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Inshore Waters Forecast to 12 miles offshore
for the period 1200 UTC Friday 02 June to 1200 UTC Saturday 03 June 2023

General Situation

High pressure remains slow-moving to the northwest of the British Isles during the next couple of days, maintaining settled conditions over the coastal waters, although strong northeasterly winds will continue to affect the Strait of Dover.

Cape Wrath to Rattray Head including Orkney

24 hour forecast:

Variable 3 or less, occasionally 4 at first.

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

Fair, but drizzle later in northwest.

Good, occasionally moderate later in northwest.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable 3 or less.

Smooth or slight.

Occasional drizzle.

Good, occasionally moderate.

Rattray Head to Berwick upon Tweed

24 hour forecast:

Variable, mainly southeast, 3 or less.

Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate at first in southeast.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable, mainly northeast, 3 or less.

Smooth or slight.

Fair.

Good.

Berwick upon Tweed to Whitby

24 hour forecast:

Northeast 3 or 4, becoming variable 3 or less.

Slight or moderate.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Variable, mainly northeast, 3 or less.

Slight, becoming smooth later except in southeast.

Fair.

Good.

Whitby to Gibraltar Point

24 hour forecast:

Northeast 3 or 4.

Moderate becoming slight.

Fair.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeast 3 or 4.
Slight.
Fair.
Good.

Gibraltar Point to North Foreland - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 near North Foreland.
Slight or moderate.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northeasterly 3 or 4, occasionally 5 in south.
Slight, occasionally moderate in southeast.
Fair.
Good.

North Foreland to Selsey Bill - (SWW)
24 hour forecast:
Northeasterly 4 to 6.
Slight or moderate, occasionally smooth near Selsey Bill.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Northeasterly 4 or 5, occasionally 6 at first.
Slight or moderate, occasionally smooth near Selsey Bill.
Fair.
Good.

Selsey Bill to Lyme Regis
24 hour forecast:
East or northeast 3 to 5.
Slight or moderate, occasionally smooth near shore.
Fair.
Good.

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

Lyme Regis to Lands End including the Isles of Scilly
24 hour forecast:
East or northeast 3 to 5.
Slight or moderate.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
East or northeast 3 to 5.
Smooth or slight, becoming slight or moderate later.
Fair.
Good.

Lands End to St Davids Head including the Bristol Channel
24 hour forecast:

East or northeast 3 to 5.
Smooth or slight, occasionally moderate at first in southwest.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
East or northeast 3 to 5.
Smooth or slight.
Fair.
Good.

St Davids Head to Great Orme Head, including St Georges Channel
24 hour forecast:
East or northeast 2 to 4, occasionally 5 near st david's head.
Smooth or slight.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
East or northeast, backing north for a time, 2 to 4.
Smooth, occasionally slight offshore.
Fair.
Good.

Great Orme Head to the Mull of Galloway
24 hour forecast:
Variable 3 or less, becoming east or southeast 2 to 4 for a time.
Smooth, occasionally slight.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable 3 or less, becoming east 2 to 4 for a time.
Smooth.
Fair.
Good.

Isle of Man
24 hour forecast:
Variable, mainly east, 3 or less.
Smooth, occasionally slight at first in southwest.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable 3 or less, becoming east 3 or 4 for a time.
Smooth.
Fair.
Good.

Lough Foyle to Carlingford Lough
24 hour forecast:
Variable 3 or less.
Smooth or slight.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable 3 or less, becoming east or southeast 2 or 3 later.

Smooth, occasionally slight in far northwest.
Fair.
Good.

Mull of Galloway to Mull of Kintyre including the Firth of Clyde and North Channel
24 hour forecast:
Variable 3 or less.
Smooth.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
Variable 3 or less.
Smooth.
Fair.
Good.

Mull of Kintyre to Ardnamurchan Point
24 hour forecast:
Variable becoming north or northwest, 2 to 4.
Smooth or slight.
Fair.
Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
North or northwest 2 to 4 becoming variable 3 or less.
Smooth or slight.
Fair.
Good.

The Minch
24 hour forecast:
Variable 4 or less, becoming north or northeast 3 or 4.
Smooth or slight.
Fair, but occasional drizzle later in north.
Good, occasionally moderate later in north.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
North or northeast 3 or 4, becoming variable 3 or less.
Smooth or slight.
Mainly fair.
Good, occasionally moderate.

Ardnamurchan Point to Cape Wrath
24 hour forecast:
Variable 4 or less, becoming north or northeast 3 or 4.
Slight, occasionally smooth in southeast.
Fair, but occasional drizzle later in north.
Good, occasionally moderate later in north.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:
North or northeast 3 or 4, becoming variable 3 or less.
Slight, but smooth in southeast.
Mainly fair.
Good, occasionally moderate.

For Coastal areas up to 60 nautical miles from Lerwick, Shetland
Valid Friday 02 Jun 2023 at 1200 UTC until Saturday 03 Jun 2023 at 0000 UTC

Shetland Isles

General Situation

High pressure covers Shetland Waters

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

Variable becoming westerly or southwesterly 2 or 3, occasionally 4 later in north

Slight or moderate

Fair

Good

Outlook for 12 Hours from 0000 UTC on Saturday 03 Jun until 1200 UTC on Saturday 03 Jun:

Variable 3 or less, occasionally northwesterly 4 later in northeast

Slight or moderate

Occasional drizzle

Moderate or good, occasionally poor or very poor

Channel Islands - (SWW)

24 hour forecast:

Northeasterly 4 to 5, locally 6 with gusts to 35kt today.

Slight to moderate, locally rather rough in the far north and the far west at first.

Fine, occasionally cloudy.

Good.

Outlook for the following 24 hours:

Northeasterly 4 to 5, perhaps locally 3 at times.

Slight, occasionally moderate in the north and west.

Fair or fine.

Good.

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