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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore from 1800 UTC to 1800 UTC.

General Situation

High slow moving to southwest of United Kingdom with a strong westerly veering northwesterly airflow in the north, light winds in the south. Cold front moving southeast across United Kingdom.

From Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney

24 hour forecast:

Southwest veering west or northwest 5 or 6, occasionally 7, but 4 at first from Duncansby Head to Rattray Head.

Occasional rain then showers.

Good, occasionally moderate or poor at first.

Mainly smooth or slight but moderate or rough from Cape Wrath to Duncansby Head and around Orkney.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West or northwest 5 or 6.

Showers then fair.

Good.

Mainly smooth to slight but rough or very rough from Cape Wrath to Duncansby Head and around Orkney.

Rattray Head to Berwick on Tweed

24 hour forecast:

Southwest veering west or northwest 4 or 5, occasionally 6.

Occasional rain then fair.

Moderate or good.

Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

West 4 or 5, occasionally 6.

Fair.

Good.

Slight or moderate.

Berwick on Tweed to Whitby

24 hour forecast:

West or southwest 2 or 3 veering northwest 4 or 5.

Occasional rain then fair.

Moderate or good.

Smooth or slight.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northwest 4 or 5 backing west 3 or 4.

Fair.

Good.

Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate in north.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point

24 hour forecast:

Southwest 2 or 3, increasing 4 or 5, veering north or northwest later.

Occasional rain, then fair later.

Moderate or good.

Smooth or slight.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North or northwest 4 or 5 becoming variable 2 or 3.

Fair.
Good.
Slight.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland

24 hour forecast:

West or southwest 2 or 3, increasing 4, veering north 4 or 5 later.
Occasional rain, becoming fair later.
Moderate or good.
Smooth or slight.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North veering northeast 4 or 5, occasionally 6.
Fair.
Good.
Slight, occasionally moderate in north.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill

24 hour forecast:

West veering north 2 or 3, occasionally 4 later.
Occasional rain later.
Moderate or good.
Smooth or slight.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North 3 or 4 veering east or northeast 5 or 6.
Occasional rain then fair.
Moderate becoming good.
Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate later.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis

24 hour forecast:

West veering north 2 or 3, occasionally 4 later.
Occasional rain later.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.
Smooth or slight.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North 3 or 4 veering east or northeast 5 or 6.
Occasional rain then fair.
Moderate, occasionally poor, becoming good.
Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate later.

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly

24 hour forecast:

West or northwest 2 or 3 veering north 4 or 5.
Occasional rain.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.
Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate in west.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North 4 or 5 veering east or northeast 5 or 6.
Occasional rain at first then fair.
Moderate, occasionally poor, becoming good.
Slight occasionally moderate.

Lands End to St Davids Head including the Bristol Channel

24 hour forecast:

West or northwest 2 or 3 veering north 4 or 5.
Occasional drizzle.
Good, occasionally moderate or poor.
Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate in far west.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

North 4 or 5 veering east or northeast 5 or 6.
Occasional drizzle at first then fair.
Moderate, occasionally poor, becoming good.
Slight or moderate.

St Davids Head to Great Ormes Head, including St Georges Channel
24 hour forecast:
West or northwest 2 or 3 veering north 4 or 5, occasionally 6 later.
Occasional rain or drizzle, becoming fair later.
Good, occasionally moderate or poor.
Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
North or northeast 4 or 5, occasionally 6, decreasing 2 or 3 later.
Fair.
Good.
Slight or moderate.

Great Ormes Head to the Mull of Galloway
24 hour forecast:
West or southwest 2 or 3, occasionally 4, veering northwest 4 or 5,
occasionally 6, decreasing 3 or 4 later.
Occasional rain or drizzle, becoming fair later.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.
Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northwest 3 or 4 becoming variable 2 or 3.
Fair.
Good.
Slight or moderate.

Isle of Man
24 hour forecast:
Southwest 3 or 4 veering northwest 4 or 5 overnight.
Mainly fair but rain overnight.
Moderate or good.
Slight or moderate.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northwest 4 or 5 becoming variable 2 or 3.
Fair.
Good.
Slight becoming smooth.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough
24 hour forecast:
Southwest veering northwest 3 increasing 5 or 6, occasionally 7,
becoming variable 2 later.
Occasional rain or drizzle, becoming fair later.
Good, occasionally moderate or poor.
Smooth becoming slight, occasionally moderate, but rough to west of
Fair Head.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable 2 or 3 becoming south 4 later.
Mainly fair.
Good.
Slight or moderate, occasionally rough mainly to west of Fair Head.

The Mull of Galloway to Mull of Kintyre including the Firth of Clyde
and the North Channel
24 hour forecast:
Southwest veering northwest 2 or 3 increasing 5 or 6, occasionally 7,

becoming variable 2 later.
Occasional rain or drizzle, becoming fair later.
Good, occasionally moderate or poor.
Slight or moderate, occasionally rough later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable 2 or 3 becoming south 3 or 4 later.
Mainly fair.
Good.
Moderate, occasionally rough at first.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point
24 hour forecast:
Southwest veering northwest 4 or 5, occasionally 6, becoming variable
2 or 3 later.
Occasional rain or drizzle, becoming fair later.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.
Moderate occasionally rough later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable 2 or 3 becoming south 4 or 5 later.
Mainly fair.
Good.
Moderate occasionally rough.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath including the Outer Hebrides
24 hour forecast:
Southwest veering west or northwest 5 or 6, occasionally 7,
decreasing 4 later.
Occasional rain or drizzle, showers later.
Moderate or good, occasionally poor.
Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough around western Outer
Hebrides.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West or northwest 4 backing south or southwest 5 or 6.
Showers at first then fair.
Good.
Moderate or rough, occasionally very rough around western Outer
Hebrides.

Shetland Isles
24 hour forecast:
Southwest 5 or 6, occasionally 7, veering west or northwest 6 or 7.
Occasional rain or drizzle then showers.
Good, occasionally moderate or poor.
Moderate or rough, becoming very rough later.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
West or northwest 5 or 6, occasionally 7 at first.
Showers then fair.
Good.
Rough or very rough.

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