a time.

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