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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 1200 UTC Tuesday 01 November to 1200 UTC Wednesday 02 November
2011

General Situation

A large and complex area of low pressure will cover the north Atlantic and United Kingdom during this forecast period. This will bring further unsettled and at times windy conditions during the next couple of days.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly backing southeasterly later, 5 to 7, occasionally 4 in east until later.

Slight in Moray Firth, otherwise moderate, occasionally rough in north.

Showers, squally at first, occasional rain later.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeasterly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8.

Slight in Moray Firth, otherwise moderate or rough.

Rain at times.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 4 or 5, backing south or southeast 5 to 7 later.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeast 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 near Rattray Head.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough.

Occasional rain later.

Good, becoming moderate, occasionally poor later.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 3 or 4, backing south or southeast 5 or 6 later.

Slight, occasionally moderate at first.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southeast, 5 to 7.

Slight becoming moderate, occasionally rough later.

Occasional rain later.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point

24 hour forecast:

West backing southeast later, 3 or 4, occasionally 5 later.

Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate at first in north.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeasterly 5 or 6, increasing 7 for a time in north.

Smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate.

Occasional rain later.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 3 or 4, backing southeasterly 5 or 6 later.

Smooth or slight.

Occasional rain at first, then fair.

Good, becoming moderate or poor for a time.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeasterly 5 or 6.

Smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate.

Fair then occasional rain or drizzle.

Good, becoming moderate, occasionally poor.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Westerly or southwesterly 4 or 5, backing southeasterly 5 or 6 later.

Slight to moderate.

Occasional rain at first in east, otherwise fair.

Good, becoming moderate for a time.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southerly or southeasterly 5 or 6.

Slight or moderate.

Fair then occasional rain or drizzle.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

West or southwest 4 or 5, backing southeast 5 or 6 later.

Slight or moderate.

Showers then fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southeast 5 or 6, increasing 7 for a time.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough.

Fair then occasional rain and drizzle, showers later.

Good, becoming moderate or poor for a time.

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

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 4 or 5, backing southerly or southeasterly 5 or 6, occasionally 7 in west.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in far west.

Showers then fair, rain or drizzle later.

Good, becoming moderate, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southerly or southeasterly 5 to 7, increasing gale 8 for a time in far west.

Moderate or rough, becoming very rough westwards from Lizard Point.

Occasional rain then squally showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

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

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 4 or 5, backing southeast 5 to 7.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in far southwest.

Showers then fair, rain or drizzle later.

Good, becoming moderate, occasionally poor later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeast, veering south later, 5 to 7, increasing gale 8 for a time near st

david's head.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough in far west.

Occasional rain then squally showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

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

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 4 or 5, backing southeast 5 to 7, perhaps gale 8 later.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough near St Davids Head.

Showers then fair, rain or drizzle in south later.

Good, occasionally moderate in south later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeast, veering south later, 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8.

Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough later near St Davids Head.

Occasional rain then squally showers.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

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

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 4 or 5, backing southeasterly 5 to 7, perhaps gale 8 in north later.

Slight or moderate, but smooth in Liverpool Bay.

Showers then fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Southeasterly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 in north.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough in north.

Rain at times, squally showers later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor for a time.

Isle of Man - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 4 or 5 backing south 5 or 6, then south or southwest 6 or 7 later.

Slight or moderate, becoming moderate or rough later.

Showers.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southeast 6 to gale 8.

Moderate or rough.

Rain for a time.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 4 or 5, backing south or southeast 6 or 7, occasionally gale 8 later.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough in east later.

Showers then fair, rain later.

Good, occasionally moderate later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South or southeast 6 to gale 8.

Moderate or rough, becoming slight or moderate.

Occasional rain, showers later.

Moderate or good, occasionally poor at first.

Mull of Galloway to Mull of Kintyre including the Firth of Clyde and North Channel - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwesterly 4 or 5, backing southerly or southeasterly 6 or 7, occasionally gale 8 later.

Slight or moderate, occasionally rough later in North Channel.

Showers then mainly fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
South or southeast 6 to gale 8.
Moderate or rough, occasionally slight in shelter later.
Rain at times, showers later.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Southwest backing southeast 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 later.
Moderate or rough, but very rough at first in west.
Showers then fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Southeast 6 to gale 8.
Moderate or rough, becoming slight in shelter later.
Rain at times, showers later.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

The Minch - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Southwesterly backing southeasterly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 later.
Moderate or rough, but very rough at first in far south.
Squally showers then fair.
Good, occasionally moderate at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Southeasterly 6 to gale 8, increasing severe gale 9 for a time in west.
Slight or moderate, occasionally rough.
Occasional rain.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Southwesterly backing southeasterly 5 to 7, occasionally gale 8 later.
Very rough, becoming mainly rough.
Squally showers then fair.
Good, occasionally moderate at first.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Southeasterly 6 to gale 8, increasing severe gale 9 for a time in west.
Moderate in shelter, otherwise rough or very rough.
Occasional rain.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.

For Coastal areas up to 60 nautical miles from Lerwick, Shetland
Valid Tuesday 01 Nov 2011 at 1200 UTC until Wednesday 02 Nov 2011 at 0000 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

A broad south or southwest flow will cover Shetland and surrounding waters,
until Wednesday morning.

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

Southerly or southwesterly 4 or 5, increasing 6 for a time in the north and
west.
Rough decreasing moderate in lee of eastern Shetland.

Rain in east at first otherwise few showers, later fair.
Good, occasionally moderate perhaps poor in the east at first.

Outlook for 12 Hours from 0000 UTC on Wednesday 02 Nov until 1200 UTC on Wednesday 02 Nov:

Southerly or southwesterly 4 or 5, backing southeasterly 6.
Rough occasionally moderate in the east.
Fair, patchy rain later.
Good, occasionally moderate later.

Channel Islands - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 4 backing south 3 or 4 by evening, further backing southeast 4 or 5 by midnight, increasing 5 or 6 during tomorrow morning, locally 7 mid-channel.
Slight to moderate becoming rather rough or rough.
Isolated showers at first some rain tomorrow morning.
Mainly good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

South to southeast 5 or 6, locally 7.
Rather rough or rough.
Rain or showers, heavy at times.
Good becoming moderate to poor at times.

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