

AND NOW THE SHIPPING FORECAST ISSUED BY THE MET OFFICE, ON BEHALF OF THE MARITIME AND COASTGUARD AGENCY, AT 1130 ON WEDNESDAY 04 JUNE 2008

THE GENERAL SYNOPSIS AT 0700

LOW 200 MILES WEST OF BAILEY 986 MOVING SLOWLY NORTHWEST, FILLING 997 BY 0700 TOMORROW. NEW LOW EXPECTED PLYMOUTH 1015 BY SAME TIME. LOW CROMARTY 1011 MOVING STEADILY NORTHWEST, LOSING ITS IDENTITY

THE AREA FORECASTS FOR THE NEXT 24 HOURS

VIKING NORTH UTSIRE SOUTH UTSIRE NORTHEAST FORTIES
SOUTHEASTERLY 5 TO 7 DECREASING 3 OR 4. MODERATE OR ROUGH. OCCASIONAL RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

SOUTHWEST FORTIES CROMARTY FORTH TYNE DOGGER
VARIABLE BECOMING SOUTHEASTERLY 3 OR 4, OCCASIONALLY 5 IN CROMARTY. SLIGHT OR MODERATE. SHOWERS WITH FOG PATCHES. MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

FISHER
EASTERLY 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6 AT FIRST. SLIGHT OR MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY ROUGH AT FIRST. SHOWERS. GOOD

NORTHEAST GERMAN BIGHT
SOUTHEASTERLY 4 OR 5. SLIGHT OR MODERATE. SHOWERS. GOOD

SOUTHWEST GERMAN BIGHT HUMBER THAMES
VARIABLE 3 OR 4. SLIGHT OR MODERATE. OCCASIONAL RAIN WITH FOG PATCHES. MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

DOVER WIGHT PORTLAND
SOUTHWEST BECOMING VARIABLE 3 OR 4, OCCASIONALLY 5 AT FIRST. SLIGHT OR MODERATE. RAIN LATER. MODERATE OR GOOD

PLYMOUTH
SOUTHWESTERLY VEERING NORTHWESTERLY 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6 IN WEST. MODERATE OR ROUGH. OCCASIONAL RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

BISCAY
SOUTHWESTERLY VEERING NORTHWESTERLY 4 OR 5, BUT VARIABLE 3 IN SOUTH. MODERATE, BECOMING ROUGH IN NORTH. OCCASIONAL RAIN. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

FITZROY
SOUTHWESTERLY VEERING NORTHWESTERLY 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6 AT FIRST. ROUGH. RAIN THEN SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR AT FIRST

WEST SOLE
NORTHWESTERLY 4 OR 5. ROUGH, OCCASIONALLY VERY ROUGH AT FIRST. SHOWERS. MODERATE OR POOR BECOMING GOOD

EAST SOLE LUNDY FASTNET IRISH SEA
SOUTHERLY 5 TO 7 VEERING NORTHWESTERLY 4. MODERATE OR ROUGH, OCCASIONALLY VERY ROUGH AT FIRST. RAIN THEN SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

SHANNON SOUTH ROCKALL
WESTERLY 4 OR 5. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH. SHOWERS. GOOD

NORTH ROCKALL
SOUTHWESTERLY 5 TO 7 DECREASING 4. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH. SHOWERS. GOOD

MALIN HEBRIDES

SOUTHERLY 5 OR 6, VEERING WESTERLY FOR A TIME IN WEST MALIN, DECREASING 4 LATER. ROUGH OR VERY ROUGH. RAIN THEN SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD, OCCASIONALLY POOR

BAILEY

SOUTHEASTERLY 5 TO 7 DECREASING 4. VERY ROUGH BECOMING ROUGH. SHOWERS. MODERATE OR GOOD

FAIR ISLE

SOUTHEASTERLY 4 OR 5, BUT 6 OR 7 AT FIRST IN NORTHEAST. MODERATE OR ROUGH. OCCASIONAL RAIN WITH FOG PATCHES. MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

FAEROES

SOUTHEAST 4 OR 5, OCCASIONALLY 6 AT FIRST. MODERATE OR ROUGH. OCCASIONAL RAIN WITH FOG PATCHES. MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR

SOUTHEAST ICELAND

SOUTHEASTERLY 6 OR 7 DECREASING 4 OR 5. MODERATE OR ROUGH, OCCASIONALLY VERY ROUGH AT FIRST. OCCASIONAL RAIN WITH FOG PATCHES. MODERATE, OCCASIONALLY VERY POOR