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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 0600 UTC Saturday 02 June to 0600 UTC Sunday 03 June 2012

General Situation

For today, a ridge of high pressure will lie across the north of the United Kingdom, while a frontal depression approaches from the southwest. During Sunday, the depression will take up residence across southern Britain, while the ridge remains across the north.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney

24 hour forecast:

North or northeast 4 or 5.

Moderate, but mainly slight in Moray Firth.

Showers in east.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North or northeast 4 or 5.

Moderate, but mainly slight in Moray Firth.

Showers.

Good.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed

24 hour forecast:

North or northeast 4 or 5.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North or northeast 4 or 5.

Slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby

24 hour forecast:

East or northeast 3 or 4.

Slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeast 3 or 4.

Slight or moderate.

Showers.

Good.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southeasterly 3 or 4, backing easterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 later in south.

Slight or moderate.

Showers, rain later in south.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Easterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first in south, backing northeasterly 3 or 4.

Moderate.

Rain at times, mainly in south.

Moderate or good.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southeasterly 4 or 5, backing easterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 later in south.

Slight or moderate.

Showers, rain later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Easterly or northeasterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 at first in south, decreasing 4 later.

Moderate.

Rain at times.

Moderate or poor.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Easterly 4 or 5, backing northeasterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 later in Strait of Dover.

Slight or moderate.

Rain later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeasterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 at first in Strait of Dover, becoming variable 4 later.

Moderate.

Rain at times.

Moderate or poor.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Easterly 3 or 4, increasing 5 or 6, then becoming cyclonic 4 or 5 later.

Slight or moderate.

Fair at first, otherwise rain at times.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Cyclonic 4 or 5.

Moderate.

Rain then showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

East or southeast 4 or 5, veering southwest 5 or 6 later.

Slight or moderate.

Rain at times.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwest, veering northwest later, 5 or 6.

Moderate, becoming rough in far west.

Rain then showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

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

24 hour forecast:

East 3 or 4, veering southeast 4 or 5, then veering southwest 5 or 6 later.

Slight or moderate.

Rain at times.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southwesterly, becoming cyclonic later, 4 or 5, occasionally 6 in west.
Moderate, becoming rough in far west.
Rain then showers.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

St Davids Head to Great Orme Head, including St Georges Channel - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Easterly or northeasterly 4 or 5, increasing 6 or 7 later in north, and veering southwesterly in south.
Slight becoming moderate.
Fair at first, otherwise rain at times.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Cyclonic becoming northeasterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 at first in far north.
Moderate, becoming rough in far west.
Rain at times.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Great Orme Head to the Mull of Galloway - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northerly 3 or 4, veering northeasterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 later in west.
Slight becoming moderate.
Rain later, mainly in south.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor later in south.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Easterly or northeasterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 at first in west, decreasing 4 later.
Moderate, occasionally rough at first in west.
Rain at times, mainly in south.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor in south.

Isle of Man - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
North 3 or 4, veering northeast 5 or 6, occasionally 7 later.
Slight becoming moderate, occasionally rough later.
Rain later.
Good, occasionally moderate later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
East or northeast 5 or 6, occasionally 7 at first, decreasing 4 later.
Moderate, occasionally rough at first.
Rain at first.
Good, occasionally moderate at first.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northerly 3 or 4, veering northeasterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 later in south.
Slight becoming moderate, occasionally rough later.
Rain later in south, otherwise fair.
Good, occasionally moderate later in south.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Easterly or northeasterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 at first in south, decreasing 4 later.
Moderate, occasionally rough at first.
Rain at first in south, otherwise fair.
Good, occasionally moderate at first in south.

Mull of Galloway to Mull of Kintyre including the Firth of Clyde and North Channel - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
East or northeast 4 or 5, occasionally 6 later.

Slight, occasionally moderate in southwest.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
East or northeast 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first, decreasing 3 at times later.
Slight, occasionally moderate in southwest.
Fair.
Good.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 later in west and far south.
Slight or moderate.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first in far south and west.
Slight or moderate.
Fair.
Good.

The Minch - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northeasterly 5 or 6, but 4 in shelter.
Slight or moderate.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northeast 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first.
Slight or moderate.
Fair.
Good.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northeasterly 5 or 6, but 4 in shelter.
Slight or moderate.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northeast 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first.
Slight or moderate.
Fair.
Good.

For Coastal areas up to 60 nautical miles from Lerwick, Shetland
Valid Saturday 02 Jun 2012 at 0600 UTC until Saturday 02 Jun 2012 at 1800 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation
A ridge will be slow moving to the west of Shetland, with a low complex over Scandinavia.

Gale Warnings in operation for Sea Area Fair Isle: Nil.

North 4 or 5.
Moderate or rough.

Showers.
Moderate or good.

Outlook for 12 Hours from 1800 UTC on Saturday 02 Jun until 0600 UTC on Sunday 03 Jun:

North or northeast 4 or 5.
Moderate or rough.
Showers.
Moderate or good.

Channel Islands - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

East to southeast 3 to 4, increasing 4 to 5 this afternoon, veering west late evening, increasing 5 to 6 overnight.

Slight to moderate becoming moderate to rather rough.

Rain at times this afternoon, with a risk of thunder later this evening fog patches overnight, mostly clearing by morning.

Good, becoming moderate to very poor.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West 5, occasionally 6, decreasing 4 to 5 during the morning, backing southwest for a time overnight.

Moderate to rather rough.

Rather cloudy risk of a shower.

Mainly good.

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